Childhood Lead Risk Questionnaire

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STATE LAW REQUIRES:

All children 6 years of age or younger must be evaluated for lead exposure.

All children must be assessed for risk of lead exposure and tested if necessary for enrollment into daycare, preschool, and kindergarten.

Complete the Childhood Lead Risk Questionnaire during a well-child or health care visit for children ages 12 and 24 months of age (at minimum) and once a year at annual well-child-visits at ages 3, 4, 5, and 6 years.

- If responses to all the questions are "NO," re-evaluate at next age referenced above or more often if deemed necessary.
- If any response is "YES" or "DON'T KNOW," a blood lead test must be obtained.
- If there are any "YES" or "DON"T KNOW" answers and
 - ✓ previous blood lead testing was done at 12 and 24 months of age with a result of 4.9 µg/dL or less OR if not performed at 12 and 24 months, a blood lead test was performed at 3, 4, 5, or 6 years of age with a result of 4.9 µg/dL or less, and
 - ✓ there has been no change in address of the child's home/residential building, child care facility, school, or other frequently visited facilities and
 - \checkmark risks of exposure to lead have not changed, further blood lead tests are not necessary.

Chi	ld's name:	Today's da	day's date:			
Age	e: Birthdate:	ZIP Code:				
Re	spond to the following questions by c		RESPONSE			
1.	Does this child reside or regularly visit a other facility built before 1978 or in a hig (see reverse side of page for high risk 2		r 🗋 Yes	🗅 No	Don't Know	
2.	Is this child eligible for or enrolled in Me program? ***All Medicaid-eligible children and of blood lead test at 12 and at 24 month program enrolled child between 36 m tested, a blood lead test shall be perf		🗆 No	Don't Know		
3.	Does this child have a sibling with a cor	nfirmed blood lead level of 5 μg/dL or higher?	🗅 Yes	🗆 No	Don't Know	
4.	In the past year, has this child been exp home built before 1978?	bosed to repairs, repainting, or renovation of a building/	🗅 Yes	🗅 No	🖵 Don't Know	
5.	Is this child a refugee, adoptee, or rece	nt visitor of any foreign country?	🗅 Yes	🗆 No	🖵 Don't Know	
6.		rted items (such as, ayurvedic medicine, folk medicines or other food items, sindoor, or kumkum)?	s, 🗋 Yes	🗅 No	Don't Know	
7.	jewelry making, building renovation, brid	has a job or a hobby that may involve lead (for example dge construction, plumbing, furniture refinishing, work ead solder, leaded glass, bullets, lead fishing sinkers, c		🗆 No	Don't Know	
8.	If the child is younger than 12 months c blood lead level of 5 μ g/dL or higher?	of age, did the child's mother have a past confirmed	🗅 Yes	🗅 No	Don't Know	
9.		building, child-care setting, school, or other regularly onfirmed level of lead (5 ppb or higher)?	🗅 Yes	🖵 No	Don't Know	
10.		I smelter, battery recycling plant, or another industry I live near a heavily-traveled road where soil and dust	🗋 Yes	🗆 No	Don't Know	
	***ALL blood lead	test results MUST be submitted to the Illinois Lead	Program.			

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Pediatric Lead Poisoning High-Risk ZIP Code Areas

The ** indicate that any ZIP code within a county with the preceding numbers are considered high risk

