

Nadal Pediatrics

Oral Lead Risk Assessment Questions

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

- Yes No 1. Since the last oral risk assessment have there been any significant changes in day care, your home, hobbies, or occupation? (If no, using the medical provider's professional judgment. Only pertinent questions to assess current risk should be asked, such as #7.)
- Yes No 2. Has the mother of the infant worked or lived where she has been exposed to lead?
- Yes No 3. Does your child live in or frequently (Once a week or more) visit a house built before 1960? Was your child's day care center/preschool/babysitter's home built before 1960? Does the house have peeling or chipping paint inside or outside? Is there old furniture or painted woodwork that your child can chew on (ex. crib, banister)? Does your child exhibit pica?
- Yes No 4. Does your child live in a house built before 1980 with recent, ongoing, or planned renovation or remodeling?
- Yes No 5. Does your child live or frequently visit a home near heavily traveled major highway where soil and dust may be contaminated with lead? Is your child's daycare near a busy roadway?
- Yes No 6. Does your child regularly eat from ceramic or pewter dishes? Is food stored in cans, ceramic ware, or pottery?
- Yes No 7. Have any of your children or their playmates had lead poisoning?
- Yes No 8. What are the occupations of all household members and frequent visitors? Does your child frequently come in contact with an adult who works with lead? Examples are construction, welding, pottery, or other trades practiced in your community. Does anyone in the household have a hobby which uses lead—examples are fishing weights; casting ammunition; toy soldiers; making stained glass; making pottery; refinishing furniture; burning lead painted wood. Ask those appropriate for your area.
- Yes No 9. Does your child live near a lead smelter, battery recycling plant, or other industry likely to release lead? Does your child live near a source of current industrial pollution or on the site of the old industry or mining?
- Yes No 10. Do you give your child any home or folk remedies, which may contain lead? Examples of remedies containing lead are: Alarcon, Alkohol, Azarcon; Bali Goli; Coral; Ghasard; Greta; Liga; Pay-loo-ah; Rueda.
- Yes No 11. Does your home's plumbing have lead pipes or copper with lead solder joints? Have there been any plumbing repairs or fixtures added within the last 5 years?