



Keep Your Home Lead-Safe!

Together, We Can Make Homes Safer!

ACCGov's Housing and Community Development Department was awarded a **Lead Hazard Reduction Capacity Building Grant** from HUD's Office of Lead Hazard Control and Healthy Homes to support a healthier, stronger Athens-Clarke County.

Lead hazards can be harmful — but the good news is lead poisoning is preventable.



The most common source? Lead-based paint in homes built before 1978.



Even small amounts of lead can affect a child's growth, learning, and behavior especially in children 6 and under.



Pregnant and nursing women are vulnerable to lead exposure, which can harm both maternal health and a baby's development before and after birth.

Protect Your Family from Lead Hazards

The LHRCB Program will reduce lead hazards in our community by:

- Raising awareness about lead hazards
- Connecting families to existing resources
- Increasing lead professionals in our area by offering training & certifications
- Partnering with local organizations and contractors
- Identifying and reducing risks in homes
- Build capacity for future lead hazard reduction efforts

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