

The Lead Primary Prevention Pilot: An Innovative Approach

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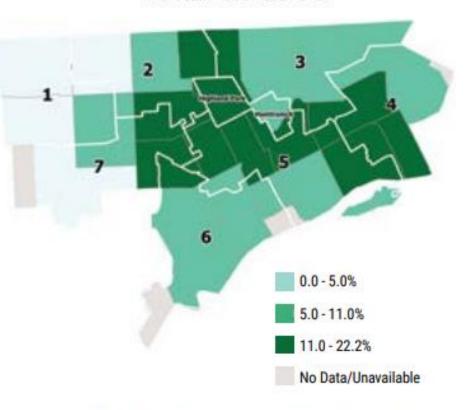
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The Need



- 1946 is the median house age in Detroit¹
- 9% of Detroit children have elevated blood lead levels compared with 4% statewide²

Percent of Children Under Age 6 with Elevated Blood Lead Level



Source: Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (2016)

Target Area

Door to door canvassing attempt in top five zip codes in Detroit with highest rates of childhood lead poisoning, including:

- 48202
- 48204
- 48206
- 48213
- 48214

Target Population



- Families with children under six years old living in or visiting the home
- Homes with pregnant women

The Lead Pilot





Services delivered by Lead Advocates include:

- Education
- Capillary blood lead level testing
- Four lead paint swabs in home
- Visual assessment
- Lead safe cleaning kit
- Referral to home abatement program

The Lead Pilot





The Team

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- Project Manager
- Field Supervisor
- Lead Advocates
- Social Worker
- Nurse Case Managers



Community Outreach



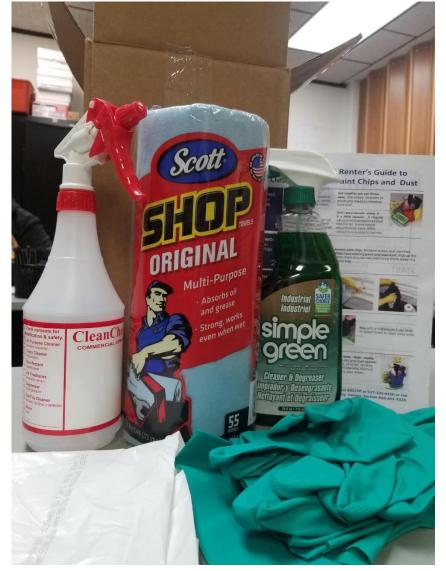
- Attend neighborhood meetings
- Attend health fairs
- Targeted mailings



Lead Safe Cleaning Kits

Included in kit:

- Instructions
- 2-pairs of disposable cleaning gloves
- 1-24oz of Simple Green all-purpose cleaner
- 1-spray bottle with measurements
- 1-rolls of Scott Shop disposable towels (55 wipes per roll)
- 1-garbage bag





Cleaning Kit Distribution

- Families are interested but hesitant
- Provide demo
- Utilize "driver method" to distribute







Intervention

Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP)

Segment

- 0-6 years
- Pregnant women

Target

- Children with elevated blood lead levels
- Universal Testing Policy



Position

- Nurse and Advocate home visits (Educate, Assess, Coordinate)
- Leverage collaborative partners to deliver services
- Communicate with Providers
- Testing children (Head Starts, Health Fairs, Primary Prevention Pilot, Immunizations Clinic, WIC)

CHILDHOOD LEAD PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION

Program Description: The lead program provides in-home nurse case management, assessment and follow-up, to children, living in the City of Detroit, under the age of 6, with an elevated blood lead levels. Case management includes coordination with primary care providers and Medicaid Health Plans. In addition to case management, services include education, in the home, in person, at another location, and/or by telephone, on the following; lead safe cleaning methods, temporary barriers to possible lead hazards, nutrition, visual assessment of potential lead hazards in the child's home and help with application to the Lead Safe Home Program.



Logic Model – Childhood Lead Prevention and Intervention

SWOT: Lead Prevention and Intervention Program





Strengths

Effective communication

Years of experience

Good rapport with the state consultant and regionally Strong partnerships

Trust, great relationships, passionate team members Data, Structure, Quality improvement

Transparency

Flexible team

Family engagement

Leadership (team)

Opportunities

Strengthening and expanding partnerships Cross training team members

Increase funding

Better efficiency (Documentation and reporting)

Professional development/conferences,

presentation

Funding

Instability

Safety

Leadership – national, local

Having lead classified as an essential PH service

Screening for lead in schools

Lead awareness/education

Fee for service structure

Environmental cost

October – big opportunity for lead outreach

Collaboration with DHD Immunization Program



Weaknesses

Mismatch between staff capacity and community need Surveillance data for planning and evaluation

Threats

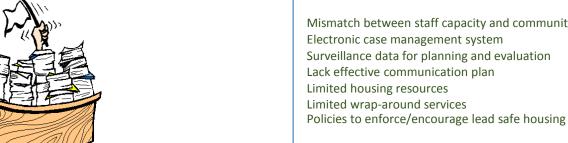
Limited prevention or testing funds

Poor conditions of old houses/Blight

Lack of strong enforcement execution

Societal cost/poisoning future generations

Number of children with EBLLs









Care Coordination Referrals

BLL $4.5-9 \mu g/dL$

BLL 10-19µg/dL

DWSD

BLL 40+ μg/dL

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Case Conference with CHM, PCP, MHP, MDHHS or HRD, DHD

MDHHS LSHP/ City Wide

Early On (Hospital may have already initiated referral)/Project Find/LENA Start

DWMHA Infant Mental Health

DWSD

BSEED (if renting only)

*CPS if child neglect or abuse is suspected

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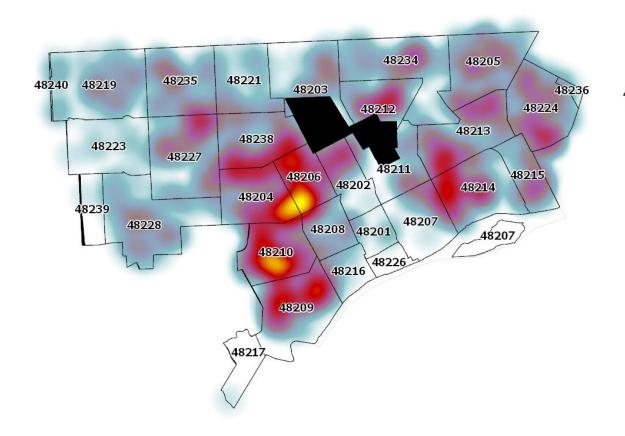
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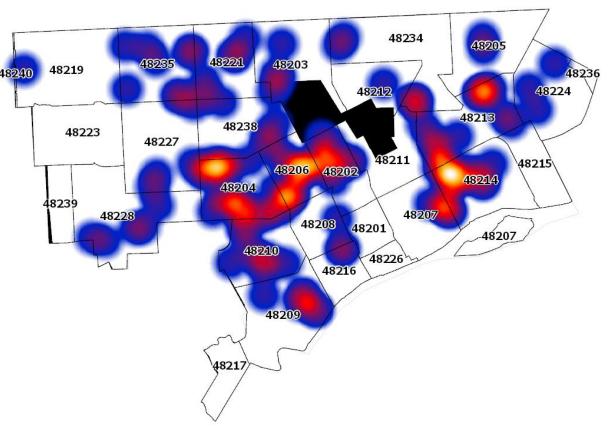
DWMHA Infant Mental Health

Prevalence of Lead Poisoning in the City of Detroit

Case Management Q1-3









Testing in Detroit Public School Community District

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Promoting Universal Testing

Prenatal Lead
Testing and
Education

Partners Share Data to Meet the Following Goals:

- 1) Describe a child & their family's needs related to lead poisoning.
 - 2) Intervene more effectively & efficiently through collaboration.





Partnerships





Housing and Revitalization Department



