

## Who Should Attend

- health educators
- registered environmental health specialists
- nurses
- health officers
- physicians
- primary care providers
- housing code officials
- licensed general contractors
- licensed lead contractors
- property owners/managers
- social workers
- childcare providers
- human services providers
- occupational health staff

### Sponsored by:

New Jersey Interagency Task Force on the Prevention of Lead Poisoning and the Governor's Council on the Prevention of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities.

### Provider:

Central New Jersey Maternal and Child Health Consortium

### Co-Providers:

New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services  
 New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection  
 New Jersey Department of Human Services  
 New Jersey Department of Community Affairs  
 New Jersey Department of the Public Advocate  
 United States Environmental Protection Agency  
 The Arc of New Jersey  
 Southern New Jersey Perinatal Cooperative



# Lead and Beyond

October 2, 2009  
 Sheraton Edison Hotel Raritan Center, Edison, NJ

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Progress in Eliminating Lead Poisoning and New Opportunities for Collaboration in New Jersey

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## Conference Goals

To update participants about the progress being made in the fight against lead poisoning in New Jersey, and to introduce participants to other environmental health hazards found in homes, schools and workplaces. These hazards include: radon, heavy metals, moisture, mold, poor ventilation, pest control, fungal allergens, and others.

## Conference Objectives

1. To highlight accomplishments made towards the Healthy People 2010 objective of eliminating childhood lead poisoning in New Jersey by 2010.
2. To introduce the Healthy Homes model to New Jersey agencies working on lead poisoning prevention.
3. To provide an opportunity for networking, collaboration and partnership development among agencies focused on housing, public health, human services, and the environment.



### REGISTRATION FORM

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Please choose one workshop for each time slot

	Environmental	Health	Housing
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Complete this form and mail with a \$50 check made out to The Arc of New Jersey to:

Ann Wilson—Lead and Beyond c/o The Arc of New Jersey  
 985 Livingston Ave, North Brunswick, NJ 08902 732-246-2525 xtn. 23

Advance registration required. No registrations at the door will be accepted.  
 Registration deadline is Wednesday, September 16, 2009.

Name (Please Print)

Address

City/State/Zip

Phone

E-mail Address

Please check if you need special accommodations for:

Kosher Meal  Vegetarian Meal  Wheelchair Access

## Agenda—Friday, October 2, 2009

**7:00 - 8:30**    **Registration and Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 – 9:15**    **Greetings**

Jennifer Velez—Commissioner,  
Department of Human Services

Heather Howard — Commissioner,  
Department of Health and Senior Services (Invited)

Joseph V. Doria, Jr. — Commissioner,  
Department of Community Affairs (Invited)

Mark N. Mauriello — Commissioner,  
Department of Environmental Protection (Invited)

Ronald K. Chen — Public Advocate (Invited)

George Pavlou — EPA Region II Administrator

**9:15 – 10:30**    **Keynote Speaker**

**Lead and Beyond: Healthy Homes, Schools and Work Environments**

Terry Brennan, President, Camroden Associates

**10:30 – 10:45**    **Break**

**10:45 – 12:00**    **Concurrent Workshops**

see chart at right

**12:00 – 1:15**    **Lunch**

**1:15 – 2:30**    **Concurrent Workshops**

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**2:45 – 4:00**    **Concurrent Workshops**

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**4:00 – 4:15**    **Wrap-Up and Credentialing**

## Keynote Speaker

Terry Brennan, President of Camroden Associates, is an internationally renowned building scientist with a diverse background in indoor air quality analysis, building envelope and HVAC design deficiencies and their solutions, and commonsense answers to difficult building problems. He has served as a consultant to the Institute of Medicine Committee on Damp Indoor Spaces and Health and has worked on a number of EPA/NIOSH projects.

## Environmental Track

### Workshop #1

#### Environmental Intervention of the Lead-Poisoned Child

Learn what should occur after a child has been identified with an elevated blood lead level. This workshop will explain the process for implementing environmental interventions; who to call, what should happen and other important steps to remediate the environment and eliminate the risk of exposure.

