



Be a Healthy Texas Kid!

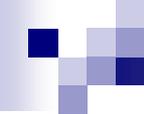
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Texas Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (TX CLPPP)

Mission

To eliminate childhood lead poisoning as a public health problem in Texas by working together with health, housing, and environmental organizations.



Texas Lead Reporting Law

- **All** blood lead results in children and adults must be reported
- Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is responsible for administering the law

Children: Health and Safety Code, Ch. 88

Adults: Health and Safety Code, Ch. 84



What does TX CLPPP do?

- Since 1996, maintain a registry of blood lead results
- Conduct child lead poisoning surveillance
- Engage in primary and secondary prevention activities

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Texas and Local CLPPPs Strategic Plans

[TX CLPPP Strategic Plan](#) (pdf)

[San Antonio CLPPP Strategic Plan](#) (pdf)

[Houston CLPPP Strategic Plan](#) (pdf)

Texas Children Tested for Lead by County (xls files)

[2011 TX County Level Data](#) - Updated 09/25/12

[2010 TX County Level Data](#) - Updated 11/17/11

[2009 TX County Level Data](#) - Updated 12/01/11

[2008 TX County Level Data](#) - Updated 11/17/11

[2007 TX County Level Data](#)

[2006 TX County Level Data](#)

[2005 TX County Level Data](#)

2000 Census Data

[Child Population 72 Months of Age Below the Poverty Level by County](#) (pdf)

[Texas Pre-1950 Housing by County](#) (pdf)

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Primary Prevention

- Collaborate with Strategic Planning Committee to promote:
 - Increase in available lead-safe housing
 - Increase in screening of targeted, at-risk children
 - Development of public policies that reduce the likelihood that children will be exposed to lead

Secondary Prevention

- Healthcare Provider Education
- Parent Education
- Case Coordination
 - DSHS Lab
 - Texas Health Steps (THSteps)
 - Case Management for Children & Pregnant Women (CPW)
 - Early Childhood Intervention (ECI)

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Forms

Healthcare Provider Forms

[F09-11709: Child Blood Lead Reporting Form](#)

Used by healthcare providers to report blood lead level(s) for children **under** 15 years of age.

[F09-11624: Adult Blood Lead Reporting Form](#)

Used by healthcare providers to report blood lead level(s) for children/adults 15 years of age and older.

[Pb-100: Possible Sources of Lead Exposure: Interview Questions](#) - Revised 01/04/12

Used by healthcare providers to interview the parent/guardian of a child with a diagnostic elevated blood lead level to determine possible source(s) of lead exposure.

[Pb-101: Request for Environmental Investigation](#) - Revised 01/04/12

Used by healthcare providers to request and Environmental Lead Investigation for a child with a venous blood lead level test result of 20 mcg/dL and higher, or two separate venous BLL tests collected at least 12 weeks apart in the 10-19 mcg/dL range.

[Pb-102: Follow-up of an Elevated Blood Lead Level](#)- Revised 01/04/12

Used by healthcare providers for follow-up of elevated blood lead levels of a child.

[Pb-103: Elevated Blood Lead Level Investigation Questionnaire](#) - Revised 04/26/11

Used by Lead Risk Assessors to conduct Environmental Lead Investigations.

[Pb-104: Physician Checklist for Parent Education Topics](#)

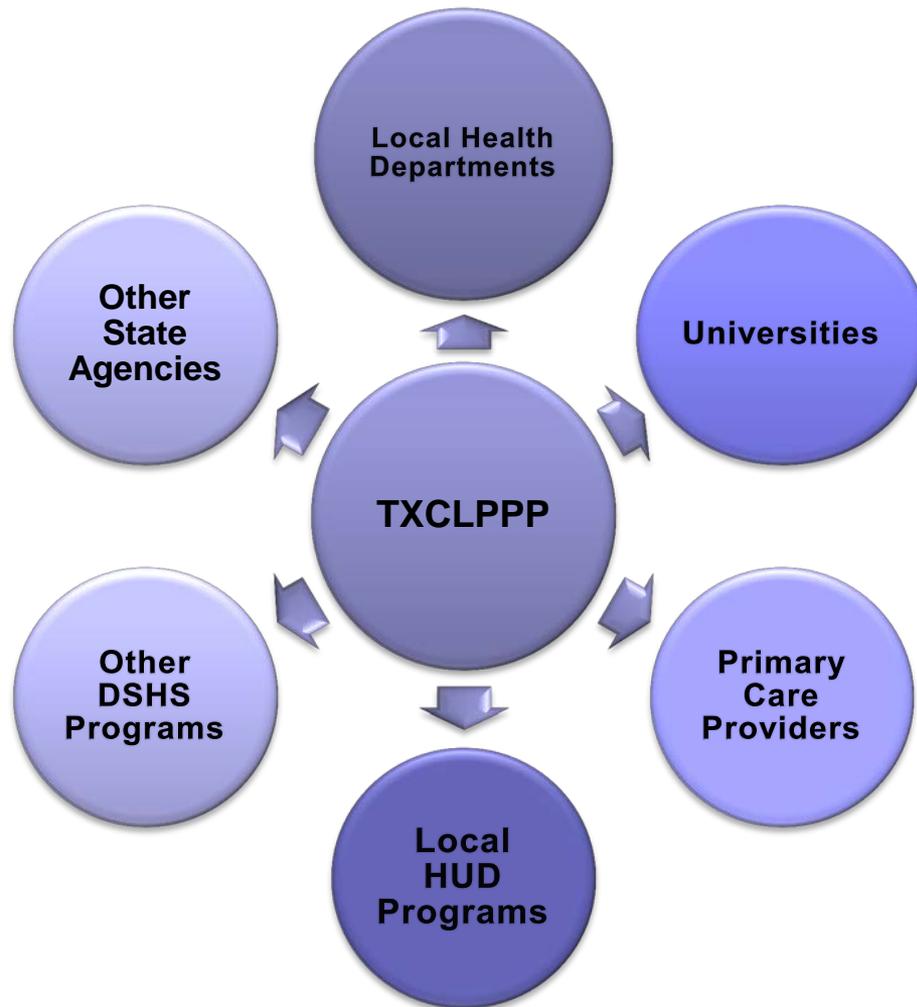
Used by healthcare providers to determine the appropriate lead educational material to provide parents for medical care, environmental intervention, and nutritional intervention.

[Pb-109: Reference for Follow-up Blood Lead Testing and Medical Case Management - Effective 05/01/2013](#)

Used by healthcare providers to determine when follow-up blood lead testing is necessary. Specifically: "Schedule for Obtaining a Diagnostic Venous sample", "Schedule for Follow-up Venous Blood Lead Testing After Diagnostic Venous Sample", and

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PROGRAM PARTNERS





Program Accomplishments

- Supervise Environmental Lead Investigations (ELI) performed by TXDSSH
- Coordinated with Texas Health Steps to create a continuing education module for primary care providers
- Doubled the number of children tested in 2011 from 2006

Program Accomplishments

■ Provider Awareness:

- Need to follow-up all capillary tests ≥ 5 mcg/dL with a timely venous follow-up test
- Need to retest all rejected specimens (Unsat)
- Children who qualify for an ELI

■ Parent Awareness:

- Child's blood level status
- Introduction to lead-safe practices



Program Barriers

- Funding & Staff limitations
- Provider misconceptions regarding reporting blood lead levels



Questions??