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our area hasn't seen any fracking yet, and the last time i was there (2 weeks ago) there was indeed a massive bloom that usually covers a shallow part of the pond during the summer. it was mostly gone when i was there last. this could actually cause sores?

Sounds like the culprit. No, lack of DO doesn't cause sores itself. However, the water is always full of bacteria and stuff that makes fish sick. They're usually strong enough to fight it off. But lack of DO can significantly weaken fish and their immune systems. Cause of death is often something different than the underlying issue. Underlying issue stresses them and makes them weak, infection finishes them off.