

**Ord. No.**  
**Executive Summary**  
**Ohio Department of Health (ODH)**  
**SCHIP Medicaid Lead Hazard Program**

**Louise V. Jackson, Commissioner**  
**Division of Neighborhood Services**

<b>Ordinance Amount:</b>	\$500,000 (State of Ohio Medicaid)
<b>Overview:</b>	The Ohio Department of Health (ODH) and Department of Medicaid (ODM) will partner to leverage State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) funding to continue to pay for lead hazard control activities on homes where lead hazards are identified. These activities will be expanded to include the goal of primary prevention. To accomplish this goal, services will now include a broader selection of homes where lead exposure to a child has not been identified but may still pose a threat to the health and safety of children residing in or regularly visiting the home.
<b>Purpose:</b>	<p><b>Request for Proposals from the Ohio Department of Health:</b></p> <p>To identify a "Third Party Administrator" to implement a targeted area primary prevention program for lead hazard reduction work. Lead based paint is identified as the most probable cause of elevated blood lead levels in the majority of ODH environmental assessments. Chips from paint may be ground into dust, which may be ingested. The target areas are high risk census tracts with dwellings that have identified lead hazards, located within Cuyahoga County.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The RFP was issued on December 10, 2019. The response is due to the States' Office of Procurement Services by January 8, 2020 at 1:00 pm.</li> </ul>
<b>Program Description:</b>	<p>The objective of the program is make homes lead safe for children. The project will target homes in the highest risk census tracts to conduct lead hazard control work with identified lead-based hazards.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Property owners and families are eligible for participation within the program.</li> <li>• There is a Medicaid eligible child under nineteen years of age</li> <li>• A Pregnant woman residing in the dwelling</li> </ul>

<b>Number of Required Units:</b>	20 Units																		
<b>Time of Performance:</b>	<p>The proposed contract award date is February 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The State may solely renew the contract by mutual agreement for one month.</li> <li>• The cumulative time of all mutual renewals agreement may not exceed three years.</li> <li>• Work must commence within 30 days of contract award.</li> </ul>																		
<b>Eligible Properties:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A single-family, duplex, triplex or quadplex constructed prior to 1978 as verified by the county auditor's records.</li> <li>2. Occupied by tenants/owner-occupants who have at least one child under nineteen (19) years of age or pregnant woman</li> <li>3. Copies of birth certificates or will be used to document age of children.</li> <li>4. Current on all property taxes or have a tax payment plan in place.</li> </ol>																		
<b>Eligibility and Income Guidelines:</b>	The program is available to income eligible homeowners and tenants. Income at or below 250% of Federal Poverty Level and a child under the age of 19 that is a Medicaid recipient.																		
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<b>Importance:</b>	This program provides a valuable option to homeowners and tenants to access funds to do lead hazard reduction work based on Medicaid eligibility.																		