

# Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality

# LEAD TESTING

## In Schools & Child Care Facilities Drinking Water Program

### PROGRAM REPORT

-- This report will be updated quarterly with new program totals --  
Approximate Location of City of Participating Facilities.



Cities or towns with multiple participants are shown once.

For more information about the program, please visit our LWSC program website:

**LWSC Program Website**



**PROGRAM PARTICIPANTS:**

- Public Schools- 67
- Childcare, Daycare- 79
- Other Youth Facilities- 1
- Private Schools or Childcare- 0

**146**  
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS

Community Action Agency of Oklahoma City signed up 15 locations to be tested

## Program Status

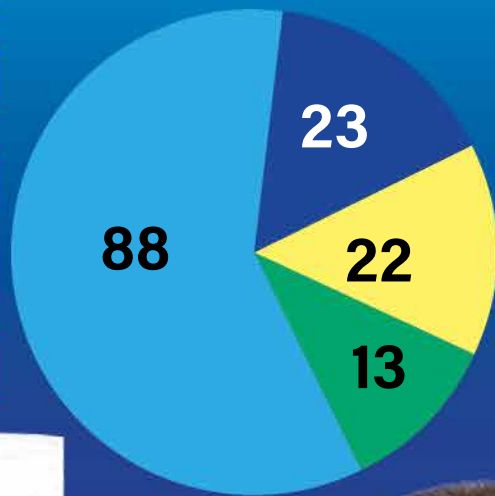
### Participation Population

Students and Staff in participating facilities:

**14,832**

Students and Staff in facilities who have remediated/reduced lead in their facility:

**9,769**



- Completed Schools, Childcares
- Remediation (Post Sample Analysis) Stage
- Inventory Completed
- Waitlist



## Site Cleanup Assistance Program

Program provided by DEQ Land Protection Division to provide funding for remediation. i.e. faucet replacement, added approved filters, water cooler replacement, etc.

### Requests for SCAP Funding: 7

**\$38,452**

**SCAP FUNDING REQUESTED TO DATE**

**192 HOURS**

Hours spent on-site at participating facilities providing technical or sampling assistance.

**3,281**

**SAMPLES COLLECTED TO DATE**



# Facility Remediations



*When lead is detected in any amount, the facility takes action to reduce the lead delivered in potable sources by any one or combination of the following.*



Replaced faucet/fixture- **95**

Replaced water cooler- **25**

Added approved filter- **5**

Plumbing repairs- **1**

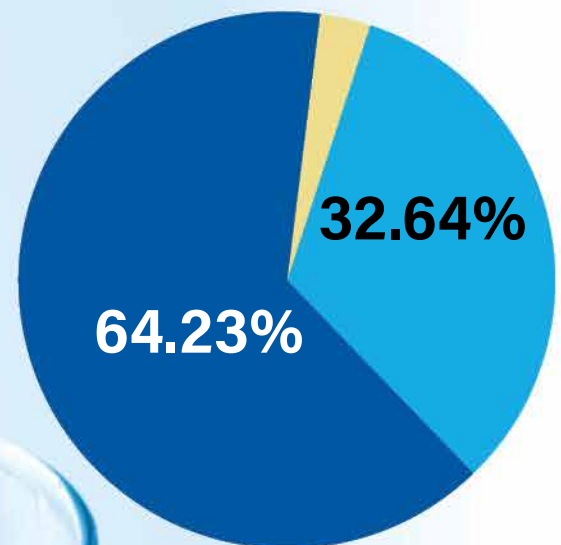
Restricted use or Removed from service- **34**

Flushing protocols, routine- **41**

Enhanced maintenance- **0**

## Sample Result Summary To Date

**3.13%**



- Lead exceedance, > 15 ppb
- Lead detected, 1-15 ppb
- Not detected, < 1 ppb



## Program Challenges

- Communication issues have arisen between DEQ and participating facilities- specifically in regards to site visits (sampling and inventory events)
- Challenge has been addressed by developing an official letter template to be sent out to schools prior to any scheduled site visit.

**TRAIN – TEST – TAKE ACTION –**

# IN THE NEWS FROM EPA:



<https://www.epa.gov/dwcapacity/wiin-grant-voluntary-school-and-child-care-lead-testing-and-reduction-grant-program>

## Services that DEQ provides to applicants to support the Lead Testing in Schools and Child Care Program:

- Application Assistance
- Inventory and Forms Assistance
- Sampling Plan and Sampling Assistance
- Sample Analysis
- Result Notifications and Technical Assistance
- Remediation Assistance
- Resampling Assistance
- Informational Program Publications and Training
- Website with program information, training materials, and all posted results from sampling events



## Facility Postings

Public Schools -	<b>29</b>
Childcare Facilities -	<b>2</b>
Other Youth Facilities -	<b>1</b>
Private School/Childcare -	<b>0</b>



## Recently Completed Facilities

**CARD Head Start-  
411 W. New Orleans St, Broken Arrow**