Childhood Lead Risk Questionnaire

Used to identify children who should be tested for lead exposure

Instructions: 1. Ask the child's parent or guardian the following questions and mark their responses.

2. If guardian answers YES or Don't Know (D/K) to any question, test the child for lead as soon as possible.

Child’s Name: __________________________________________
Date of Birth: __________ / __________ / _______ Age: _______ years
Gender (circle one): MALE FEMALE Provider’s Name: ____________________________

Please answer YES, Don't Know (D/K) or NO to the following questions:

1. Does your child live in or visit homes, day care centers or other buildings built before 1978? YES D/K NO

2. Does your child live in or visit homes, day care centers or other buildings with recent repairs or remodeling? YES D/K NO

3. Does your child eat or chew on non-food substances such as paint chips or dirt? YES D/K NO

4. Has anyone who lives in the same home as your child previously had an elevated blood lead level? YES D/K NO

5. Is your child a foreign adoptee, refugee or has your child recently travelled internationally? YES D/K NO

6. Does your child eat wild game such as moose, caribou or waterfowl that has been shot with lead bullets? YES D/K NO

7. Does your child come in contact with a person whose job or hobby includes any of the following:
   • Chemical preparation
   • Valve and pipe fittings
   • Brass/Copper foundry
   • Refining furniture
   • Making fishing weights
   • Lead smelting
   • Welding
   • House construction or repair
   • Battery manufacturing or repair
   • Burning lead-painted wood
   • Automotive repair shop or junk yard
   • Going to a firing range or reloading bullets
   • Radiator repairs
   • Pottery making

8. Does your family use foreign or traditional products such as imported pottery, health remedies, skin care creams, spices, or foods? These include:
   • Cosmetics such as kohl, surma, and sindor
   • Imported or glazed pottery, imported candy, and imported nutritional pills or vitamins
   • Traditional medicines such as ayurvedic, greta, azarcon, alarcon, alkohl, bali goli, coral, ghasard, liga, pay-loo-ah and rueda
   • Foods canned or packaged outside the U.S.

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