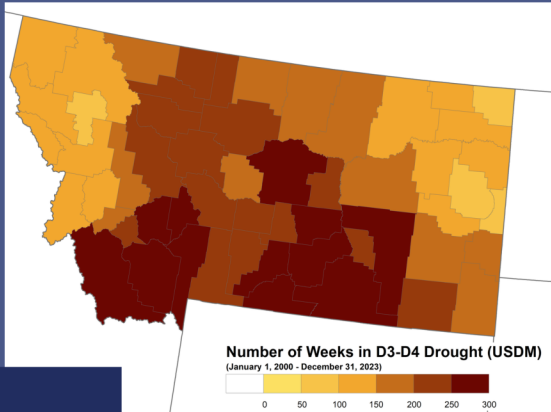




MONTANA: HIGH & DRY

ARE WE IN A DROUGHT?

Probably. You can check at:
drought.gov/states/montana



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DROUGHT & HEALTH

Drought creates **dust**,
standing water, and **stress**.

Dust is bad for your lungs, and
standing water carries diseases.
Stress is bad for your whole body.



Cyanobacteria
is highly toxic. It lives in
standing water and looks
like a green dust with no
leaves. Stay away!



Don't breathe dusty air. Wear an N95 mask if you have to be out in it, and filter the air in your home and car or tractor.



Connect with friends, family, and neighborhood groups. If you're losing sleep, see a therapist.



If drought is harming your business, there are resources available at drought.mt.gov/resources.

For more information, visit montanahphc.org/drought.

