



Performance Note
HB0259 - Lead Exposure
Education and Testing
Amendments
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Performance Note Report

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Agency: Department of Health

Funding For:

New Services or Benefit

Public Benefit:

Purpose: To conduct a public education program informing parents of children who are two years old or younger regarding the effects of lead exposure to children, including the availability of free screening and other preventative measures.

Services: The creation and upkeep of physical and digital educational materials and distribution of these materials to organizations that routinely provide care to children five years old or younger.

Expected Outcome: Greater awareness amongst parents of the effects of lead exposure to children, how to spot the effects, and where to seek help.

Implementations and Resources: Updating and increasing the number of available educational materials; sending materials to parents of children under two years old through organizations serving these parents; and distributing educational materials to parents through organizations that routinely provide care to children five years old or younger.

How: Increased awareness among parents and providers of the risk factors and an increase in testing.

Performance Measures

Goal

Title: Educational Materials

Description: Update and increase the number of available educational materials. Eight to ten new types of materials created for the demographic or organization that will be using them, such as HUD programs, local health departments, Medicaid, physicians organizations, health clinics, hospitals, Blood Lead Coalition, Baby Your Baby, Child Care Licensing (daycare centers), asthma programs, paint stores and home improvement stores, child/pregnancy program (UDOH), Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, lead industries/occupations to help educate.

Collection Method: Materials are sent if requested, or referred to the website. Three pamphlets currently created by UDOH. Extra information: only available on the website or printed as needed. Five to ten requests for information per month from physicians, local health departments, and the public.

| | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
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| Target | 0.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 |
| Baseline | 3.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

Goal

Title: Distribution of Materials to Providers

Description: Actively send materials to parents of children under two years old through organizations serving these parents. Distribute educational materials to parents through organizations that routinely provide care to children five years old or younger. Coordinate distribution with eight to ten organizations, including HUD programs, local health departments, Medicaid, physicians organizations, health clinics, hospitals, Blood Lead Coalition, Baby Your Baby, Child Care Licensing (daycare centers), asthma programs, paint stores and home improvement stores, child/pregnancy program (UDOH), Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, lead industries/occupations to help educate.

Collection Method: Tracking the number of providers being sent materials, and how much. Following up with providers by asking how materials are received and how often they will need more materials.

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| Target | 0.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 |
| Baseline | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

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