

DO PAINTED SURFACES IN YOUR HOME LOOK LIKE THIS?



THEY COULD CONTAIN LEAD.

Funding is available to reduce lead paint hazards in owned or rented homes.

Average of \$18,000 in home repairs at NO COST to you!



To Qualify:

- ✓ Homes/Apartments built before 1978
- ✓ Mid-to-Low income families
- ✓ Household MUST include a child under 6 that lives there or visits regularly OR a resident who is pregnant
- ✓ Hamilton County resident (excluding Norwood, Springdale, and City of Cincinnati)



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LEAD POISONING: KEY FACTS FOR FAMILIES



LEAD LIZARD SAYS:
"Children should be tested for lead at one and two years of age!"

The health effects of lead

Lead is a highly toxic metal that can cause a range of health problems, developmental delays, decreased IQ, and behavioral issues.

As lead paint deteriorates in older homes, it generates lead dust that contaminates floors and surfaces, creating easy exposure routes for children.

Lead poisoning is preventable! The key is to keep children from coming into contact with lead.

Check your family for lead

Consult your health care provider for advice on testing your children. Your pediatrician can check with a simple blood test.

Simple steps to protect your family

- ✔ Don't try to remove lead-based paint yourself
- ✔ Talk to your landlord about fixing surfaces with peeling or chipping paint
- ✔ Regularly clean floors, window sills, and other surfaces
- ✔ Wash children's hands, bottles, pacifiers, and toys often
- ✔ Make sure children eat foods high in iron, calcium, and vitamin C
- ✔ Remove shoes or wipe soil off shoes before entering your home



How do children become exposed to lead?



Ask Us About:

- FREE paint chip & soil testing!
- HEPA vacuum rentals!

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