

Wisconsin Blood Lead Screening Recommendations

Recommendations for Wisconsin outside the cities of Milwaukee and Racine	
Age	Recommendation
12 months <i>and</i> 24 months	<p>Ask the 4 Easy Questions (see below)</p> <p>Test if any one answer indicates a risk of exposure or the child is enrolled in Medicaid or WIC</p>
36-72 months	<p>If no record of previous test, ask the <i>4 Easy Questions</i></p> <p>Test if any one answer indicates a risk of exposure or the child is enrolled in Medicaid or WIC</p>
<p>4 Easy Questions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Does the child now live in or visit a house or building built before 1950 or have they ever in the past: (include places such as day care, home of friends, grandparents or other relatives) 2. Does the child now live in or visit a house or building built before 1978 with recent or ongoing renovations or have they ever in the past? (include places such as day care, home of friends, grandparents or other relatives) 3. Does the child have a brother, sister or playmate who has/had lead poisoning? 4. Is the child enrolled in Medicaid or WIC? 	
Recommendations for the cities of Milwaukee and Racine	
Age	Recommendation
Under 3 years	<p>Test around 12 months</p> <p>Test around 18 months</p> <p>Test around 24 months</p>
3 - 5 years	<p>Children enrolled in Medicaid, WIC or uninsured:</p> <p>Test around 36 months</p> <p>Test around 48 months</p> <p>Test around 60 months</p>
	<p>Any child:</p> <p>Test if no record of prior test</p> <p>Test if lives in house built prior to 1978 with recent or ongoing renovations</p> <p>Test if child has sibling or playmate with lead poisoning</p> <p>Test if lives in a house built before 1950 (Racine only)</p>

Screening Wisconsin Children for Lead Poisoning

