# FOSTERING COMPLIANCE WITH LEAD NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

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## TODAY'S OUTLINE

State of Michigan Abatement Notification Requirements

Compliance- Certification and Enforcement Unit (CEU)

Compliance-Lead Safe Home Program (LSHP)

**Lessons Learned** 

### **STATE OF MICHIGAN ABATEMENT NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

**Pre-abatement Notification** 

Lead Abatement Act Part 54A, Section 5472

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lead/Lead Abatement Act 5-2018 V.1 ADA 625581 7.pdf

#### Before beginning a lead-based paint abatement project:

The person shall send notification not less than 3 business days before commencing the lead-based paint abatement.

Promulgated Rules, Section 333.5472

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lead/Lead Hazard Control Rules 625582 7.pdf

#### Before beginning a lead-based paint abatement project:

The person shall send notification not less than 3 business days before commencing the lead-based paint abatement, including schedule changes.

Emergency notifications shall be approved in

- 1) Case of court ordered abatement
- 2) Case where MDHHS waives the requirement to protect health and safety of public OR
- 3) Case of unavoidable change in lead abatement that occurs less than 3 days before work.

### **STATE OF MICHIGAN ABATEMENT NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

**Post-abatement Notification** 

Promulgated Rules, Section 333.5472

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/lead/Lead\_Hazard\_Control\_Rules\_625582\_7.pdf

#### After completing a lead-based paint abatement project:

Certified Supervisor shall prepare lead hazard control activity report and maintain in project documentation.

#### After completing a lead-based paint identification activity:

The individual who conducts a lead-based paint investigation shall notify the department of that activity, by the fifteenth day of the month following the activity.

### **COMPLIANCE- CERTIFICATION AND ENFORCEMENT UNIT (CEU)**

### Methods to ensure compliance with notification requirement:

- Utilize notifications to perform compliance visits
- Audit community programs to collect list of projects
- Weekly email to LSHP and Community Development
- Shared data system with LSHP (MICLEAR)
- Vet LSHP data against notification records

# **COMPLIANCE- LEAD SAFE HOME PROGRAM (LSHP)**

### Methods to ensure compliance with notification requirement:

- CEU notifies LSHP with weekly notifications
- LSHP notifies CEU if job started without notification
- Shared data system with LSHP (MICLEAR)
- Vet CEU notifications against LSHP data

### **LESSONS LEARNED TO FOSTER COMPLIANCE**

- Strong Communication between:
  - Enforcement and LSHP management
  - LSHP field staff and administrative staff
  - LSHP field staff and contractors
  - Enforcement and partner programs
- Weekly (or twice weekly) emails between CEU and LSHP and Community Development.
- Make process clear for contractors.



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