

Lead in Drinking Water – Public and Nonpublic Schools
IMPORTANT FOLLOW-UP NOTICE: MEASURES TAKEN
Eastern Technical High School

WATER SAMPLE RESULT(S)

All Maryland public and nonpublic schools are required to sample all drinking water sources for the presence of lead pursuant to the Code of Maryland Regulations. On November 4, 2022, 1 water sample was collected from Eastern Technical HS. Of these water samples, (1) had levels of lead exceeding the action level of 5 parts per billion (ppb) for lead in drinking water in school buildings. The elevated lead results from the sample(s) collected from Eastern Technical HS were as follows:

6.41 parts per billion (ppb) Tap/Culinary/Café (Eastern Inn)

ACTION LEVEL (AL)

The AL is 5 ppb for lead in drinking water in school buildings. The AL is the concentration of lead which, if exceeded, triggers required remediation.

FOLLOW-UP RESULTS

On September 6, 2023, samples were recollected from locations listed above. Samples are now below the AL of 5 ppb for these fixtures.

ACTIONS TAKEN WITH DATES

These fixtures were replaced prior to resampling. The fixtures were returned to service on September 7, 2023.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. For additional information, please contact Brendan Richardson, Supervisor, Environmental Services at 443-809-6310 or brichardson4@bcps.org.
2. For additional information about reducing lead exposure around your home/building and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's website at www.epa.gov/lead.
3. If you are concerned about exposure, contact your healthcare provider. If you do not have a healthcare provider, please contact the Baltimore County Department of Health at 410.887.3725.