

Free Lead Testing

for your house or apartment

Is Your Home Lead-Safe?

Did you know that...

Lead was used in paint on **homes built before 1978?**

Lead can be found on your windows, doors, walls and floors?

High lead levels can cause attention, behavioral and learning deficiencies in children?

Children under 6 are especially at risk of being poisoned by exposure to lead?

We are here to help!

La Casa de Don Pedro is offering **FREE lead testing services to your home's interior.**

We provide:

- Preliminary lead testing to determine if lead is present on painted surfaces
- Lead Inspection/Risk Assessment of your home
- Lead Remediation and Abatement of lead hazards
- Education on how to keep your home and family safe from lead



What happens next?

If we find lead in your home's paint, we can enroll you in a program to eliminate any lead hazards found in your home, **AT NO CHARGE TO YOU!**

To qualify for Lead-Safe Home Remediation:

- Your household income must be within the low-to-moderate income limits listed below:

ANNUAL INCOME LIMITS BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE
FOR LEAD-SAFE HOME REMEDIATION:

1 person: \$50,350	3 people: \$64,750
2 people: \$57,550	4 people: \$71,900

- You must live in a one or two unit residential home in Essex County built before 1978. The property must be structurally sound and current on real estate taxes, water and sewer.

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For more information or to apply for the Lead-Safe Home Remediation Program, contact **Danny Feliciano** at 973-485-0701 ext. 4406 Monday–Friday 9am–5pm or email dfeliciano@lacasanwk.org



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Did you know?

If you live in a pre-1978 home and have children under 6 or are expecting a child it is important that you know the following:

-Does your home have any visible paint deterioration on the interior/exterior?

-Does your home have old windows? If so, do you see any visible paint deterioration or debris on the window well or deterioration around the window when you open it?

-Does your home still have the original molding around the doors and windows? If so, what condition are they in? Do any doors or doorjambs in your home have significant wear and tear?

-Does your home have an old wooden porch? If so, do you normally take your shoes off when you enter your home?

-Do you wash your children's hands regularly, especially before eating?

-Have you, a hired worker or the property owner perform any recent renovations such as window replacement, knocked down a wall, installed a new door etc.

If so, was the home tested for lead prior to any work done? If the presence of Lead was confirmed, did you, the property owner or hired worker practiced Lead safety? (i.e., RRP EPA guidelines when working with Lead)



If you can confirm any of what was listed or had renovations done in your home and you are not sure whether Lead safety was practiced please apply for the program to get your home inspected for Lead as soon as possible. There might be dust hazards in your home as a result. Children are primarily exposed to Lead by ingesting Lead dust on floors and windows when they put their hands in their mouth.

Childhood Lead poisoning can be prevented!

Do you know if your child has been exposed to Lead?*

This grant is specifically to prevent elevated blood lead levels in children under 6 and expected mothers by eliminating Lead Hazards in the home.

* The action level for children exposed to Lead has been recently reduced to 5 micrograms per deciliter. We are available to answer questions.

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