# ALLEGHENY COUNTY LEAD SAFE HOMES PROGRAM



**FREE** home repairs to keep families safe from lead paint.\*

# Why apply?

Lead is a common ingredient in household paint in homes built before 1978. **NO level of lead is safe**. It is toxic to humans, especially young children. Even low levels can cause **IQ loss**, behavioral problems, developmental delays, and other health issues.

## What does the program do?

- 1. Tests homes for lead
- 2. **Removes, replaces, or covers** all areas in a home with damaged lead paint.
  - Repairing and repainting chipping and peeling lead painted surfaces
  - Window and door repair or replacement
  - Covering lead paint on the outside

## **Apply today!**

Contact the Lead Safe Homes Hotline:

- **§** 412-227-5700
- alleghenylead@actionhousing.org
- www.alleghenycounty.us/leadsafe program

### Do you qualify?

- Are you a homeowner or renter in Allegheny County?
  - Homeowners: Does a child 5 years old or younger live with or regularly visit you? Or, does a pregnant person live with you?
  - Renters: Is your landlord willing to participate and give priority to lowincome families with young children for a period of 3 years?
- Was your home built before 1978?
- Does your household's yearly income fall below these limits?

Family Size and Pre-Tax Income	
1	\$56,700
2	\$64,800
3	\$72,900
4	\$80,950
5	\$87,450
6	\$93,950



\*Landlords required to contribute for construction work more than \$12,000 or as funding is available.