

## **DC Lead Disclosure Form**

Information about Lead-Based Paint in this Property

**Purpose**: Inform potential renters and homebuyers of the presence of lead-based paint and related hazards in the property they are considering.

**Housing built before 1978 may contain lead-based paint.** Lead from paint, paint chips, and dust can be a health hazard, especially for young children and pregnant women. Owners or managers of these properties must provide information about lead-based paint in the property that they want to rent or sell. DC requires the renter or buyer to have this information **before** they decide to rent or purchase the property.

This form does not replace the Federal Lead Disclosure form. DC law provides additional protections for the renter or purchaser. A DC Lead Disclosure form is not required for properties built in 1978 or later.

## Are you a POTENTIAL TENANT or BUYER?

Review this page carefully before following instructions on page two.

## Are you a PROPERTY OWNER or MANAGER?

You will need the following information to complete this form:

- Copies of any lead-based paint reports, assessments, or surveys related to the property.
- The latest version of the EPA Protect Your Family From Lead in Your Home pamphlet.
- Knowledge about lead-contaminated dust/soil and condition of the paint on the property.
- Knowledge about any lead-based paint related legal actions taken against the property.

**Property owners and managers: keep the signed original of this form on record for at least 6 years**, as you may be audited by the DC Department of Energy and Environment.

## What to look for inside the property or in the property's common areas:

- Peeling, chipping, chalking, cracking, or damaged paint.
- Lead-based paint on windows, doors, stairs, railings, banisters, porches, or other high-wear surfaces that children might chew.
- Lead that is present in bare soil.
- Lead dust that forms when lead-based paint is scraped, sanded, or heated, or when painted surfaces with lead in them bump or rub together.
- Surfaces with lead paint chips/dust, or settled dust that reenters the air through vacuuming or sweeping.

For more information see The District of Columbia "Lead-Hazard Prevention and Elimination Act of 2008," as amended (the "Act"), D.C. Official Code § 8-231.01 et seq., and the Federal Lead Warning Statement, 24 CFR Part 35: http://bit.ly/federallead.

If you need help in your language, please call 202-535-2600. | ハh 円( ネルネ N 202-535-2600 ይደውሉ። | Si necesita ayuda en Español, por favor llame al 202-535-2600. | Si vous avez besoin d'aide en Français appelez-le 202-535-2600. | 如果您需要中文服務, 請致電 202-535-2600 | 한국어로 도움이 필요합니까? 무료 한국어통역: 202-535-2600 | Nếu quý vị cần giúp đỡ bằng tiếng Việt, xin gọi 202-535-2600.

If you are:	You need to:			
The property owner or manager	<ul><li>Complete Sections A and B.</li><li>Provide a copy to the tenant/buyer.</li></ul>			
The potential tenant or buyer	<ul><li>Carefully review Section B.</li><li>Sign Section C.</li></ul>			
SECTION A: Property Owner/Manager's Signature				
Property Address:		Unit:	Washington, DC	ZIP:
I am the (check one) a owner a manager of this property and will truthfully give the answers to the following questions about lead-based paint/hazards in or around this property.				
Owner/Manager Name:	Signature:			
SECTION B: Information About the Lead-Based Paint in this Property				
Lead-based paint is assumed to be present in properties built before 1978. To the best of your knowledge, is there peeling or chipping paint, lead-contaminated dust/soil, or other lead-based paint hazards inside or around the property? No Pres, in the following location(s): For more space attach a summary Does DC Government have any pending actions related to lead-based paint for this property?				
<ul> <li>Check all that apply</li> <li>Yes, a notice of violation</li> <li>Yes, a notice of lead-based paint hazards</li> <li>Yes, an administrative order to eliminate lead-based paint hazards</li> <li>Yes, other notices or orders related to lead-based paint. Please list:</li> <li>No</li> </ul> Are there any reports or documents about lead-based paint or hazards in or around this property? This includes reports or documents provided to you by a previous or current owner, property manager, DC Government agency, or contractor. No Yes and I understand I must provide a copy of those documents to the tenant/buyer if they ask.				
SECTION C: Tenant/Buyer's Acknowledgement				
<ul> <li>I was provided this form and the Protect Your Family from Lead in Your Home pamphlet <u>before</u> I signed a lease or purchase agreement.</li> <li>I yes I No, I have already signed a lease or purchase agreement.</li> <li>I understand I have the right to ask the owner or manager for any reports or documents about lead-based paint or hazards in or around this property.</li> </ul>				
Name:	Signatu	re:		Date: