

August 29, 2024

Mr. Clark Mathes Voorhees Township Public Schools 329 Route 73 Voorhees, New Jersey 08043

RE: Lead in Drinking Water Sampling Signal Hill Elementary School 33 Signal Hill Drive IEC Project # 2024.184.3

Dear Mr. Mathes:

Indoor Environmental Concepts, LLC (IEC) was retained by Voorhees Township Public Schools to perform testing of the drinking water outlets servicing 33 Signal Hill Drive for the presence of lead (Pb). The lead in water testing was performed pursuant to the regulations and guidance documents from the New Jersey Safe Drinking Water Act (NJAC 67:10-1 et seq.) having principal responsibility to administer the programs and activities of the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act (40 CFR 141, 142 & 143) and the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) protocols as recommended in their publication 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water in Schools, Revised Technical Guidance. The EPA developed the 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water in Schools, Revised Technical Guidance.

## **Background**

Federal studies indicate that children under the age of six are at the highest risk for harmful lead exposure, and children can be exposed to lead from a variety of sources, including drinking water, paint, soil and even some consumer products. Lead is a toxic metal that can be harmful to human health when ingested or inhaled. Even small doses of lead can be harmful. Unlike most other contaminants, lead is stored in our bones and can be later released into the bloodstream. The groups most vulnerable to lead include fetuses and young children. Drinking water and ingested dust are two likely routes of entry for lead exposure.

Even though water delivered from your community's public water supply must meet Federal and State standards for lead, a facility may have elevated concentrations of lead due to plumbing and water use patterns in the building. The physical/chemical interaction that occurs between the water and plumbing is referred to as corrosion. The extent of which corrosion occurs depends on various factors such as the lead content of the building's plumbing and piping system, water velocity, temperature, alkalinity, chlorine levels, the age and condition of plumbing, and the amount of time water is in contact with the plumbing.

Therefore, the critical issue is that even though your public water supplier may send you water that meets all Federal and State public health standards for lead, you may end up with too much lead

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in your drinking water because of the plumbing in your facility. The only way to be certain that lead is not a problem in your school building is to test various drinking water outlets (i.e., taps, bubblers, coolers, etc.) for the substance. That is why testing the water from your drinking water outlets for lead is so important.

IEC collected samples based on previous sampling reports and outlets identified during the work such as kitchen food preparation areas.

## **Lead Sampling Collection and Analytical Results**

Trained technicians collected first draw samples from designated outlets on August 8, 2024. Samples were delivered after each sampling event to a laboratory certified by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJ DEP) for analysis. The samples were collected after an 8-to-18-hour stagnation period. All samples were taken before the facility opened and before any water was used by building occupants. Where practical and feasible, samples were first collected at drinking water outlets that were as close as possible to the building water main. Cold water lines were sampled when possible. All water samples were collected in laboratory supplied, pre-cleaned 250 milliliter (mL) bottles. The bottles were labeled with a unique sample identification number and the sample location and time sampled were recorded on the chain of custody form. All samples were sealed immediately after collection and delivered to Eurofins/iATL in Mount Laurel. Analysis was performed for lead content via AAS Graphite Furnace by ASTM Method D3559-15D.

As indicated on the attached laboratory report from Eurofins/iATL, all results were below the NJAC 6A:26112.4 (e) action limit of 15  $\mu$ /L, which is equivalent to 15 ppb. Therefore, all outlets are acceptable for human consumption.

It should be noted that this sampling was performed in accordance with current guidelines. Should the guidelines change, or legislation dictate other criteria, these results may need to be reevaluated. If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide you with our services. You may contact me if you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further.

Sincerely,

Indoor Environmental Concepts, LLC

Michael P. Menz, CIH, CHMM

President





Project Name: Signal Hill E.S. File #: 2024.184 3

Laboratory: <u>Eurofins/iATL</u>

Analysis: Lead in Drinking Water ASTM D3559

Turnaround Time: X 2 week

Collected by: \_\_\_\_

Transmitted by: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Received b	y; Date:		
Sample #	Location	Fixture Type	Time sampled
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23	bottle filler acoss A.P. rook779456	₹8	7:86
64	Kitchen food prep sink 7779457	_ s	729
25	Kitchen jee maker 7779658	1W	J :30
66	(m) 22 7770459		7:32
<i>C</i> 7	rom 33 7773460	\$	7:33
C8	1773661	2	7:34
		-	7.35
<u> </u>	MUSIC room 28 7778602	2	7:37
010	room 26 7773463	5	7:38
cii	rom 27	_ <b>Z</b>	7:39
CR	chiller o/s room 27 7770405	c	7.40
43	holle filer of rom 27773408	BF	7:40
C14	Nurses office 7773687	\$	7!4/
C15	main office 7773408	2	7:4a
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CIT	100m 37	<u></u>	7:44

