

# SOIL AND PAINT CHIP LEAD TESTING

Drop off paint chip and/or soil samples to our office at **250 William Howard Taft, 2nd floor, Cincinnati, OH 45219** to be tested for the presence of lead.

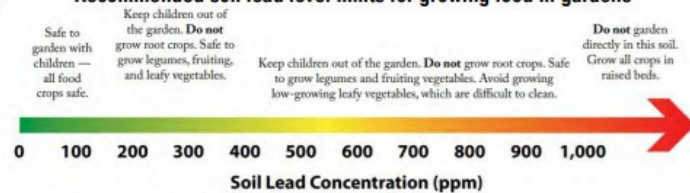
## WHAT TO DO:

- Collect a quarter-sized paint chip from anywhere on your property
  - Can be from interior or exterior
- Put paint chip in a labeled sealed bag with your name, phone number, and location the paint chip was taken from
  - We will contact you with the results of the reading



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## Recommended soil lead level limits for growing food in gardens



\*Assume soil testing for lead with EPA Method 3051A  
From Kansas State University Agricultural Experiment Station and Cooperative Extension Service,  
and adopted by the Penn State Cooperative Extension Service

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## WHAT TO DO:

- Collect a sample of 1-2 cups of soil from about 10 different spots in your yard
- Have soil dry out for two weeks
- Bring in sample in a sealed bag to HCPH office along with your name and phone number
  - We will contact you with the results of the reading

Check out our Lead Hazard Reduction Program at the link listed below or use the QR code to the right for more information on how to make your home lead-safe.



**CONTACT US**



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