



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

Operations Division

Office of Environmental Management and Services
440 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19130
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September 9, 2021

Dear **Morris Elementary School** Community,

As a part of the School District of Philadelphia’s effort to provide students and staff with safe, accessible and appealing drinking water, **13** water outlets at your school were initially tested for lead on **June 03, 2021**. Of those outlets, **10** outlets produced water that was below the action level of 10 ppb. **Three (3)** water outlets were found to have results above the water safety threshold and these outlets were immediately shut-off.

Below outlines the confirmed corrective action steps that were taken for those **Three (3)** water outlets that tested above the action limit.

Sample Date	Floor	Outlet Number	Outlet Type	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	MDL (ppb)	PQL (ppb)	Confirmed Corrective Action Description
06/03/2021	4	15	WF	Outside RM #419	10.41	NA	1	Replaced with Hydration Station ¹
09/03/2021	4	15	HS	Outside RM #419	<1	NA	1	Remediation Complete
06/03/2021	2	11	FT	In RM #219 kitchen	10.68	NA	1	Replaced fixture and any accessible lines, elbows back to the shutoff valve and retested
09/03/2021	2	11	FT	In RM #219 kitchen	3.1	NA	1	Remediation Complete
06/03/2021	1	8	WF	In Gym	19.78	NA	1	Replaced with Hydration Station ¹
09/03/2021	1	8	HS	In Gym	<1	NA	1	Remediation Complete

During the initial sampling event **Three (3)** water outlets were not available for testing. These outlets were sampled on **September 3, 2021 and December 8, 2022**.

Sample Date	Floor	Outlet Number	Outlet Type	Outlet Description	Lead Result (ppb)	MDL (ppb)	PQL (ppb)	Confirmed Corrective Action Description
09/03/2021	1	97	WF	In RM 100	4.8	NA	1	No Action Required
12/08/2022	2	2	HS	Outside Room 219	<1	NA	1	No Action Required
12/08/2022	3	1	HS	Outside Room 319	<1	NA	1	No Action Required

Notes:

AA = Above Action limit of 10 ppb
BA = Below Action limit of 10 ppb
MDL = Method Detection Limit

Outlet Types:

WF = Water Fountain/Bubbler
HS = Hydration Station/Bottle Filling Station
FT = Faucet/Tap



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PQL = Practical Quantitation Limit

J = Result estimated below the PQL

< = not detected above PQL

ppb = parts per billion

NA = Not Available

FP = Food Prep/Pot-Filler/Kitchen Kettle

IM = Ice-Maker

¹Hydration Station has passed subsequent testing and is turned on for use. Hydration Stations offer filtered water and bottle filling stations that remove, on average, 99.3 percent of lead from drinking water. These filtered water bottle filling stations are more effective, efficient, and affordable than the alternatives to lead remediation.

The School District will test the drinking water at your school every five years and share the results through a letter and also post the results on the District's website. If you wish to review the results from your school and for more information, you may visit the District's website at:

www.philasd.org/waterresults.

Sincerely,

Steve Link

Environmental Director