



Sep 10, 2024

BACK OF THE YARDS HS

2111 W 47 ST, Chicago IL 60609.

Dear **BACK OF THE YARDS HS** families,

In 2016, Chicago Public Schools (CPS) began sampling for lead in drinking water from all schools across the district. Our top priority is the health and safety of our students and staff, and this testing was initiated out of an abundance of caution to ensure the water in our schools is safe.

Per the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) guidance on lead in drinking water, lead concentrations in drinking water should not exceed 15 parts per billion (ppb). Per the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) guidance, lead concentrations in drinking water shall not exceed 5 ppb. For fixtures that have sample results equal to or above the Illinois Department of Public Health's standard of 5 ppb, these fixtures have been taken out of service until the issue is addressed and the fixture has been retested. No fixture will be returned to service until the Illinois Department of Public Health standard for lead in drinking water is met. Chicago's water supply is free of lead when it leaves the treatment plant. However, lead can be found in some interior plumbing fixtures and materials, and lead found in tap water usually comes from the corrosion of these items. This explains why some fixtures return with elevated results. The issue is not system-wide, but it is specific to the fixtures or pipes that will be addressed through the remediation plan.

Federal guidance indicates that children under the age of six are at the highest risk for harmful lead exposure, and they can be exposed to lead from a variety of sources, including paint, soil and even some consumer products. If you are concerned about your child's possible lead exposure risks, the Chicago Department of Public Health (CDPH) recommends going to your pediatrician or one of the local health care providers listed in the attachment for testing. Additionally, CDPH's lead hotline can address any health-related questions you may have or help you in deciding whether to have your child tested; for questions or more information, please call 312-747-5323. For additional information about lead and children, visit www.cdc.gov/lead.

The safety of your children is our highest priority, and we are doing everything in our power to address this situation in a quick and thorough manner. We will continue to keep you and your family informed throughout this process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard J. Schleyer".

Richard J. Schleyer

Director of Environmental Health and Safety

Chicago Public Schools



Sep 10, 2024

BACK OF THE YARDS HS

2111 W 47 ST, Chicago IL 60609.

Estimadas familias de **BACK OF THE YARDS HS:**

En 2016, las Escuelas Públicas de Chicago (CPS) comenzaron a inspeccionar el agua potable de las escuelas del distrito en búsqueda de plomo. Nuestra primera prioridad es la salud y la seguridad de nuestros estudiantes y personal, y estas pruebas se iniciaron para ser precavidos y confirmar que el agua en nuestras escuelas estuviera segura.

Según las directrices de la Agencia de Protección Ambiental (EPA, según sus siglas en inglés) en cuanto al plomo en el agua potable la concentración de plomo en el agua potable no debe exceder 15 partes por mil millones (ppb, según sus siglas en inglés). Según las directrices del Departamento de Salud Pública de Illinois (IDPH, según sus siglas en inglés), las concentraciones de plomo en el agua potable no deben exceder 5 ppb.

Las instalaciones que al ser examinadas demostraron resultados que igualen o sobrepasaran el estándar del IDPH de 5 ppb han sido removidas de servicio hasta que el asunto sea resuelto y la instalación haya sido reexaminada. Ninguna instalación será regresada al servicio hasta que cumpla con los estándares de plomo en el agua del IDPH.

El agua de Chicago no contiene plomo al salir de la planta de tratamiento. Sin embargo, se puede encontrar plomo en algunas instalaciones y materiales de plomería interiores, y el plomo encontrado en el agua de pluma normalmente surge de la corrosión en estos artículos. Esto explica por qué algunas instalaciones regresan con resultados elevados. El asunto no está generalizado en el sistema, sino que es específico para instalaciones o tuberías que serán trabajadas por el plan de remediación.

Las directrices federales indican que los niños de menos de seis años sufren el mayor riesgo de exposición dañina al plomo, y pueden ser expuestos al plomo de una variedad de fuentes, que incluyen la pintura, el terreno y hasta algunos productos para el consumidor. Si está preocupado sobre los riesgos posibles de ser expuesto al plomo, el Departamento de Salud Pública de Chicago (CDPH) recomienda ir a su pediatra o uno de los proveedores de atención médica locales incluidos en el anexo para que sea examinado. Adicionalmente, la línea directa sobre el plomo del CDPH puede responder a cualquier pregunta de salud que tenga o ayudarle y a decidir si hacerle una prueba a su niño; para preguntas o más información sobre el plomo y los niños, visite <https://www.cdc.gov/nceh/lead/>.

La seguridad de sus niños es nuestra primera prioridad, y estamos haciendo todo lo posible para responder a esta situación lo más rápida y rigurosamente posible. Continuaremos a mantenerlos a ustedes y sus familias informadas durante este proceso.

Sinceramente,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Richard J. Schleyer".

