

IMPORTANT FOLLOW-UP NOTICE: MEASURES TAKEN **Dundalk Middle School**

ELEVATED LEAD WATER SAMPLE RESULT(S)

All Maryland public and nonpublic schools are required to sample all drinking water sources for the presence of lead pursuant to the Code of Maryland Regulations. On April 13, 2019, 32 water samples were collected from Dundalk Middle School. Of these water samples, four (4) had levels of lead exceeding the action level of 20 parts per billion (ppb) for lead in drinking water in school buildings. The elevated lead results from the sample(s) collected at Dundalk Middle School were as follows:

189 parts per billion (ppb) Bubblers, Room 100
33.5 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 2, Handsink
21.1 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 4, Handsink
170 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 5, Handsink

ACTION LEVEL (AL)

The AL is 20 ppb for lead in drinking water in school buildings. The AL is the concentration of lead which, if exceeded, triggers required remediation.

FOLLOW-UP RESULTS

On October 26, 2019, samples were re-tested from the locations listed above. Samples are not below the AL of 20 ppb for the following fixtures:

61.2 parts per billion (ppb) Bubblers, Room 100
278 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 2, Handsink
22.1 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 4, Handsink
25.4 parts per billion (ppb) Tap, Room 200, Station 5, Handsink

ACTIONS TAKEN WITH DATES

These fixtures were replaced prior to resampling. Additional remediation will be scheduled and the fixtures will remain out of service until completion and updated sampling results are evaluated.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. For additional information, please contact David Glassman, Supervisor, Environmental Services at 443.809.6310 or dglassman2@bcps.org.
2. For additional information about reducing lead exposure around your home/building and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's website at www.epa.gov/lead.
3. If you are concerned about exposure, contact your healthcare provider. If you do not have a healthcare provider, please contact the Baltimore County Department of Health at 410.887.3725.