RHODE ISLAND'S Lead Hazard Mitigation Act

A LOOK AT PROPERTIES IN RI'S URBAN CORE

Properties below include single-family, apartment, multi-family, and mixed use only

- 94% properties built before 1978
- 6% properties built after 1978 and shouldn't contain lead paint

31% REQUIRED to comply
- Non owner-occupied 1-, 2-, or 3-family
- Properties with 4+ units

69% NOT REQUIRED to comply
- Owner-occupied
- 1-, 2-, or 3-family

51,504 PROPERTIES
16,043 Properties
35,461 Properties

Are these REQUIRED properties compliant?

80% DID NOT COMPLY by 2009
12,788 PROPERTIES
- 7,670 Multi-family
- 3,174 Single-family
- 1,049 Mixed use
- 895 Apartment

20% COMPLIED by 2009

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A LOOK AT CHILDREN LIVING IN RI’S URBAN CORE

Kids 6 years old & under, living in pre-1978 properties and screened for lead between 2005 & 2009

49% or 16,051 living in properties REQUIRED to comply

51% or 17,007 living in properties NOT REQUIRED to comply

Are these kids living in compliant properties?

NO

63% or 10,122 living in NON-COMPLIANT properties

YES

37% or 5,929 living in COMPLIANT properties

# of kids with Elevated Blood Lead Levels (EBLL)

4,284 with EBLL

3,693 with EBLL

7,977 total kids with Elevated Blood Lead Levels of 5 μg/dL or greater* by 2009