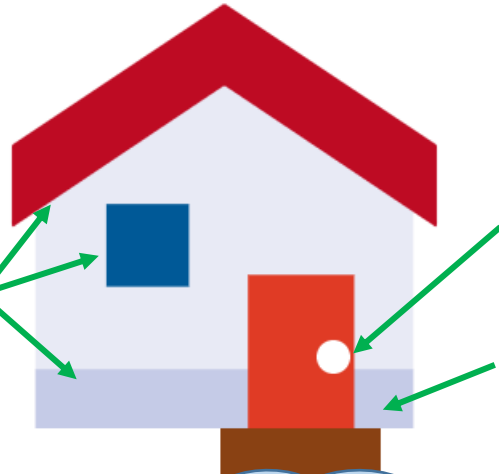




## TIPS to Help Make Your Older Home Lead-Safe\* for Your Children while Families Shelter in Place at Home during the COVID-19 Outbreak

Walk through your home with these TIPS at hand...

Cover peeling outdoor paint with plastic sheeting & Keep kids from playing in soil and areas outside near peeling paint.



Wipe down doorknobs daily.

Remove all shoes at the door.

**BE CAREFUL** with open windows! Air can blow lead dust...

Clean out window wells and wipe down window & frames.

Cover peeling paint with duct tape or contact paper.



Wipe down toys. Remind kids to keep toys away from mouths.

Wipe down tables, light switches, & other common surfaces.

Wash hands regularly and especially before eating & after play time. Remind kids to not touch their face or put their hands in their mouths.

Mop floors with a wet Swiffer. Use disposable wipes.



Clean items & surfaces that get regular use often with soap and water. Careful with disinfectants - follow the instructions on the label. Throw used wipes in trash (not toilet).

\*Older homes built before 1978 likely to have lead. For more information, please contact: [OHleadfreekids@gmail.com](mailto:OHleadfreekids@gmail.com)