



Current Projects: Translation and Community Engagement Projects

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- The Minnesota Department of Health is a licensed radon state.
- If you do not own or lease the property, a license is required to:
 - measure for radon
 - mitigate for radon
- Radon pros can do both mitigation and measurement (if licensed for both)
- Radon
 - licensing & enforcement
 - education, outreach, research, policy

- 3 Forms Required by Licensees have been translated into Spanish, Hmong, and Somali.
 - Operation, Maintenance, and Monitoring Plan
 - Test Notification Form
 - Radon Test Report

Project #2 – Community Engagement

- Multifamily Residence Testing
 - The education material given to residence only requires:
 - When the test will occur
 - Requirements for testing
 - Many residents come from different cultural backgrounds and English may not be their native language.
 - Limited communication on test causes distrust and not following measurement requirements.

Project #2 – Community Engagement

- MDH is engaging different community groups to develop better education materials.
- With collaboration and input from communities we will create materials and translate them into different languages.
- The materials will be given to residents in multifamily buildings when radon testing is done by a licensed pro.
- Will distribute to radon measurement pros and to other states that request these materials.

Thank you!

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