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Adams	Clay	Crawford	Greene	Johnson	61364	Marshall	Moultrie	Rock Island	Tazewell	Whiteside
62301	62434	62427	620**	62908	61370	61369	619**	61201	61534	610**
62320	628**	62433		62912	61372	61377		61236	61554	61230
62324	020	62449	Grundy	62923	OTOTE	61424	Ogle	61237	61555	61243
62338	Clinton	62451	60416	62939	Lawrence	615**	61007	61239	61564	61251
62339	62219	62454	60424		624**	015	61030			
	62250		60437	62972		Mason	61043	61244	61568	61261
62346	62253	62478	60444	62985	Lee	615**	61047	61257	61610	61270
62347	62266	Cumberland	60450	62995	605**	626**	61049	61259	61611	61277
62348	02200	62428	60474	Kane	610**	020	61054	61265	61721	61283
62349	Coles				61310	Massac	61061	61266	61733	Will
62351	61912	62447	60479	60109	61318	62908		61278	61734	
62360	61920	62468	Hamilton	60120	61324	62953	61064	61279	61747	60408
62365	61931	DeKalb	62817	60121	61331		61091		61759	60410
62376	61938	60111	62828	60144	61353	McDonough	Peoria	St. Clair		60421
02010				60505		614**		62059	Union	60432
Alexander	61943	60129	62829	60506	61378	623**	61451	62201	62905	60433
62914	62469	60146	62859	60507	Livingston		61517	62202	62906	60434
62957	Cook	60520	Hancock		604**	McHenry	61523	62203	62920	60435
62988	606**	60550	61450	Kankakee	609**	60034	61526	62204	62926	60436
62990	60018	60552	623**	60901	613**	60180	61529	62205	02020	60468
02330		D - 14/544	023	60910			61533	62206	Vermilion	60481
Bond	60022	DeWitt	Hardin	60914	617**	McLean	61536		609**	00401
62086	60043	617**	62919	60915	Logan	61701	61539	62207	61810	Williamson
62246	60053	618**	62982	60917	617**	61720	61552	62220	61811	62841
62262	60076	Develoe	02902	60935		61722	61559	62223	61812	62921
62273	60077	Douglas	Henderson	60940	625**	61724	61569	62232	61814	62922
	60091	61913	614**		626**	61725		62240		
62284	60093	61930	011	60941	Macon	61726	6160*	62243	61831	62933
Boone	60104	61941	Henry	60954	61756	61728	61614	62255	61832	62948
61012	60130	61942	61234	60958			61615	62257	61833	62949
		61956	61233	60961	62501	61730	61616	62258	61841	62951
61038	60131		61235	60964	62513	61731	-	62264	61844	62959
Brown	60153	DuPage	61238	60969	62514	61732	Perry		61846	62974
623**	60154	60181	61254		6252*	61737	622**	62289	61848	
020	60155	60519		Kendall	62532	61744	62832	Saline	61850	Winnebago
Bureau	60160		61258	60536	62537	61754	62997	62917	61857	61024
613**	60162	Edgar	61262	60541	62544	61770	D1-44			61077
	60163	619**	61273	60650	62551	61772	Piatt	62930	61865	61079
Calhoun	60164	Edwards	61274		62573	61774	61813	62946	61870	61101
62006	60165		614**	Knox	02070	01114	61818	62965	61876	61102
62013	60171	62476		61401	Macoupin	Menard	61830	Sangamon	61883	61103
62036	60173	62806	Iroquois	61402	62009	62642	61839	62515	Wabash	61104
62045		62815	609**	61410	62023	62673	61855			
62053	60176	62818	Jackson	61414	62033	62675	61929	62520	62410	61107
62070	60195	Effination		61430	62069	62688	61936	62530	628**	Woodford
02070	602**	Effingham	62916	61436	62085	02000	01000	62539	Warren	61516
Carroll	603**	62414	62927	61439		Mercer	Pike	62615	614**	61545
61014	60402	62426	62932		62088	612**	623**	62625	014	
61046	60406	62445	62940	61448	62093	614**	_	62661	Washington	61561
61051	60409	62461	62942	61458	62626	011	Pope	62670	62214	61570
61053	60411	62467	62950	61467	62630	Monroe	62938	62689	62263	61738
	60419			61472	62640	62279	Dulaski	62701	62271	61760
61074	60422	Fayette	Jasper	61474	62649	62295	Pulaski	62702		61771
61078	60426	62011	62432	61485	62667	62298	62956	62703	62803	
Cass		62418	62434	61488	62672	02200	62963		62808	
626**	60428	62458	62448	61489	62674	Montgomery	62964	62704	62848	
020	60429	62471	62459	61572	62685	62015	62970	62707	Wayne	
Champaign	60430	62838	62475	01012	62686	62019	62976	Schuyler	62446	
60949	60438	62880	62480	Lake		62032	62992	61452		
61815	60456	62885	62481	60040	62690	62049	62996	623**	62823	
61816	60459	02000	02101	60041	Madison	62051			62837	
61821	60466	Ford	Jefferson	60064	62001	62056	Putnam	626**	62842	
61845	60469	609**	62814	60085	62002	62075	61326	Scott	62843	
	60472	61773	62864	60099	62018	62075	61336	626**	62850	
61849	60473		62883		62024	62076	61340		62878	
61851	60475	Franklin	62898	LaSalle		62077	61363	Shelby	62886	
61852	60476	62812	02000	60470	62040	62089		61957	62895	
61862		62819	Jersey	60518	62048	62091	Randolph	62422		
61863	60501	62822	62028	60531	62058	62094	62217	62431	White	
61866	60513	62825	62030	60549	62060	62533	62233	62438	62820	
61872	60526	62874	62031	60557	62084	62538	62242	62444	62821	
	60534	62884	62052		62087	62560	62261		62827	
Christian	60546	62891	62063	61301	62090		62272	62462	62835	
62083	60701	62896	02000	61316	62095	Morgan	62286	62534	62844	
625**	60706		Jo Daviess	61321	62281	62601	62288	62553	62861	
01	60707	629**	61001	61325	52201	62628		62565	62869	
Clark	60712	Fulton	61028	61332	Marion	62631	62292	Stark		
62420	60714	614**	61036	61334	62801	62638	Richland	Stark	62887	
62441	60803			61341	62807	62650	62419	614**		
62442		615**	61041	61342	62849	62651	62425	Stephenson		
62474	60804	Gallatin	61075	61348	62854	62665		610**		
62477	60805	62934	61085	61350	62870	62665	62450	010		
62478	60827	62979	61087	61354		62692	62868			
		32010		61358	62875	62695				
				01000	62882					
				61360	62893					

