Lead Testing of Drinking Water

WIIN Lead Testing Program

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) grant awarded the Iowa Department of Education funds to support public schools and child care centers in voluntary testing of drinking water for lead. This grant program is designed to reduce lead exposure for children, who are most vulnerable, at schools and child care programs.

The WIIN Lead Testing in School and Child Care Program Drinking Water Grants provide an opportunity for schools and child care programs to bring awareness to water quality through voluntary testing, communication, and education.

2026 Lead Testing Results

Drinking water outlets over the action level of 0.015 mg/L are required to take action to remediate lead in water. Any outlet that tested over 0.001 mg/L is eligible to apply for reimbursement of remediation efforts through the WIIN Lead Testing of Drinking Water Grant. Funding priorities and limits apply.

Date of Testing	Program/District	Building(s)	Tests	Testing Results	Action Taken
11/20/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	Nevada	4	<0.001	NA
11/18/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	PCFS	4	<0.001 – 0.002	NA
11/18/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	TCFS	4	<0.001 – 0.004	NA
11/20/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	HCFS	4	<0.001 – 0.003	NA
11/19/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	FMC	4	<0.001	NA
11/19/25	Mid Iowa Community Action	High St	4	<0.001	NA

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6/15/26	Sieda Community Action	Appanoose HS	6	<0.001	NA
6/15/26	Sieda Community Action	Keokuk HS	6	<0.001	NA
6/15/26	Sieda Community Action	Jefferson HS	6	<0.001	NA
6/17/26	Sieda Community Action	Harmony HS	6	<0.001	NA

6/18/26	Sieda Community Action	Sieda Child Development Center	6	<0.001	NA
6/22/26	Sieda Community Action	Mahaska HS	6	<0.001	NA