



HILLSBOROUGH TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Dear Woods Road School Community,

As you may be aware Hillsborough Township Public Schools is in the process of testing all district schools' drinking water for lead. In accordance with the Department of Education regulations, Woods Road School's initial testing occurred on April 13, 2017, and of the 57 samples taken, all but two tested below the lead action level established by the US Environmental Protection Agency for lead in drinking water (15 µg/l [ppb]).

After disconnecting and/or posting "Out of Service" signage, the district following NJDEP protocol, issued retests for any outlet with elevated levels. The initial results, the second draws, and any remedial action that will be conducted for those water outlets are described in the chart below.

Sample Location	First Draw Result in µg/l (ppb)	Second Draw Results in µg/l (ppb)	Remedial Action
Nurse Office ID # WRES-1-NURS E-NS2-P2/F	45.9	10.6/< 2.0	As per NJDEP Guidelines no action is required.
Rm. 114 (Mrs. Kozimbo, Gr. 1) ID # WRES-1-114-C F-P2/F	18.1	190/< 2.0	Outlet will remain disconnected, automatic sanitizer dispensers implemented. Remedial options are being explored.

A copy of all test results is available at our Buildings & Grounds office located at 407 Amwell Rd., Hillsborough, NJ for inspection by the public, including students, teachers, other school personnel, and parents, and can be viewed between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Information and results are also available on the district website at www.htps.us. For more information about water quality in our schools, please contact Sherif Henderson in our Buildings & Grounds office at (908) 431-6600 x2074.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home and the health effects of lead, visit the EPA's website at www.epa.gov/lead, call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD, or contact your health care provider.

If you are concerned about lead exposure, you may want to ask your healthcare provider about testing children to determine levels of lead in their blood.

Sincerely,

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Hillsborough Township Public Schools