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1. Former high-risk ZIP Codes remained high risk (666); 2. Low to high-risk ZIP codes based on model Risk Index Score ≥15 (228); 3. Low to high-risk ZIP codes based on lead prevalence ≥7.5 at Risk Index Score <15 for ≥5 children tested with lead level ≥3.5 µg/dL% (118); 4. P.O. Box in the middle of high-risk areas (19)



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Guidelines for Lead Risk Evaluation and Blood Lead Testing

- Lead risk evaluation is the use of the Childhood Lead Risk Questionnaire to determine the risk of potential for lead exposures.
- Blood lead testing is defined as obtaining a blood lead test either by capillary or venous methodology. Only a venous test can serve as a confirmatory blood test.
- A child is considered to have an elevated blood lead level once a venous test is conducted, confirming the blood lead level is ≥5 µg/dL. All capillary (finger/heel stick) test results of ≥5 µg/dL must be confirmed by venous draw. Point of care instruments such as the LeadCare® II cannot be used to confirm an elevated blood lead level, even if the sample is collected by venipuncture.
- It is always appropriate to obtain a diagnostic blood lead test when a child is symptomatic or a potential exposure to lead has been identified, regardless of child's age.
- Federal mandates and the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services' (HFS) policy require that all children enrolled in HFS medical programs be considered at risk for lead poisoning and receive a blood lead test at ages 12 months and 24 months. Children older than the age of 24 months, up to 72 months of age, for whom no record of a previous blood lead test exists, also must receive a blood lead test. All children enrolled in HFS medical programs (such as Medicaid, All Kids, Head Start, and WIC) are expected to receive a blood lead test regardless of where they live. (Consult Handbook for Providers of Healthy Kids Services, Chapter HK-203.3.1, for more blood lead testing and reporting information.)
- Illinois has defined ZIP code areas at high risk for lead exposure based on a variety of considerations, including housing age and poverty rates. Review the list of ZIP codes and determine status of ZIP codes in your area.

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