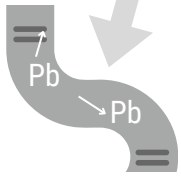


What are the Risks of Lead?

Exposure to lead in drinking water can cause serious health effects in all age groups. The most common exposure to lead is swallowing or breathing in lead paint chips and dust. However, lead in drinking water can also be a source of lead exposure.

How does lead end up in drinking water?

Lead in water usually occurs through corrosion of older plumbing products that contain lead



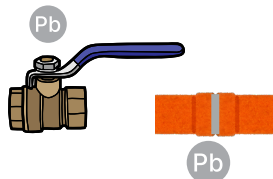
Disruption (construction or maintenance) of lead service lines may also temporarily increase lead levels in the water supply.

What can you do to reduce lead exposure in drinking water?



Run your water to flush out lead. See our flushing instructions for additional information.

Replace fixtures containing lead or lead solder.



Replace the entire lead service line

There is no "safe" level of lead exposure

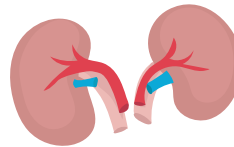


Lead exposure can lead to learning and behavior problems.

Infants and children can have decreases in IQ and attention span.



Adults can have increased risks of heart disease, high blood pressure, kidney, or nervous system problems.



Pregnant mothers and their children can have increased risks of health effects.



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