

Lead can be found in unexpected places

Lead exposure is a known health risk. Although lead exposure has decreased significantly over the last 30 years due to the removal of lead from gasoline, paint, and other products, sources of lead exposure still remain.

It is now known that even small amounts of lead exposure can cause health effects, particularly for fetuses or young children. That's why it is important to know how lead exposures happen and what you can do to reduce exposure for yourself, your family, and children in your care.



Paint on older homes may contain lead



Tap water in homes built before 1990 may contain lead



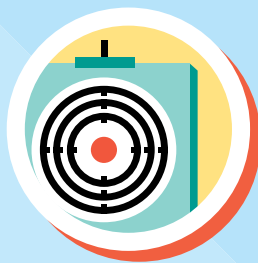
Soil may contain lead



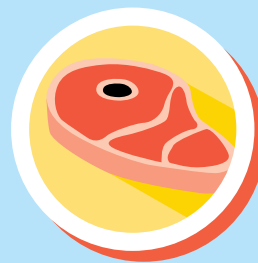
Some consumer products contain lead



Some hobbies and jobs can expose you to lead



Lead dust at firing ranges can be harmful



Wild game and fowl may contain traces of lead



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If you have further questions about lead exposure, contact Health Links — Info Santé at 204-788-8200 or toll-free at 1-888-315-9257.

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