Richard J. Schleyer
Director de Salud y Seguridad Ambientales
Escuelas Públicas de Chicago

Facility ID	Fixture Code	Fixture Location	Draw Type	Collected On	Result	UOM
59215	59215-B-004-F07	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F07	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F07	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F07	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F07	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F08	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F08	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F08	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F08	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-004-F08	Basement - Inside Boy's Locker Room - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F03	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.407	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F03	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.172	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F03	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.243	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F03	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.122	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F03	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.292	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F04	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.359	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F04	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.230	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F04	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.212	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F04	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.306	ppb
59215	59215-B-POOL-F04	Basement - Inside Pool Area - North Wall - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.223	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F05	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F05	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F05	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F05	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F06	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.120	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F06	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F06	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F06	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-006-F06	Basement - Inside Women's Locker Room - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.169	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F01	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F01	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F01	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F01	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F01	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb



Facility ID	Fixture Code	Fixture Location	Draw Type	Collected On	Result	UOM
59215	59215-B-HAL-F02	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F02	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F02	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F02	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-B-HAL-F02	Basement, Next to Room 008 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS02	First Floor - Kitchen Center Island - Adjacent to	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS02	First Floor - Kitchen Center Island - Adjacent to	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS02	First Floor - Kitchen Center Island - Adjacent to	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS02-59215-1-KIT-KS02	First Floor - Kitchen Center Island - Adjacent to	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS02	First Floor - Kitchen Center Island - Adjacent to	Initial	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS05	First Floor - Kitchen Steam Table on West Wall	Flush180	04-NOV-16	0.245	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS05	First Floor - Kitchen Steam Table on West Wall	Flush180	04-NOV-16	0.148	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS05	First Floor - Kitchen Steam Table on West Wall	Flush180	04-NOV-16	0.136	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS05	First Floor - Kitchen Steam Table on West Wall	Flush180	04-NOV-16	0.136	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS05	First Floor - Kitchen Steam Table on West Wall	Initial	04-NOV-16	0.349	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS03	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Le	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS03	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Le	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS03	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Le	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS03	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Le	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS03	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Le	Initial	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS04	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Ri	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS04	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Ri	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS04	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Ri	Flush180	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS04	First Floor - Kitchen Triple Basin South Wall - Ri	Initial	04-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F08	First Floor, By Room 119 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F08	First Floor, By Room 119 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F08	First Floor, By Room 119 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F08	First Floor, By Room 119 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F08	First Floor, By Room 119 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F09	First Floor, By Room 119 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F09	First Floor, By Room 119 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F09	First Floor, By Room 119 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F09	First Floor, By Room 119 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F09	First Floor, By Room 119 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F06	First Floor, By Room 120 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-	First Floor, By Room 120 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb

Facility ID	Fixture Code	Fixture Location	Draw Type	Collected On	Result	UOM
	F06					
59215	59215-1-HAL-F06	First Floor, By Room 120 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F06	First Floor, By Room 120 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F06	First Floor, By Room 120 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F07	First Floor, By Room 120 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F07	First Floor, By Room 120 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F07	First Floor, By Room 120 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-HAL-F07	First Floor, By Room 120 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS01	First Floor, East Island Sink	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS01	First Floor, East Island Sink	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS01	First Floor, East Island Sink	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS01	First Floor, East Island Sink	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-1-KIT-KS01	First Floor, East Island Sink	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-OUT-F01	Outside, By Door 6 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.129	ppb
59215	59215-OUT-F01	Outside, By Door 6 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.129	ppb
59215	59215-OUT-F01	Outside, By Door 6 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.125	ppb
59215	59215-OUT-F01	Outside, By Door 6 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.128	ppb
59215	59215-OUT-F01	Outside, By Door 6 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.139	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F05	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F05	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F05	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F05	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F05	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F06	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F06	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F06	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F06	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F06	Second Floor - Across From Room 200F - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F03	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F03	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F03	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F03	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F04	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F04	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F04	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F04	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb



Facility ID	Fixture Code	Fixture Location	Draw Type	Collected On	Result	UOM
59215	59215-2-HAL-F04	Second Floor - Across From Room 217 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F01	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F01	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F01	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F01	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F01	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.130	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F02	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F02	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F02	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F02	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-HAL-F02	Second Floor - Across from Room 238 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-200B-S07	Second Floor - Room 200B	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.240	ppb
59215	59215-2-200B-S07	Second Floor - Room 200B	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.192	ppb
59215	59215-2-200B-S07	Second Floor - Room 200B	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.867	ppb
59215	59215-2-200B-S07	Second Floor - Room 200B	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-2-200B-S07	Second Floor - Room 200B	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.339	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F01	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F01	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F01	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F01	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F01	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F02	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F02	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F02	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F02	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F02	Third Floor - Across From Room 317 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F03	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.179	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F03	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F03	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.128	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F03	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Left	Flush180	03-NOV-16	1.000	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F03	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Left	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.509	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F04	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.130	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F04	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.130	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F04	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.129	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F04	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Right	Flush180	03-NOV-16	0.129	ppb
59215	59215-3-HAL-F04	Third Floor - Across From Room 338 - Right	Initial	03-NOV-16	0.127	ppb

