

**FY 02 Lead Hazard Control Grantees**

**City of Lynchburg**  
**900 Church Street**  
**Lynchburg, VA 24504**  
**Amount of Award: \$2,139,781**  
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**Lynchburg, Virginia**

The City Department of Community Planning & Development's Lead-Safe Lynchburg program will be awarded \$2,139,781 to remediate lead-based paint hazards in 200 housing units in identified target areas, primarily the central city. The project includes \$421,919 of in-kind match services. The new grant will allow for the delivery of family and community-wide education, family case management and economic opportunities. These services will be provided to a total of eight census tracts. Lead-Safe Lynchburg will partner with some nine organizations and groups to implement their program, assuring the City's commitment to address a serious health, housing and social threat within the oldest neighborhoods of Lynchburg. The program will also provide mini-grants to community-based organizations to build capacity within neighborhoods, allowing training for certified abatement workers, supervisors, and lead safe work practices. These and other efforts serve to encourage sustainability of core program activities within the highest-risk communities. The program will also leverage funds and activities associated with rehabilitation programs funded with CDBG and/or HOME dollars.

The City of Lynchburg will provide \$421,919 in local matching funds.

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**Commonwealth of Virginia**  
**The Jackson Center**  
**501 North Second Street**  
**Richmond, VA 23219**  
**Amount of Award: \$2,160,000**  
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**Commonwealth of Virginia**

The Commonwealth of Virginia will be awarded \$2,160,000 from to fund the Virginia Lead Safe Homes Program. The Cities of Petersburg and Danville, and the Counties of Accomack and Northampton on the Eastern Shore of Virginia have committed local resources to meet these objectives. The program will focus its efforts within these jurisdictions. The Department of Housing and Community Development, program administrator, will partner with the Virginia Department of Health to assist with

community education, assist contractor training and education, provide laboratory services, conduct blood screening, conduct clearance testing and client follow-up visits to treated properties under this grant. The primary activities include: 1) housing rehabilitation and lead hazard control (interim control measures) in eligible housing within each target locality; 2) statewide lead hazard awareness with the assistance of the Virginia Institute on Developmental Disabilities; 3) training and education for contractors within target localities; 4) development of lead hazard control/home repair contractors on the Eastern Shore; 5) poisoning prevention education training for affected households and target localities; and 6) establishing a registry of lead safe housing within the target areas.

The program will also provide \$1,060,991 matching funds to reduce the exposure of children from lead-based paint hazards in 200 units.

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