

June 29, 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



29 de junio de 2016

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 Name Eli Whitney

Sample ID #	Sample Location	Sample Collection Time & Date	Test Result (ppb)	Test Resu
51282-B-S-S01-001	Main- Basement Kitchen Southwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.733	BA
51282-B-S-S01-002 51282-B-S-S01-003	Main- Basement Kitchen Southwall, Sink Main- Basement Kitchen Southwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.902 0.58	BA
51282-B-S-S01-003	Main- Basement Kitchen Southwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.386	BA BA
51282-B-S-S01-004	Main- Basement Kitchen Southwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.328	
51282-B-SE-F02-001	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.56	BA BA
1282-B-SE-F02-001	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.50	BA BA
51282-B-SE-F02-003	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.63	BA RA
51282-B-SE-F02-004	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.55	BA
51282-B-SE-F02-005	Main- Basement Inside Room B18. Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.44	RΔ
51282-B-SE-F03-001	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	3.16	BA
51282-B-SE-F03-002	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.69	RΔ
51282-B-SE-F03-003	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.34	BA
51282-B-SE-F03-004	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.55	BA
51282-B-SE-F03-005	Main- Basement Inside Room B18, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.24	BA
51282-B-N-F05-001	Main- Basement Next to Room 001, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.36	BA
51282-B-N-F05-002	Main- Basement Next to Room 001, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.55	BA
51282-B-N-F05-003	Main- Basement Next to Room 001, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.46	BA
51282-B-N-F05-004	Main- Basement Next to Room 001, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.61	BA
51282-B-N-F05-005	Main- Basement Next to Room 001, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.94	BA
51282-1-S-F02-001	Main- Next to Room 108 South Corridor, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.262	BA
51282-1-S-F02-002	Main- Next to Room 108 South Corridor, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.208	BA
51282-1-S-F02-003	Main- Next to Room 108 South Corridor, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.677	BA
51282-1-S-F02-004	Main- Next to Room 108 South Corridor, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.796	BA
51282-1-S-F02-005	Main- Next to Room 108 South Corridor, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.873	BA
51282-2-N-F01-001	Main- 2nd Fl North Corridor Next to Room 204, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.269	BA
51282-2-N-F01-002	Main- 2nd FI North Corridor Next to Room 204, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.34	BA
51282-2-N-F01-003	Main- 2nd FI North Corridor Next to Room 204, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.92	BA
51282-2-N-F01-004	Main- 2nd FI North Corridor Next to Room 204, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.455	BA
51282-2-N-F01-005	Main- 2nd Fl North Corridor Next to Room 204, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.481	BA
51282-2-S-F02-001	Main- 2nd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 208, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.08	BA
51282-2-S-F02-002	Main- 2nd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 208, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.76	BA
51282-2-S-F02-003	Main- 2nd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 208, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.71	BA
51282-2-S-F02-004	Main- 2nd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 208, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.64	BA RA
51282-2-S-F02-005	Main- 2nd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 208, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM		
51282-3-N-F01-001	Main- North Corridor Outside Room 304, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.593	BA
51282-3-N-F01-002	Main- North Corridor Outside Room 304, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.849	BA
51282-3-N-F01-003	Main- North Corridor Outside Room 304, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.411	BA
51282-3-N-F01-004	Main- North Corridor Outside Room 304, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.964	BA
51282-3-N-F01-005	Main- North Corridor Outside Room 304, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.94	BA BA
51282-3-S-F02-001 51282-3-S-F02-002	Main- 3rd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 308, Fountain Main- 3rd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 308, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.871 2.92	BA BA
51282-3-S-F02-003	Main- 3rd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 308, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.18	BA BA
51282-3-S-F02-004	Main- 3rd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 308, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.31	BA
51282-3-S-F02-005	Main- 3rd Fl. South Corridor Outside Room 308, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.82	BA
59845-1-N-S01-001	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.382	BA
59845-1-N-S01-002	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-N-S01-003	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-N-S01-004	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-N-S01-005	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-N-F02-001	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.134	BA
59845-1-N-F02-002	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.151	BA
59845-1-N-F02-003	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.2	BA
59845-1-N-F02-004	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.153	BA
59845-1-N-F02-005	Annex- Kitchen Northwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.134	BA
59845-1-C-S03-001	Annex- Kitchen Center, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.429	BA
59845-1-C-S03-002	Annex- Kitchen Center, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.528	BA
59845-1-C-S03-003	Annex- Kitchen Center, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.82	BA
59845-1-C-S03-004	Annex- Kitchen Center, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.371	BA
59845-1-C-S03-005	Annex- Kitchen Center, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.544	BA
59845-1-E-F04-001	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F04-002	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F04-003	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F04-004	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F04-005	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F05-001	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F05-002	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F05-003	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F05-004	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-E-F05-005	Annex- Outside Kitchen/ LunchRoom, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F06-001	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F06-002	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F06-003	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F06-004	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F08-005	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 1	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F07-001	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F07-002	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM 6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F07-003	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 2		<0.120	ND
59845-1-W-F07-004	Annex- Across from Room 114, Fountain 2	6/4/16 5:00 AM	< 0.120	ND

