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Avalon Elementary School
235 32nd Street
Avalon, NJ 08202

Dear Avalon Elementary School Community:

Our school system is committed to protecting student, teacher, and staff health. To protect our community and be in compliance with the Department of Education regulations, our District tested our school's drinking water for lead.

In accordance with the Department of Education regulations, Avalon Elementary School will implement immediate remedial measures for any drinking water outlet with a result greater than the action level of 15 µg/l (parts per billion [ppb]). This includes, but is not limited to, turning off the outlet unless it is determined the location must remain on for non-drinking purposes. In these cases, a "DO NOT DRINK – SAFE FOR HANDWASHING ONLY" sign will be posted.

Testing Results

The table below identifies the drinking water outlets that tested above the 15 µg/l for lead, the actual lead level, and what temporary remedial action Avalon Elementary School has taken to reduce the levels of lead at these locations.

Sample Location	First Draw Result in µg/l (ppb)	Remedial Action
Nurses' Office Sink	22.4	Taken out of service- school not in session

For More Information

A copy of the test results is available in our central office for inspection by the public, including students, teachers, other school personnel, and parents, and can be viewed between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and are also available on our website at www.avalonstoneharborschools.org. For more information about water quality in our schools, contact Kathleen Fox, CSA at the Avalon Stone Harbor Schools at (609) 967-7544.

For more information on reducing lead exposure around your home and the health effects of lead, visit EPA's Web site at www.epa.gov/lead, call the National Lead Information Center at 800-424-LEAD, or contact your health care provider.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Fox

CSA, Avalon Stone Harbor Schools