New Mexico Radon Fact Sheet

NEW MEXICO RADON PROGRAM

https://www.env.nm.gov/rcb /indoor-radon-outreachprogram/

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Control Plan

ftp://ftp.cdc.gov/pub/Publication

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ZONE 1 HIGH POTENTIAL

ZONE 2 MEDIUM
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ZONE 3 LOW POTENTIAL

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The Indoor Radon Outreach Program was formed by the Department to provide public education about the health risk of radon gas, and disseminates information on methods for fixing (mitigating) radon problems. The Program is funded by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) through the State Indoor Radon Grants Program. The Program also prepares public service announcements, and seasonally distributes (late fall and early winter), on a first-come-first-served basis, free radon testing kits to the public. The Program works with other state, federal and local agencies to provide outreach to communities and the public through public meetings, workshops, health fairs and presentations.

Free radon test kits can be requested by New Mexico residents (while supplies last) by contacting the New Mexico Radon Program Coordinator. Short term radon test kits can also be purchased at a reduced cost using the link for "New Mexico" under the State Programs link at www.drhomeair.com or by calling 1-800-324-5928 and following the instructions for "The State of New Mexico Radon Test Kit Program" option.

New Mexico Pending/Enacted Legislation

There are no pending or enacted radon legislation in New Mexico.