

# TEST YOUR HOME FOR RADON



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**Congratulations on your new baby!**

Take an important step to ensure your child grows up in a healthy environment.

It's never too late to reduce your risk of lung cancer by testing your home for radon.

**Overall, radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer.**

### What are the health risks?

Exposure to radon causes lung cancer in non-smokers and smokers alike. Radon is the number one cause of lung cancer among non-smokers, according to Environmental Protection Agency estimates.

Overall, radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer. It is responsible for about 21,000 lung cancer deaths every year.

The Wyoming Radon Program is proud to offer free home radon test kits (while supplies last) in partnership with Alpha Energy Laboratories, LLC.

For more information about radon in Wyoming, contact the Wyoming Radon Program at 1.307.777.6015, scan the QR code, or visit [health.wyo.gov/radon](http://health.wyo.gov/radon).



Three ways to order your **FREE** home radon test

1. Order online by visiting [aelabs.com/wyoming](http://aelabs.com/wyoming)
2. Call 1.307.777.6015
3. Fill out this form, detach, and drop in the mail

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Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

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### What is radon?

Radon is a naturally occurring, radioactive gas without color, odor or taste, that seeps up from the earth.

It comes from the natural decay of uranium found in nearly all soils.

It enters your home through cracks in the foundation or through water pipes.

Nearly 1 out of 15 homes in the U.S. is estimated to have elevated radon levels.

Long term exposure to the radioactive particles in radon can damage cells that line the lungs, leading to lung cancer.

