



Spokane Public Schools

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Action Plan: Lead in Drinking Water

School Information

School Name(s): Chase Middle School

School District: Spokane Public School Dist 81

County: Spokane

Sampling and Testing Information

School Name	Sampling Date	Date Test Results Received	Sampling and Testing Provider
Chase MS	3/22/25	4/16/2025	Washington State Dept of Health

Testing Requirements

RCW 28A.210.410 and RCW 43.70.830 require all drinking water outlets in public schools built, or with all plumbing replaced, before 2016 be tested at least once between July 1, 2014 and June 30, 2026. Retesting shall occur at least once every five years thereafter. Drinking water sampling and testing must be done in partnership with DOH or contracted through an accredited lab.

Action Plan Requirements

If test results reveal elevated lead levels above 5 parts per billion (ppb) at any outlet used for drinking or cooking, an action plan must be developed. If your school has an existing action plan, you have the option of updating the existing plan to meet the following requirements instead of creating a new one.

Per RCW 28A.210.410, a school's action plan must meet the following requirements:

- The action plan shall be developed in consultation with DOH or your local health jurisdiction and in accordance with DOH's technical guidance.
- Consult with the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI) when seeking funding for remediation activities. The OSPI Lead in Water Remediation Grant is a potential source of funding.
- Before the action plan is officially adopted, it must be shared publicly with opportunity for public comment.
- For testing that occurred after July 25, 2021, the deadline for adopting the action plan is six months after receiving elevated lead test results.
- The action plan must include:
 - 1) **Mitigation measures** implemented since receiving elevated lead test results.
 - 2) A schedule of **remediation activities** that adhere to the technical guidance. The schedule may be based on the availability of state or federal funding for remediation activities.
 - 3) A plan for **post-remediation sampling and testing** to confirm remediation activities have reduced lead concentrations at drinking water outlets to 5 or fewer ppb.

Action Plan

Mitigation Measures

Mitigation measures are immediate (temporary or permanent) actions, such as shutting off an outlet or marking as "hand wash only," to stop access to drinking water with elevated lead concentrations. Outlets with lead concentrations exceeding 15 ppb must be shut off immediately upon receiving test results in accordance with the technical guidance.

Spokane Public Schools has identified **6** drinking water outlets with elevated lead levels requiring mitigation.

Mitigation measures have been implemented as follows:

	Sample Collection Date	Sample ID	School Name Building Name	Fixture Information	Lead Test Result (ppb)	Mitigation Measure (Indicate temporary or permanent)	Date Implemented
1)	3/22/25	403835	Chase MS	Sink faucet	24	Shut off temporary	4/17/2025
2)	3/22/25	403822	Chase MS	Pot filler/sprayer	17	Shut off temporary	4/17/2025
3)	3/22/25	403827	Chase MS	Sink faucet	11	Label "hand washing only" temporary	4/17/2025
4)	3/22/25	403832	Chase MS	Sink faucet	9	Label "hand washing only" temporary	4/17/2025
5)	3/22/25	403830	Chase MS	Sink faucet	7	Label "hand washing only" temporary	4/17/2025
6)	3/22/25	403840	Chase MS	Sink faucet	7	Label "hand washing only" temporary	4/17/2025

Remediation Schedule

Remediation activities are short-term or permanent control measures to reduce lead concentrations in drinking water to 5ppb or less. Per RCW 28A.210.410, outlets that have elevated lead levels (above 5 ppb) must be identified, remediated (if not permanently mitigated), and retested. Refer to the technical guidance for remediation options.

Spokane Public Schools has identified 6 drinking water outlets with elevated lead levels requiring remediation.

Remediation activities have been or will be implemented as follows:

	Sample Collection Date	Sample ID	School Name Building Name	Fixture Information	Lead Test Result (ppb)	Remediation Activity	Date Implemented
1)	3/22/2025	403835	Chase MS	Sink faucet	24	Change fixture	ASAP
2)	3/22/2025	403822	Chase MS	Pot filer/sprayer	17	Change fixture	ASAP
3)	3/22/2025	403827	Chase MS	Sink faucet	11	Change fixture	ASAP
4)	3/22/2025	403832	Chase MS	Sink faucet	9	Change fixture	ASAP
5)	3/22/2025	403830	Chase MS	Sink faucet	7	Change fixture	ASAP
6)	3/22/2025	403840	Chase MS	Sink faucet	7	Change fixture	ASAP