



November 7, 2016

Dear CPS family,

In light of national events that have brought increased attention to the issue of water quality, the City of Chicago announced several additional precautionary measures that will be added to the City's water testing protocol, continuing the City's track record of complying with current state and federal regulations as well as exceeding industry standards.

As part of this announcement, Chicago Public Schools (CPS) began testing the water for levels of lead 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. Schools are being tested based on a priority criteria that includes the age of the school, age of the students (with priority given to schools with pre-K programs), presence of a kitchen (where meals are prepared) and presence of pipes that could need repairs or replacement.

The results of all the schools are coming in on a rolling basis, and the majority have had levels under the EPA's action level of 15 parts per billion (ppb). We wanted to let you know that no lead was found above the action level in your child's school. The full results of your school's water samples can be found online at cps.edu/leadtesting.

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 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,

Forrest Claypool
CEO, Chicago Public Schools

Dr. Julie Morita
Commissioner, Chicago Department of Public Health





Estimadas familias de CPS,

Ante los eventos nacionales que han incrementado la atención en el tema de la calidad del agua, la Alcaldía de Chicago anunció varias medidas adicionales de precaución que serán agregadas al protocolo de prueba del agua de la ciudad, continuando con el cumplimiento de las regulaciones estatales y federales, que exceden los estándares industriales.

Como parte de este anuncio, las Escuelas Públicas de Chicago (CPS) comenzaron a medir los niveles de plomo en el agua de todas las escuelas del distrito. Nuestra principal prioridad es la salud y seguridad de todos nuestros estudiantes y personal, y estas pruebas fueron iniciadas solamente para extremar las precauciones y estar seguros de que el agua es segura. Las escuelas son examinadas con base a un criterio de prioridad que incluye la antigüedad del edificio, edad de los estudiantes (con prioridad para las escuelas con programas preescolares), presencia de una cocina (donde se preparan alimentos) y la presencia de cañerías que necesiten reparación o reemplazo.

Los resultados de todas las escuelas se están conociendo, y la mayoría ha registrado niveles por debajo del nivel de acción de la EPA, que es de 15 partículas por billón (ppb). Queremos hacerles saber que no se encontraron rastros de plomo por encima del nivel de acción en la escuela de su niño. Los resultados completos de las pruebas en su escuela se pueden ver en línea en cps.edu/leadtesting.

Los lineamientos federales indican que los niños menores de seis años son los que corren mayores riesgos con la exposición al plomo, algo que puede ocurrir de varias fuentes, incluyendo pintura, tierra y algunos productos de consumo. Si están preocupados por la posible exposición de su hijo al plomo, el Departamento de Salud Pública de la ciudad de Chicago (CDPH) recomienda visitar a su pediatra o a alguno de los centros de salud listados en el material adjunto, para una prueba. Además, la línea directa del CDPH puede responder cualquier pregunta que tengan, o ayudarlos a decidir si su niño debe ser examinado; por preguntas o más información, llame por favor al 312-747-5323. Por información adicional sobre el plomo y los niños, visite www.cdc.gov/lead.

La seguridad de sus hijos es nuestra principal prioridad, y hacemos todo lo que está en nuestro poder para resolver esta situación de una manera rápida y rigurosa. Continuaremos informándoles sobre este proceso.

Atentamente,

Forrest Claypool
CEO, Escuelas Públicas de Chicago

Dra. Julie Morita, Comisionada
Departamento de Salud Pública de Chicago





School Lead Water Testing - Data Collection Form

School Short Name **Uplift HS**
Date of test 10/14/16

School Short Name	Facility ID	Sample ID #	Sample Location	Sample Collection Time & Date	Test Result (ppb)	Test Results
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F01-001	Annex- Outside Room P108, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	7.88	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F01-002	Annex- Outside Room P108, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.05	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F01-003	Annex- Outside Room P108, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.06	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F01-004	Annex- Outside Room P108, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.548	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F01-005	Annex- Outside Room P108, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.613	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F02-001	Annex- Outside Room P108, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.747	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F02-002	Annex- Outside Room P108, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.593	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F02-003	Annex- Outside Room P108, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.352	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F02-004	Annex- Outside Room P108, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.299	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F02-005	Annex- Outside Room P108, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.299	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F03-001	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F03-002	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F03-003	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F03-004	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F03-005	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F04-001	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F04-002	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F04-003	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F04-004	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F04-005	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Womens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F05-001	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.409	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F05-002	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.27	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F05-003	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.267	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F05-004	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.253	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F05-005	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.262	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F06-001	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.189	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F06-002	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.221	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F06-003	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.218	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F06-004	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.223	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-HAL-F06-005	Annex- 1st Floor Outside Mens Restroom, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.222	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-POOL-F07-001	Annex- Pool Area, Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.771	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-POOL-F07-002	Annex- Pool Area, Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.493	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-POOL-F07-003	Annex- Pool Area, Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.411	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-POOL-F07-004	Annex- Pool Area, Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.382	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-1-POOL-F07-005	Annex- Pool Area, Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.374	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F01-001	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.39	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F01-002	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.18	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F01-003	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.21	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F01-004	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.47	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F01-005	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.24	BA

Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F02-001	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	2.95	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F02-002	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.33	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F02-003	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.51	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F02-004	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.05	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-HAL-F02-005	Annex- Outside Locker Rooms, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.706	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F03-001	Annex- Boys Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.222	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F03-002	Annex- Boys Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.145	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F03-003	Annex- Boys Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.163	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F03-004	Annex- Boys Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.2	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F03-005	Annex- Boys Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.225	BA
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F05-001	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F05-002	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F05-003	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F05-004	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F05-005	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F06-001	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F06-002	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F06-003	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F06-004	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	52495	52495-2-LOC-F06-005	Annex- Girls Locker Room, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS01-001	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.03	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS01-002	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.563	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS01-003	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.38	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS01-004	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.211	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS01-005	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.237	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS02-001	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Center Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.533	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS02-002	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Center Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.512	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS02-003	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Center Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS02-004	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Center Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS02-005	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Center Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS03-001	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.442	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS03-002	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.429	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS03-003	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS03-004	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-KIT-KS03-005	Main- Kitchen, 3-Basin, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F04-001	Main- House C Commons, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	2.02	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F04-002	Main- House C Commons, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.688	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F04-003	Main- House C Commons, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.35	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F04-004	Main- House C Commons, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.178	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F04-005	Main- House C Commons, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.4	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F05-001	Main- House C Commons, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.256	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F05-002	Main- House C Commons, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.222	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F05-003	Main- House C Commons, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.239	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F05-004	Main- House C Commons, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.304	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F05-005	Main- House C Commons, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.205	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F06-001	Main- Oustide Room B101, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.16	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F06-002	Main- Oustide Room B101, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.1	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F06-003	Main- Oustide Room B101, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.21	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F06-004	Main- Oustide Room B101, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.37	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F06-005	Main- Oustide Room B101, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.964	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F07-001	Main- Oustide Room B101, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.846	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F07-002	Main- Oustide Room B101, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.09	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-1-HAL-F07-003	Main- Oustide Room B101, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.854	BA

Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F04-002	Main- Oustide Room C332, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.378	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F04-003	Main- Oustide Room C332, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.258	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F04-004	Main- Oustide Room C332, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.275	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F04-005	Main- Oustide Room C332, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.259	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F05-001	Main- Oustide Room B300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F05-002	Main- Oustide Room B300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.131	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F05-003	Main- Oustide Room B300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.157	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F05-004	Main- Oustide Room B300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.157	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F05-005	Main- Oustide Room B300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.159	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F06-001	Main- Oustide Room B300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	<0.120	ND
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F06-002	Main- Oustide Room B300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.192	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F06-003	Main- Oustide Room B300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.223	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F06-004	Main- Oustide Room B300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.264	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F06-005	Main- Oustide Room B300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.288	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F07-001	Main- Oustide Room A300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.289	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F07-002	Main- Oustide Room A300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.326	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F07-003	Main- Oustide Room A300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.321	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F07-004	Main- Oustide Room A300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.331	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F07-005	Main- Oustide Room A300, Left Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.343	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F08-001	Main- Oustide Room A300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.305	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F08-002	Main- Oustide Room A300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.332	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F08-003	Main- Oustide Room A300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.351	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F08-004	Main- Oustide Room A300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.333	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-HAL-F08-005	Main- Oustide Room A300, Right Fountain	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.324	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S09-001	Main- Inside Room 301, South Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.14	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S09-002	Main- Inside Room 301, South Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.15	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S09-003	Main- Inside Room 301, South Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.722	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S09-004	Main- Inside Room 301, South Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.765	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S09-005	Main- Inside Room 301, South Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.991	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S10-001	Main- Inside Room 301, West Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.715	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S10-002	Main- Inside Room 301, West Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	1.65	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S10-003	Main- Inside Room 301, West Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.601	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S10-004	Main- Inside Room 301, West Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.346	BA
Uplift HS	51066	51066-3-301-S10-005	Main- Inside Room 301, West Wall, Sink	10/14/16 6:00 AM	0.231	BA

SPREADSHEET LEGEND

ND-Not Detected at the Reporting Limit

BA-Below EPA Action Level of 15 ppb

AA-Above EPA Action Level

Chicago Public Schools - Department of Facility Operations