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NOTICE

TO:

Illinois Contractors, Construction Workers, and Supervisors

FROM:

Illinois Department of Public Health, Division of Environmental Health,

Lead Program and CLEAR-Win Program

DATE:

04/03/2023

SUBJECT:

Lead Contractor, Supervisor, and Worker Licensing

The Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) would like to extend an invitation to become an IDPH licensed lead contractor, supervisor, and/or worker. As a result of the commencement of the CLEAR-Win Program, lead abatement projects are available in your area. We need your help to abate lead hazards throughout Illinois.

The IDPH Lead Program and CLEAR-Win Program are committed to protecting Illinois children from lead exposure. Lead poisoning is too much lead in the body and is especially harmful to children younger than 6 years of age. Even small amounts of lead can harm a child's brain and nervous system. It can also cause developmental delay, learning difficulties, and behavior problems. A child may have lead poisoning and not feel sick. A child may experience stomachaches, headaches, exhibit decreased appetite, hyperactivity, sleeping problems, or irritability. Very high amounts of lead can cause kidney damage, seizures, coma, or even death.

Help us reach our goals to increase lead-safe housing, eliminate the sources of lead hazards in homes, and reduce childhood lead exposure. Contact us for information about qualifications, training, applications, fees, and licensing at:

Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH)

Division of Environmental Health

Lead Program

525 W. Jefferson St. 3rd Floor

Springfield, IL 62761

Phone: 217-782-3517

Fax: 217-557-1188

E-Mail: <u>DPH.Lead@Illinois.gov</u> Website: <u>www.DPH.Illinois.gov</u>

References:

Title 77 Illinois Administrative Code 845 Lead Poisoning Prevention Code 410 ILCS 45 Lead Poisoning Prevention Act List of IDPH Lead Training Course Providers:

dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/environmental-health-protection/lead-poisoning-prevention/abatement-mitigation-licensure/lead-training-course-providers

Clear-Win Program Grantee Agency List:

Christian County Health Department:

902 West Springfield Road

Taylorville, IL 62568 Phone: 217-824-4113

County: Christian

Website: www.cchdil.org

City of Springfield:

107 Municipal Center E Springfield, IL 62701 Phone: 217-789-2377

County: Sangamon

Website: www.springfield.il.us

Ford County Public Health Department:

235 North Taft Street Paxton, IL 60957 Phone: 217-379-9281

County: Ford

Lee County Health Department:

309 S. Galena Ave. Ste 100

Dixon, IL 61021

Phone: 815-284-3371

County: Lee

Website: www.lchd.com

Montgomery County Health Department:

11191 Illinois Route 185 Hillsboro, IL 62049 Phone: 217-532-2001

County: Montgomery

Website: www.montgomeryco.com/health

Winnebago County Health Department:

555 North Court Street

P.O. Box 4009

Rockford, IL 61103

Phone: 815-720-4118

County: Winnebago

Website: www.wchd.org

