HEALTHY GALLATIN

LEAD POISONING IS PREVENTABLE

PROTECT YOURSELF & YOUR FAMILY

Who is at risk?

- Pregnant women
- Children
- Range workers
- Target and hobby shooters
- Law enforcement
- Families of those who frequent the range



Children and pregnant women are the most at risk from lead exposure



Never eat, drink, or smoke while shooting



Follow guidance while safely enjoying your hobby!

Lead exposure occurs from:

- Breathing in lead particles or dust after firing a gun.
- Touching lead and lead dust from bullets or casings with bare hands
- Eating, drinking, or smoking with contaminated hands.
- Carrying lead home on your body and clothing. Lead in the home is very dangerous for children and pregnant women.

Prevent lead exposures:

- Use jacketed or lead-free bullets and no-lead primers.
- Wear gloves and eye protection when cleaning firearms or firing range surfaces.
- Change clothes, hats, and shoes before leaving.
- Wash clothing worn at firing ranges separately from family laundry.
- Have your blood lead level checked.

There is no safe level of lead in blood!

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