


# Free Lead Testing at Safety Day

# PREVENT CHILDHOOD LEAD POISONING

MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS OFFERING FREE  
COMMUNITY LEAD TESTING ON CONSUMER ITEMS.



GET  
YOUR  
ITEMS  
TESTED!

SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2024  
10:00AM-1:00PM  
MONTGOMERY TOWNSHIP  
MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
100 COMMUNITY DR, SKILLMAN



ITEMS WILL BE SCANNED USING AN "XRF LEAD DETECTOR"  
RESULTS READY IN JUST A FEW MINUTES!



CONSUMER  
ITEMS:  
TOYS  
SPICES  
JEWELRY  
MUGS/DISHES  
MAKEUP

BRING ITEMS TO COMMUNITY  
SAFETY DAY EVENT FOR  
TESTING!

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# LEAD EDUCATION

**LEAD EXPOSURE CAN CAUSE SERIOUS HEALTH RISKS.  
PEOPLE CAN BE EXPOSED TO LEAD WITHOUT EVEN  
KNOWING IT.**

Children are at higher risk of lead exposure due to putting unknown objects, which may contain lead, in their mouths. Lead poisoning can put children at higher risk for developmental issues, brain or nervous system damage, and difficulty learning or focusing.

People can be exposed to lead by ingesting or inhaling contaminated products.

## LEAD CAN BE FOUND IN

- Chipped paint from houses built before 1978. 
- Imported toys or jewelry. 
- Certain imported candies. 
- Counterfeit makeup products. 

## PREVENTION

- If you suspect your home has lead, hire a licensed lead inspector and/or contractor.
- Remove any recalled toys and jewelry.
- Read labels before purchasing items.

**CONSULT WITH A HEALTHCARE PROVIDER TO DETERMINE WHETHER A LEAD TEST IS  
NEEDED.**

**CALL YOUR LOCAL CERTIFIED WATER TESTING LAB ABOUT TESTING YOUR  
DRINKING WATER IN YOUR HOME.**



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