**Sylvia Dellas**

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services

**Jeryl Krautle and Kate Andrews**

Monmouth County Health Department

### Workshop #2

#### New Jersey's Environmental Public Health Tracking Network

Hear about the Environmental Public Health Tracking Network. This exciting new collaboration between the Department of Health and Senior Services and the Department of Environmental Protection links data from existing health effects surveillance systems and environmental hazard monitoring systems. You will learn about the program design, purpose, implementation and the correlation between public health risks and environmental hazards.

**Jerald A. Fagliano, MPH, PhD**

**Richard E. Opiekun, MA, MS, PhD**

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services

### Workshop #3

#### Indoor and Outdoor Air, Water and Soil Quality in Schools, Work Sites and Other Public Places

This workshop will focus on environmental hazards found in schools and other public places. You will learn about interventions to correct and remediate various environmental hazards as well as the health effects associated with these environmental conditions.

**Joseph Ponessa, PhD**

**James Blando, PhD**

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services

## Health Track

### Workshop #4

#### Testing and Case Management of Pregnant Women and Neonates

This workshop will focus on NJ guidelines for testing children, pregnant women and high-risk adults for elevated blood lead levels as well as learning about other hazardous substances that threaten fetal development. Surveillance activities that monitor incidence, prevalence and case management services will also be discussed. Learn about the latest research behind the impetus to test pregnant women for lead.

**Nachu Chinnakaruppan, MD**

Lehigh Valley Hospital, PA

**Morris Cohen, MD**

Newark Beth Israel Hospital

### Workshop #5

#### Childcare Provider Education: Regulations and Policies

Learn about New Jersey regulations and policies pertaining to testing children and childcare facilities for lead. Learn how these regulations and policies are being implemented in various childcare settings.

**Mary Coogan, JD**

Association for Children of New Jersey

### Workshop #6

#### Development of Protective Public Policies

Find out what it means to be a Lead Safe Model City. Learn about protective policies and how they can be implemented. Learn about the Bench Book initiative and how it facilitates enforcement of current laws.

**Crystal Motlasz, MS, CHES**

NJ Department of Health and Senior Services

**Joseph Pargola, JD**

Department of the Public Advocate

## Housing Track

### Workshop #7

#### Lead Hazard Control Assistance Fund

This workshop will focus on New Jersey housing regulations concerning lead and New Jersey resources available through the Lead Hazard Control Assistance Fund.

**Lorraine Nietos**

**Veronica D'Alessandro**

NJ Department of Community Affairs

### Workshop #8

#### Renovation, Repair and Painting: The EPA Rules

In this workshop, you will learn to identify situations where lead-safe work practices must be applied. Understand the distinction between EPA federal requirements and those required by New Jersey state regulations. Learn how to obtain certification in lead remediation.

**Laura Livingston**

US Environmental Protection Agency, Region 2

### Workshop #9

#### Healthy Homes

This workshop will focus on many other environmental hazards found in the home besides lead and how to correct these conditions in both single-family and multi-family homes.

**Terry Brennan**

## Registration Information

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**Place:** Sheraton Edison Hotel Raritan Center, Edison, NJ

**Time:** 7:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

**Cost:** \$50.

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### Visit mapquest for directions to:

Sheraton Edison Hotel Raritan Center  
125 Raritan Center Parkway  
Edison, NJ 08837

(732) 225-8300

## Continuing Education

This program has been awarded **5.25 contact hours** by The Central New Jersey Maternal and Child Health Consortium. CNJMCHC is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the New Jersey State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Provider Number 92-1/08-11. Provider Approval is valid through January 31, 2011.

An application has been submitted to the Society for Public Health Education (SOPHE) to award Category 1 CHES Continuing Education Contact Hours (CECH). SOPHE is a designated provider of CECH by the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing.

An application has been submitted to the New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services (NJ DHSS), Office of Public Health Infrastructure, to award Public Health CE credits.

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