



January is National Radon Action Month

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CT DPH Radon Program Activities



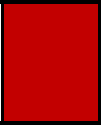
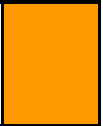
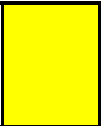
Local Health Participation is vital

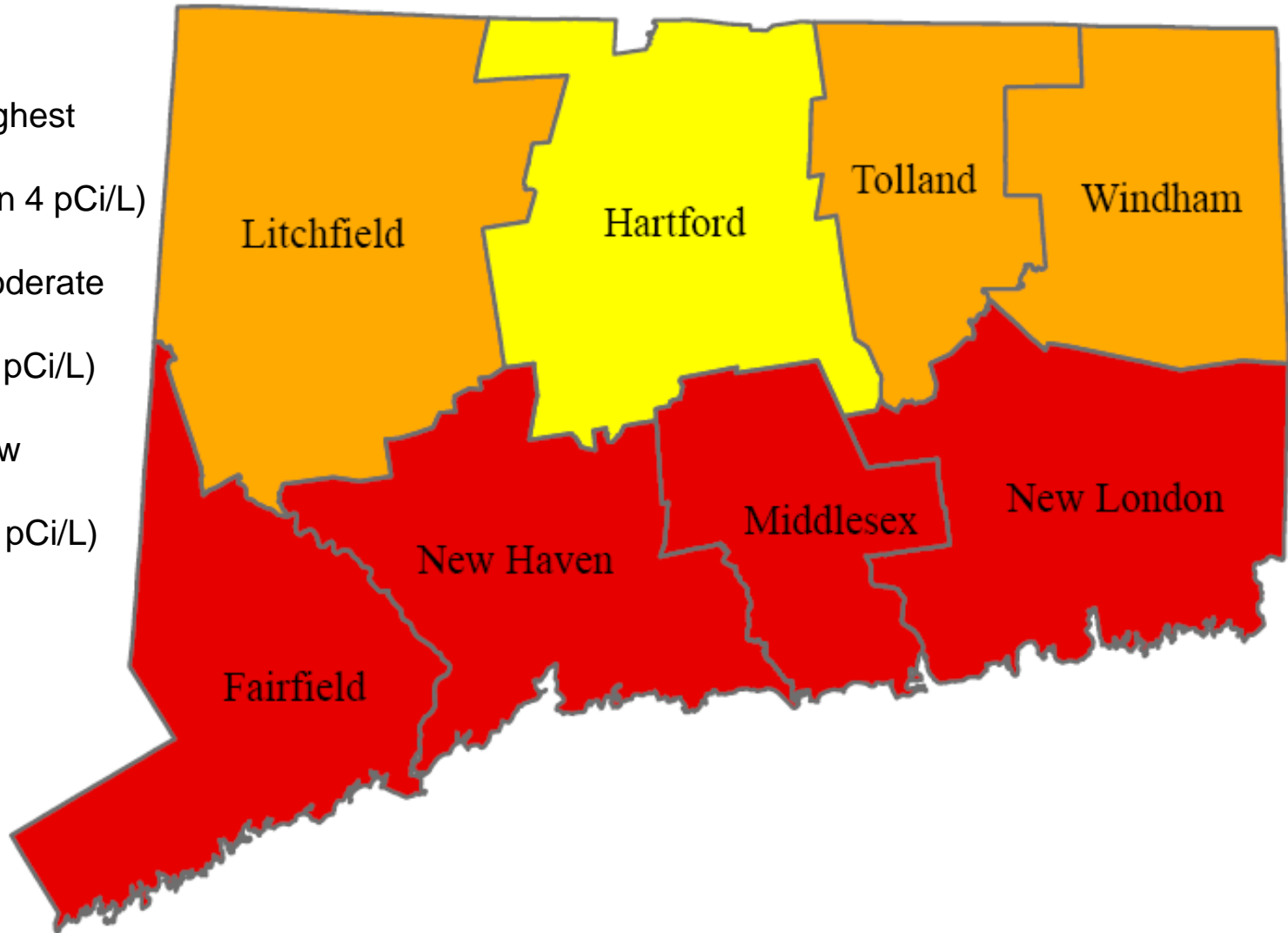
- CT DPH Circular Letter sent to Directors of Health
- Complete Order Form
- Radon test devices sent out in December
- LHDs track the distribution of devices

Local Health Outreach Activities promote radon awareness

- Advertise the availability of free test devices
 - Website posting - Facebook
 - Press Release in Local newspapers, newsletters
 - Posting Signs
- Radio interviews
- Community Health Fairs
- Presentations - *Lunch and Learns*

