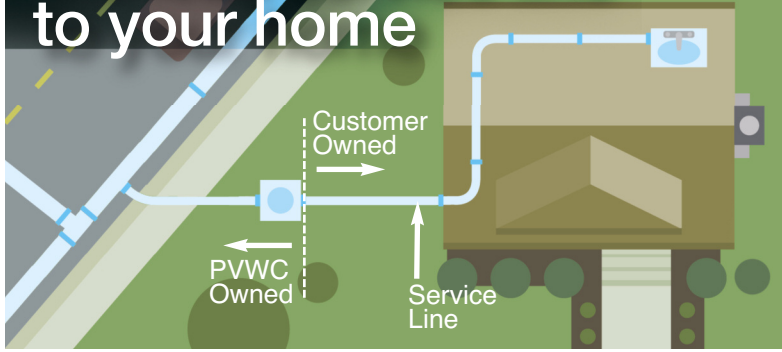


We'll help you replace the lead service line to your home



Thousands of homes in Paterson, Clifton and Passaic still have customer-owned lead service lines in use.

If you think your home has a lead service line, you need to take steps to avoid serious health problems for you and your family.

An important first step is to check and replace your service line. Thousands and thousands of homes in Paterson, Clifton and Passaic still have lead service lines. *(The service line brings water from our pipe into your house.)* **PVWC offers a low-cost, zero-interest replacement program to assist with replacing customer-owned service lines.** Contact us to learn how to take advantage of our **Lead Service Line Replacement program.**

For more information, call us at 973-340-4300, visit our website at www.pvwc.com, or send an email to customerservice@pvwc.com.



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This report contains information about your drinking water. If you do not understand it, please have someone translate it for you.

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

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Is there lead plumbing in your home?

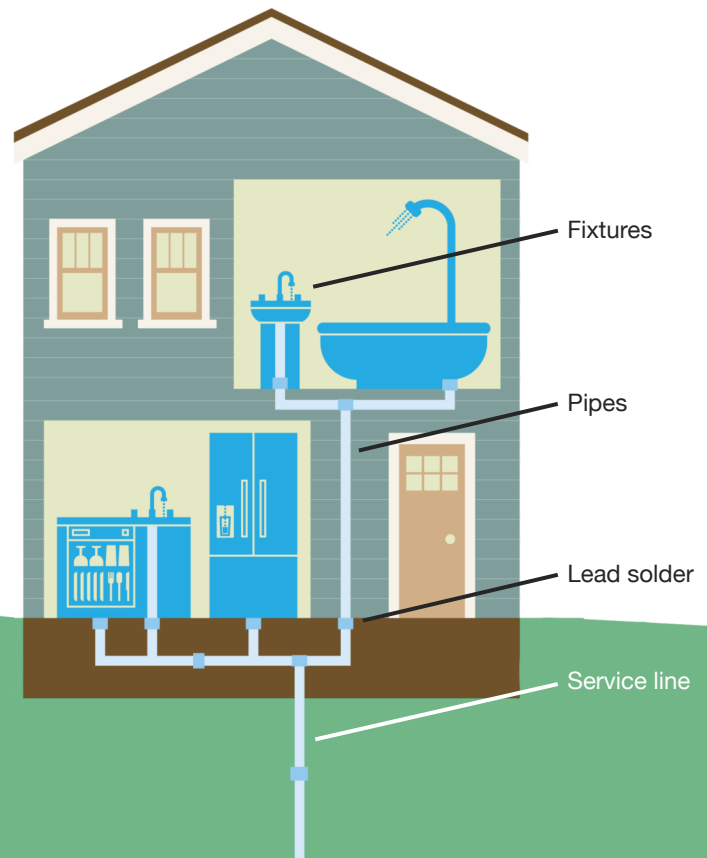


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What to do if you think there's lead plumbing in your home

Lead can cause serious health problems if too much enters the body from drinking water or other sources.

When lead enters the body it can cause damage to the brain and kidneys, and interfere with the production of red blood cells that carry oxygen to all parts of your body. The greatest risk of lead exposure is to infants, young children, and pregnant women.



Homes built before 1986 are more likely to have plumbing containing lead. Lead may exist in your service line, internal plumbing, lead solder, faucets or fixtures.

Here's what to do if you think you may have lead pipes in your home...

Test your water for elevated lead levels. Lead exposure can come from water that has been in contact with lead pipes or plumbing. If you think there may be lead in your drinking water, you should contact us and ask for a **free lead testing kit**. We'll test your water and let you know the results.

Check and replace your service line. Thousands and thousands of homes in Paterson, Clifton and Passaic still have lead service lines. *(The service line brings water from our pipe into your house.)* **PVWC offers a low-cost, zero-interest replacement program to assist with replacing customer-owned service lines** on your property. Contact us to find out how you may be able to take advantage of our **Lead Service Line Replacement program**.

Have your children tested. Consult your doctor or call your local Health Department for advice on testing children. A simple blood test can detect lead.

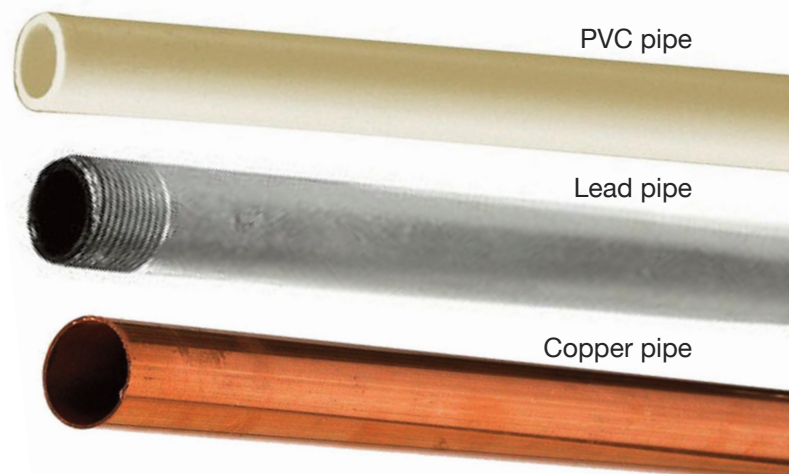
Check the plumbing in your home. Your local building/code department may be able to provide you with information about building permit records that may

contain information on your home's plumbing materials. For more information, please call your municipal office.

Learn more about lead, the risks and how you can protect your family. For more information, contact any of the following agencies:

- The National Lead Information Center 1-800-424-5323
- EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline 1-800-426-4791
- Consumer Product Safety Commission 1-800-638-2772
- Visit the EPA at www.epa.gov/lead/

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