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# NEWS YOU CAN USE

from the  
Committee on Environmental Health

CHAPTERS 2 AND 3, NEW YORK STATE AAP

## Where Lead Lurks And Why Even Small Amounts Matter

A recent story that aired on NPR Radio

<http://www.npr.org/sections/health-shots/2016/08/12/483079525/where-lead-lurks-and-why-even-small-amounts-matter>

### Interested?

Learn more about Children's Environmental Health! Get to know other interested pediatricians, collaborate on workshops for national conferences, policy statements and other initiatives, and help reduce children's toxic exposures by joining the Council on Environmental Health at [www.aap.org](http://www.aap.org).

## NYC Water and Lead A New Resource

From colleagues at Mt. Sinai:

Information about the NYC watershed, the safety of NY water, and the risks of lead.

<http://tceee.icahn.mssm.edu/lead-resource-page/>

## Governor Cuomo Signs Landmark Legislation to Test Drinking Water in New York Schools for Lead Contamination

*New York will be the first state to complete lead testing in all school districts by the end of 2016.*

<https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/governor-cuomo-signs-landmark->

## EPA Children's Environmental Health Letter

Sign up at:  
<https://www.epa.gov/children/childrens-health-listserv>

AAP Policy  
Statement:  
*Prevention of  
Childhood Lead  
Toxicity* (June  
2016)

<http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/early/2016/06/16/peds.2016-1493>

WHO Report:  
*Preventing  
disease through  
healthy  
environments*

*A global assessment of the burden of disease from the environment.*

[http://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/10665/204585/1/9789241565196\\_eng.pdf?ua=1](http://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/10665/204585/1/9789241565196_eng.pdf?ua=1)