

# What is radon?

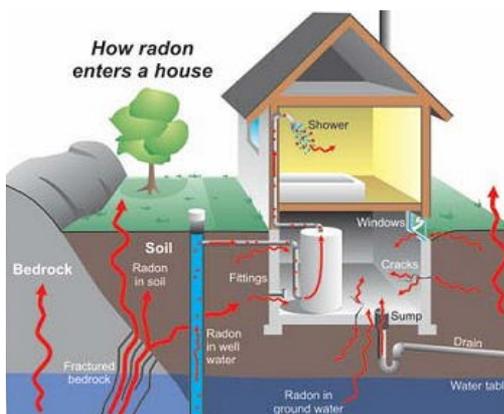
Radon is a naturally occurring, radioactive gas without color, odor or taste, that seeps up from the earth.

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.



## 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.



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).



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# Test your home for radon TODAY!



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

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