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Environmental Health and Drinking Water Branch

EHDW Circular Letter #2024-10

TO: Community Public Water Systems

Certified Operators

Local Health

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SUBJECT: Reminder: Final Lead and Copper Rule Revisions Initial Service Line Material

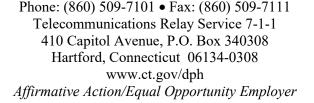
**Inventory Requirements** 

This is an important reminder of the upcoming due date and requirements for the federal Final Lead and Copper Rule Revisions (LCRR) Initial Service Line Material Inventory. The compliance date of the Final LCRR is **October 16, 2024**, which is 223 days or less than 159 workdays from today.

The following is required by October 16, 2024 for <u>all</u> community public water systems (PWS):

- 1. Identify the <u>service line material composition</u> of <u>all service lines</u> connected to the water system regardless of who owns the entire length of the service line or portion of the service line.
  - Review historical records to identify the service line material composition.
  - ➤ Identify and track service line material composition as encountered during normal operations.
  - Classify each portion and the entire length of the service line into the following categories:
    - i. Lead, where any portion of the service line is made of lead.
    - ii. **Galvanized requiring replacement (GRR)**, where a galvanized service line is or was at any time downstream of a lead service line or is currently downstream of a "Lead Status Unknown" service line.
    - iii. **Non-lead**, or if known, the actual material.
    - iv. Lead status unknown, or unknown, where the service line material is not known.







- Make the service line inventory accessible to the public.
- > PWS serving more than 50,000 people is also required to post the inventory online.
- ➤ Provide public notification to all customers with lead, galvanized requiring replacement (GRR), or lead status unknown service line within 30 days after submitting the initial service line material inventory and annually after by July 1.
- Add statements about the service line inventory and how to access the inventory in the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR).

By October 16, 2024, the initial service line material inventory must be submitted in the prescribed CTDPH LCRR Material Inventory Template (click to open) to DPH.LeadandCopper@ct.gov.

## **Educational series:**

The DWS will be hosting educational series on the LCRR Initial Service Line Material Inventory requirements and template. The next educational session is virtual through Microsoft Teams on Thursday, March 14, 2024 from 1-2 PM.

Registration link: <a href="https://forms.office.com/g/z2CcW4bqy9">https://forms.office.com/g/z2CcW4bqy9</a>
or
click to register
or
scan the QR code to register



If you have any questions on the Final LCRR and the Initial Service Line Material Inventory requirements, please contact us at <a href="mailto:DPH.LeadandCopper@ct.gov">DPH.LeadandCopper@ct.gov</a>.

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