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## EHDWB Circular Letter # 2023-31

To: Superintendents of Connecticut Public Schools

From: Amanda Parkins, Epidemiologist II, Radon Program

**Date:** 08/02/2023

**Subject:** Evaluations for Existing Active Radon Mitigation Systems in Connecticut Public Schools

The Connecticut Department of Public Health (DPH) Radon Program oversees radon measurement activities in all public schools and provides technical guidance and assistance to private industry, school officials, and local health departments.

To promote the quality of radon-related activities and to ensure the health and wellbeing of Connecticut's children who attend K-12 public schools within the state, the Radon Program is offering a courtesy evaluation of existing active radon mitigation systems. Evaluations may include an assessment of operability and an analysis of the radon in air concentration using a Continuous Radon Monitoring device.

This evaluation is also an opportunity for Radon Program staff to educate relevant school staff on how to conduct regular internal evaluations to ensure optimal performance of your schools' systems.

Appointments for the evaluation are available on weekdays starting August 7, 2023.

For questions, or to schedule an on-site visit from Radon Program staff, please email <a href="mailto:DPH.RadonReports@ct.gov">DPH.RadonReports@ct.gov</a> or call 860-509-7300.

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