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Transmitted by:	Date: 8/8/24
Received by:	Date:

Sample #	Location		Fixture Type	Time sampled
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C27	room 21	7779480	5	8:01
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<u>234</u>	bottle filler "	~ 7779	βŗ	E:12

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Sample #	Loca	ation	Fixture Type	Time sampled
C36	room 10	7779483	<u> </u>	8:16
C37	Com 9	7779490	\$	8:17
C38	Foom 33	7779491		8:12
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CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

Client: Indoor Environmental Concepts, LLC

117 N Black Horse Pike Runnemede NJ 08078

Client: IND601

Report Date: 8/15/2024

Report No.: 703454 - Lead Water

Project: Signal Hill ES

Project No.: 2024.184.3

# LEAD WATER SAMPLE ANALYSIS SUMMARY

<b>Lab No.:</b> 7779454 <b>Client No.:</b> C1	<b>Location:</b> Faculty Dining * Sample acidified to pH <2.	<b>Result(ppb):</b> <1.00
Lab No.:7779455 Client No.:C2	Location: Chiller Across A.P Room  * Sample acidified to pH <2.	<b>Result(ppb):</b> <1.00
<b>Lab No.:</b> 7779456 <b>Client No.:</b> C3	Location: Bottle Filler Across A.P Rooom  * Sample acidified to pH <2.	<b>Result(ppb):</b> <1.00
Lab No.:7779457 Client No.:C4	Location: Kitchen Food Prep Sink  * Sample acidified to pH < 2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Lab No.:7779458 Client No.:C5	<b>Location:</b> Kitchen Ice Maker * Sample acidified to pH <2.	Result(ppb):<1.00
Lab No.:7779459 Client No.:C6	Location:Room 22  * Sample acidified to pH <2.	Result(ppb):1.20
Lab No.:7779460 Client No.:C7	Location: Room 23 * Sample acidified to pH <2.	<b>Result(ppb):</b> <1.00
Lab No.:7779461 Client No.:C8	Location:Room 24  * Sample acidified to pH <2.	Result(ppb):1.50
Lab No.:7779462 Client No.:C9	Location: Music Room 28  * Sample acidified to pH <2.	Result(ppb):<1.00
Lab No.:7779463 Client No.:C10	<b>Location:</b> Room 26 * Sample acidified to pH <2.	Result(ppb): 1.00

Please refer to the Appendix of this report for further information regarding your analysis.

Date Received:

8/8/2024

Date Analyzed:

08/15/2024

Signature:

Analyst: Mark Stewart

Dated: 8/15/2024 9:43:17

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## LEAD WATER SAMPLE ANALYSIS SUMMARY

Lab No.:7779464 Location: Room 27 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 Client No.:C11 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779465 Location: Chiller O/S Room 27 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Client No.:C12 Lab No.:7779466 **Location:**Bottle Filler O/S Room 27 Client No.: C13 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779467 Location: Nurses Office Client No.: C14 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779468 Location: Main Office Client No.: C15 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779469 Location: Room 38 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 Client No.:C16 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779470 Location: Room 37 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Client No.:C17 Lab No.:7779471 Location: Room 17 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 Client No.:C18 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779472 Location: Room 18 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 Client No.:C19 \* Sample acidified to pH <2. Lab No.:7779473 Location: Chiller O/S Room 18 Result(ppb):<1.00 Client No.:C20 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

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Signature: Analyst:

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LEAD WATER SAMPLE ANALYSIS SUMMARY

Lab No.:7779474 Location: Bottle Filler O/S Room 18 Result(ppb):<1.00

Client No.: C21 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

**Lab No.:**7779475 **Location:**Room 14 **Result(ppb):**<1.00

Client No.: C22 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Client No.: C23 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

**Lab No.:**7779477 **Location:**Room 20 **Result(ppb):**<1.00

Client No.: C24 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

**Lab No.:** 7779478 **Location:** Room 15 **Result(ppb):** <1.00

Client No.:C25 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Lab No.:7779479 Location: Room 16 Result(ppb): 1.10

Client No.: C26 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Lab No.:7779480Location: Room 21Result(ppb): 1.30Client No.: C27\* Sample acidified to pH < 2.</td>

Lab No.:7779481Location: Room 35Result(ppb): 1.10Client No.:C28\* Sample acidified to pH <2.</td>

Lab No.:7779482 Location: Room 34 Result(ppb): 2.00

Client No.: C29 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Lab No.:7779483 Location: Chiller O/S Room 6 Result(ppb):<1.00

