



Lead Hazard Control Program

Shelby County Department of Housing
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If your home was built before 1978, if a child under six (6) years old resides in your home and/or spends any time at your home, that child may be exposed to lead-based paint hazards and at risk of becoming lead poisoned. The Shelby County Department of Housing (SCHD) Lead Hazard Control Program provides free assistance to homeowners who want to protect themselves and their family from lead-based paint hazards. The Shelby County Department of Housing utilizes funds from a federal grant to address lead hazards.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE:

In most cases, the Lead Hazard Control Program assists homeowners' who can meet the following qualifications:

- ✓ The property must be in Shelby County, Tennessee and must be owner-occupied.
- ✓ Child/children under six (6) years old must live or spend time at the home.
- ✓ Homeowners must meet HUD income requirements:

Current income level:

1 Person	\$43,050	2 Persons	\$49,200
3 Persons	\$55,350	4 Persons	\$61,450
5 Persons	\$66,400	6 Persons	\$71,300
7 Persons	\$76,200	8 Persons	\$81,150

Shelby County Department of Housing reviews and approves applications for assistance on a first come/first served basis.

HOW TO APPLY FOR ASSISTANCE:

To apply for assistance, *simply complete the attached application for the Lead Hazard Control Program. Be sure all questions are answered and the requested REQUIRED documentation is returned with the application.*

Homeowner, Landlord, or Renter: Take advantage of free assistance provided by the Lead Hazard Control Program. A blood test requires only a few minutes and provides parents a way of monitoring their child's blood lead levels. For additional information about lead poisoning and/or the Lead Hazard Control Program contact Antoinette Knowlton with the Shelby County Department of Housing Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM at (901) 222 – 7605.