

LOS ANGELES COUNTY HUD GRANT

The Los Angeles County Environmental Health was awarded \$3.4 million by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) in 2018 to remove lead-based paint hazards from eligible homes for a period of three years; April 02, 2018 – March 31, 2021.

The funding is being used to identify and remove lead-based paint hazards from homes in areas at high risk for lead poisoning, including downtown Los Angeles, South Los Angeles, and communities impacted by the Exide battery recycling plant.

The HUD Grant Program works with the Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program, Public Health Nurses and Environmental Health Specialists who provide lead prevention education and refer families to the Program during their outreach and education events, environmental investigations and nursing home visits. Environmental Health Specialists will also conduct home clearance testing when needed.

The HUD Grant Program has completed almost 70% of its total goal of 110 units remediated and welcomes applicants if funds remain available. We can also refer residents to other similar Programs in the County. The HUD Grant is one program in a larger effort to eliminate lead-based paint hazards in homes throughout LA County. For more information please call (323) 914-9282.