Client No.: C30 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

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# LEAD WATER SAMPLE ANALYSIS SUMMARY

Lab No.:7779484	Location: Bottle Filler O/S Room 6	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.:C31	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779485	Location: Chiller Across BSIP Room Near Room 2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.:C32	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779486	Location: Bottle Diller O/S Room 2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.: C33	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779487	Location: Chiller O/S Storage Room P2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.:C34	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779488	Location: Bottle Filler Storage Room P2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.: C35	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779489	Location: Room 10	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.: C36	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
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Lab No.:7779490 Client No.:C37	Location: Room 9 * Sample acidified to pH < 2	Result(ppb):<1.00
Cheft 140C37	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779491	Location: Room 33	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.: C38	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	<b>Resun(ppb):</b> \1.00
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Lab No.:7779492	Location:Room 31	Result(ppb): 1.10
Client No.: C39	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	
Lab No.:7779493	Location: Room 30	Result(ppb):<1.00
Client No.: C40	* Sample acidified to pH <2.	11.00
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LEAD WATER SAMPLE ANALYSIS SUMMARY

Lab No.:7779494 Location: Room 4

\* Sample acidified to pH <2. Client No.: C41

> Location: Room 3 Result(ppb):<1.00

Lab No.:7779495 Client No.: C42 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Lab No.:7779496 Location: Room 2 **Result(ppb):**<1.00 \* Sample acidified to pH <2.

Client No.: C43

Lab No.:7779497 Location: Room 1

\* Sample acidified to pH <2. Client No.: C44

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# Appendix to Analytical Report:

**Customer Contact:** Lab Results **Analysis:** AAS-GF - ASTM D3559-15D

This appendix seeks to promote greater understanding of any observations, exceptions, special instructions, or circumstances that the laboratory needs to communicate to the client concerning the above samples. The information below is used to help promote your ability to make the most informed decisions for you and your customers. Please note the following points of contact for any questions you may have.

iATL Customer Service: customerservice@iatl.com iATL OfficeManager: ?wchampion@iatl.com iATL Account Representative: Shirley Clark Sample Login Notes: See Batch Sheet Attached

Sample Matrix: Water

**Exceptions Noted:** See Following Pages

### **General Terms, Warrants, Limits, Qualifiers:**

General information about iATL capabilities and client/laboratory relationships and responsibilities are spelled out in iATL policies that are listed at www.iATL.com and ir our Quality Assurance Manual per ISO 17025 standard requirements. The information therein is a representation of iATL definitions and policies for turnaround times, sample submittal, collection media, blank definitions, quantification issues and limit of detection, analytical methods and procedures, sub-contracting policies, results reporting options, fees, terms, and discounts, confidentiality, sample archival and disposal, and data interpretation.

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#### **Information Pertinent to this Report:**

Analysis by AAS Graphite Furnace:

- ASTM D3559-15D

- Certification:
- NYS-DOH No. 11021
- NJDEP No. 03863

## Note: These methods are analytically equivalent to iATL's accredited method;

- USEPA 40CFR 141.11B
- USEPA 200.9 Pb, AAS-GF, RL <2 ppb/sample
- USEPA SW 846-7421 Pb(AAS-GF, RL <2 ppb/sample)

Regulatory limit for lead in drinking water is 15.0 parts per billion as cited in EPA 40 CFR 141.11 National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, Subpart B: Maximum contaminant levels for inorganic chemicals.

All results are based on the samples as received at the lab. iATL assumes that appropriate sampling methods have been used and that the data upon which these results are based have been accurately supplied by the client.

Sample results are not corrected for contamination by field or analytical blanks.

PPB = Parts per billion. 1  $\mu$ g/L = 1 ppb MDL = 0.24 PPB Reporting Limit (RL) = 1.0 PPB

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### **Disclaimers / Qualifiers:**

There may be some samples in this project that have a "NOTE:" associated with a sample result. We use added disclaimers or qualifiers to inform the client about something that requires further explanation. Here is a complete list with highlighted disclaimers pertinent to this project. For a full explanation of these and other disclaimers, please inquire at **customerservice@iatl.com**.

Matrix spiking is performed on each client batch to determine if interferences could impact results. When spike recoveries fall out of acceptable range matrix interference is suspected and samples are diluted until acceptable spike recovery can be achieved. Reporting limits will increase by the same degree as the dilution required.

Note: Sample dilution required due to matrix interference.

Water Sample Turbidity greater than 1.0 NTU does not meet Federal and NJ State Primary & Secondary Drinking Water Standards.

\* ASTM D3559 (D) calls for the addition of acid at the time of sampling. Unless so noted on the chain of custody by the client iATL acidifies samples to a pH of <2 at least 24 hours prior to analysis.

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