
From: Peeler, Nancy (DHHS)
Sent: Monday, January 04, 2016 12:08 PM
To: Brewer-Walraven, Lisa (MDE)
Subject: RE: Michigan News: LEAD

Good morning --

1. A good resource to share with your providers is www.michigan.gov/flintwater. There are resources being posted at that website that they can use. Some are being edited so there is another version with a lower reading level -- that work is underway.
2. State and local partners have been working together to make sure water filters/filter replacements are available to families who are on the Flint water system. It is a good idea to continue to remind your providers to continue to use the filters, and how to obtain filter replacements. I believe we have some messaging materials about that already on the website I listed above, that you could utilize if you like. Also about how to change the filter cartridges.
3. The Genesee County Health Department (GCHD) is offering case management services for all children identified with elevated blood lead levels. Your providers could encourage families to take advantage of those services if their child has had an elevated blood lead level based on a blood test. GCHD has a list of all children with elevated levels, and is contacting each family. GCHD also has some good resources for families that providers could use.
4. Our Administration is in the process of putting together a chart of existing follow-up services that can help mitigate/address the impact of lead exposure, and we included high quality child care on that list. I had understood that there is (or will be) some sort of communication from Sue Moran to Susan Broman about this? Not sure since this is being coordinated by Rashmi and Sue -- but more to come.

If you have other more specific questions, let me know, happy to share or help you find things.

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Nancy and Mark -

Other than offering the water filters I haven't been involved in the efforts, so I'd appreciate an effort on what has been done so I can report back to the Office of Child Care.

Thanks.
 Lisa

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Good morning Lisa;

Has your office addressed this issue with CCDF providers/families?

Thanks,

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