Lead Safe and Healthy **Neighborhood BUILD Events**





Lead Safe and Healthy Neighborhood BUILD Events Project Overview

- The Lead Safe and Healthy Neighborhood BUILD Events are special events developed by the local grantee to illustrate what goes into transforming unhealthy houses into lead safe and healthy homes. This is an opportunity for our grantees to build and highlight partnerships and the great work they do.
- Partners from local organizations have helped to make these events possible and have demonstrated how communities evolve when people committed to change come together to make it happen.

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- The OLHCHH will assist the local grantee as well as bring support of national partners for a local event where volunteers can help "finish" units and unveil the lead safe and healthy neighborhood.
- Volunteers will come together to provide critical home repairs, accessibility modifications and other improvements to 3-5 homes in the identified neighborhood.

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- Many event have included a Listening Session to provide high level officials, community based organizations, and members of the local communities, a forum to discuss areas of lead hazard control, housing and neighborhood safety and health, the importance of expanding partnerships, developing workforce opportunities, and identify areas of opportunity and improvement.
- OLHCHH will be working with the National League of Cities to encourage participation from the Mayors Office as well as work to get the Mayor's support and participation in a Mayor's Challenge for creating Lead Safe and Healthy Neighborhoods.

Local Events

The Build events are not the only local events that we would be glad to work with you on, we have worked with local grantees on back to school events, health fairs, grant announcements, and much more – really any event that brings focus on the work the grantee is doing or will do is important!



Rebuilding **Together/City** of Baltimore Neighborhood **Event** in **Baltimore, MD**

City of Providence Back to School Event / Home Showcase



City of Worchester BUILD Event with Habitat for Humanity



Hennepin County BUILD Event with Lowes & School Event





Harris County BUILD Event with Lowes & School Event





Salt Lake County Party in the Park Event and Grant Announcement



City of Las Vegas / UNLV BUILD Event with Lowes



City of New Orleans BUILD Event with Lowes







- Commit to making a difference on safe, quality housing for your residents
 - <u>https://www.nlc.org/resource/local-action-</u> challenge-for-lead-safe-and-healthy-neighborhoods
- Ask your Mayor or City Manager to take the challenge
 - Select from a menu of policy options
 - Catalyze leadership and buy-in
- Read Mayor Warren's perspective from Rochester

Healthy Housing Learning Lab

- Join a community of cities who are tackling healthy housing challenges
 - The Learning Lab is peer-led, peer-driven, and expert-informed
 - Gain access to regular programming with experts in response to city priorities
 - Share your questions and models with other cities like yours
- <u>Learn more</u> and take the <u>Welcome Survey</u>
- <u>Hear from</u> Gary Kirkmire and Katrina Korfmacher in Rochester