

Soil Testing for Lead

Thank you for your interest in soil lead testing! Before you start, gather **three clear plastic Ziplock baggies** (sandwich size) and **a garden trowel**. With a **s**, label the baggies clearly with the following: Street Soil, Yard Soil, Dripline Soil, and property address. If you are collecting samples for more than one lot (or unique address), you should collect three samples from each individual lot.

Please sample soil from the upper two inches only. Try to avoid collecting large sticks, rocks, or lots of plant matter. Fill the bags about 3/4 full.

Collect your samples from each unique address

- **Street Soil:** collect some soil in an area near the street
- **Yard Soil:** collect some soil out in the middle of your yard or play area
- **Dripline Soil:** collect some soil under the drip line of your house, within 2 to 3 feet of the house

Deliver your samples to IU Indianapolis

Package up your samples in a heavy envelope or small box. Inside the envelope, include this sheet, printing clearly your name, email address, and the address where the samples were collected. With this information, we can send you a report via email detailing what we found.

Ship to the attention of Prof. Gabriel Filippelli/Angela Herrmann

Soil Testing

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Thank you for participating in community science!

** IU researchers will use your de-identified soil and dust samples for research. If you do not consent, you may opt out at any time. Visit <https://bit.ly/cuh-community> > Learn About Voluntary Participation for more information.*



Complete this form for each unique address sampled and include it with your samples.

	Name			
Samples Address Please include full address.	Address	City	State	Zip Code
Email Address where we should send your report.				