

RESOURCES

Lead Safe Early Care Program, Newark, NJ

Protect Your Family

In order to prevent lead poisoning, you can utilize these FREE resources:

Child Blood Testing

- Newark Health Department: walk into110 William Street or call 211 or (973) 733-5310
- CityLife Neighborhood Clinics (44 Jones St, Newark, by Shoprite) call (973) 878-9020

Water Testing & Lead Service Line Replacement

- PUR Water Filters and Replacement Cartridges are available at St. Peter's Rec Center (378 Lyons Ave), Boylan St Rec Center (916 South Orange Ave), and Vince Lombardi Center of Hope (201 Bloomfield Ave) Tues-Fri 11am-7pm & Sat 9am-6pm
- Pregnant women & families with children under six can pick up two cases of bottled water every two weeks at Newark Health Dept WIC Program (110 William St) Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm, Thurs open later until 6:30pm. 2nd & 4th Sat 9am-2pm
- Call 211 or (973) 733-6303 to request a City water test for free
- Visit www.newarkleadserviceline.com to sign up for LSL replacement
- Rutgers: visit <u>https://eohsi.rutgers.edu/lead-in-water-study-newark/</u>

Home Inspection & Remediation

- Newark Health Department: call 211 to request a free inspection and abatement
- La Casa de Don Pedro: call Danny Feliciano at (973) 485-0701 x 4406

Nutrition & Healthy Food Access

- SNAP (formerly known as Food Stamps) you can apply online or visit 18 Rector Street, Newark, 9th floor or call (973) 733-3000
- WIC (Women, Infants & Children) 110 Williams Street or call (973) 733-7628
- Shoprite of Newark has a FREE dietitian (206 Springfield Ave) (973-273-1060) x 3001

More Information and Education:

- CDC: visit <u>https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/default.htm</u>
- EPA: visit <u>https://www.epa.gov/lead</u>



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Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about lead, nutrition, and what you can do:

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Don't run hot water through your filter

- Flush water for five minutes first thing in the morning
- Change filter cartridge every 2 or 3 months (red light)
- Boiling water doesn't remove lead!