Radon Potential Map of CT

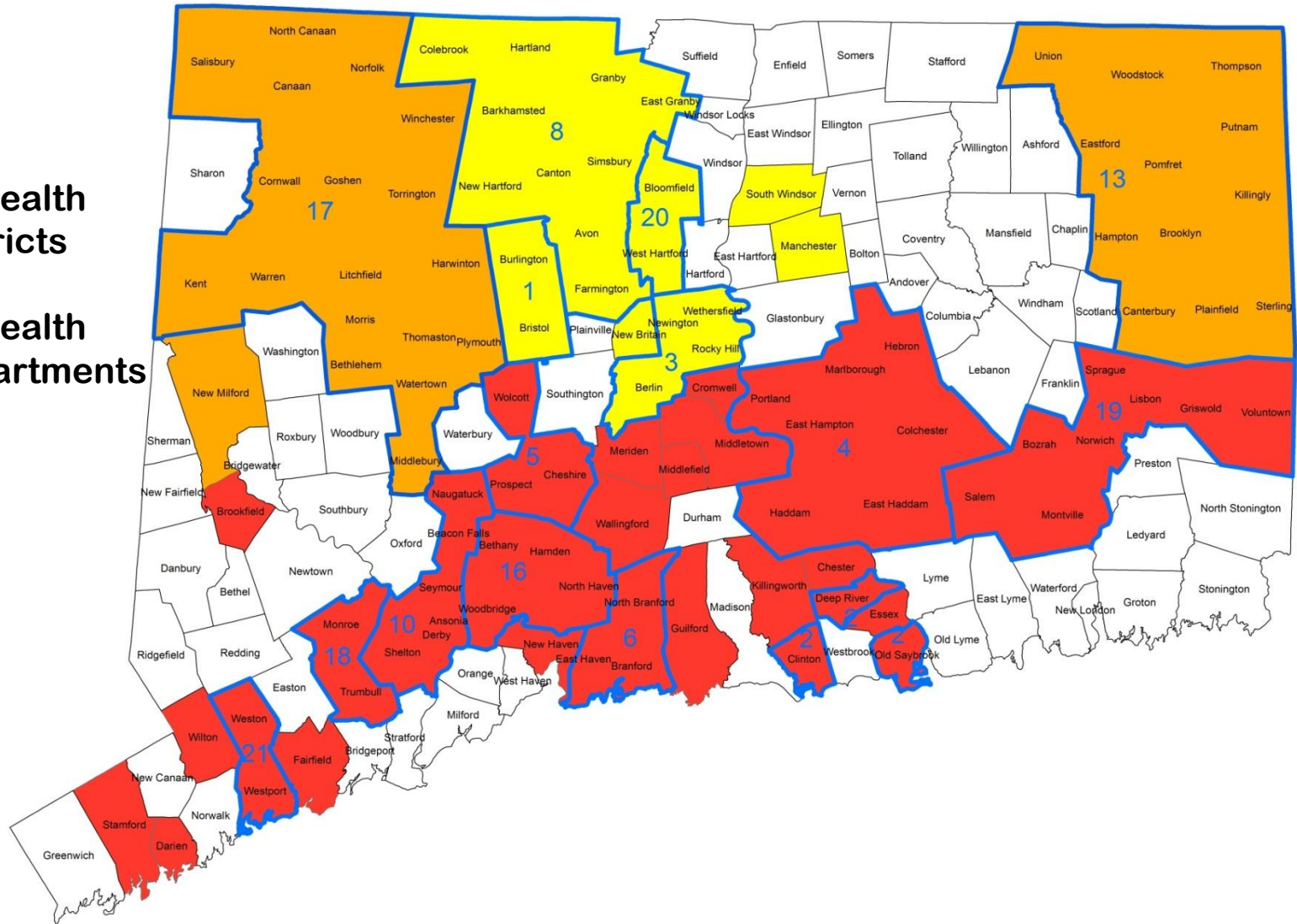
-  **Zone 1:** Highest Potential (greater than 4 pCi/L)
-  **Zone 2:** Moderate Potential (from 2 to 4 pCi/L)
-  **Zone 3:** Low Potential (less than 2 pCi/L)



Local Health Participation 2015

15 Health Districts

19 Health Departments



Devices are not being used

- Only about 25% of test devices are deployed by residents.
 - **2,665** devices sent out - only **630** analyzed
 - Why?
 - Weather?
- Consider follow-up with residents
 - Reminder Post cards
 - Emails

Local Health Participation is crucial to NRAM success

- Look for the circular letter in November
- Plan radon awareness activities
- Complete order form & fax it to DPH

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Questions?