59845-1-E-S08-001	Annex- Inside Room 114 Kindergarden, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.131	BA
59845-1-E-S08-002	Annex- Inside Room 114 Kindergarden, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.153	BA
59845-1-E-S08-003	Annex- Inside Room 114 Kindergarden, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.314	BA
59845-1-E-S08-004	Annex- Inside Room 114 Kindergarden, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	2.22	BA
59845-1-E-S08-005	Annex- Inside Room 114 Kindergarden, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.125	BA
59845-1-E-F09-001	Annex- Inside Room 114 Eastwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.144	BA
59845-1-E-F09-002	Annex- Inside Room 114 Eastwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.225	BA
59845-1-E-F09-003	Annex- Inside Room 114 Eastwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.231	BA
59845-1-E-F09-004	Annex- Inside Room 114 Eastwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.555	BA
59845-1-E-F09-005	Annex- Inside Room 114 Eastwall, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.129	BA
59845-1-E-S10-001	Annex- Inside Room 113, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.155	BA
59845-1-E-S10-002	Annex- Inside Room 113, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.163	BA
59845-1-E-S10-003	Annex- Inside Room 113, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.192	BA
59845-1-E-S10-004	Annex- Inside Room 113, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.564	BA
59845-1-E-S10-005	Annex- Inside Room 113, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.137	BA
59845-1-E-F11-001	Annex- Inside Room 113, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.24	BA
59845-1-E-F11-002	Annex- Inside Room 113, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.781	BA
59845-1-E-F11-003	Annex- Inside Room 113, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.936	BA
59845-1-E-F11-004	Annex- Inside Room 113, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	5.41	BA
59845-1-E-F11-005	Annex- Inside Room 113, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	1.72	BA
59845-2-W-F02-001	Annex- Across Room 213, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-2-W-F02-002	Annex- Across Room 213, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-2-W-F02-003	Annex- Across Room 213, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-2-W-F02-004	Annex- Across Room 213, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
59845-2-W-F02-005	Annex- Across Room 213, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
53890-1-S-F01-001	Modular 1- South Entry Door, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
53890-1-S-F01-002	Modular 1- South Entry Door, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
53890-1-S-F01-003	Modular 1- South Entry Door, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.179	BA
53890-1-S-F01-004	Modular 1- South Entry Door, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.252	BA
53890-1-S-F01-005	Modular 1- South Entry Door, Fountain	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.23	BA
50002-1-W-S01-001	Modular 2- Westwall Inside M1 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-W-S01-002	Modular 2- Westwall Inside M1 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	< 0.120	ND
50002-1-W-S01-003	Modular 2- Westwall Inside M1 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-W-S01-004	Modular 2- Westwall Inside M1 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	0.177	BA
50002-1-W-S01-005	Modular 2- Westwall Inside M1 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-E-S02-001	Modular 2- Eastwall Inside M2 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-E-S02-002	Modular 2- Eastwall Inside M2 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-E-S02-003	Modular 2- Eastwall Inside M2 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND.
50002-1-E-S02-004	Modular 2- Eastwall Inside M2 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND
50002-1-E-S02-005	Modular 2- Eastwall Inside M2 Classroom, Sink	6/4/16 5:00 AM	<0.120	ND.

EPA ACTION LEVEL FOR LEAD IS 15 ppb or 15 μg/L

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