

Pure Earth's Global **Lead Program**

Between 2020 and 2023, Pure Earth and our partners made significant strides in combating lead poisoning worldwide. Pure Earth's technical excellence continues to improve the health and well-being of communities affected by lead pollution. Learn more about the impact of our Global Lead Program.



GLOBAL REACH

35 projects

led by Pure Earth in 31 countries to assess and prevent lead poisoning from a variety of sources including spices, pottery, cookware, cosmetics and contaminated sites from used lead acid battery recycling.



SITE ASSESSMENTS

259 polluted sites

assessed for contamination, including 217 new sites added to the Toxic Sites Identification Program database.

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HEALTH SURVEILLANCE

11,676 tests

907 homes

of blood lead levels administered in Bangladesh, Ghana, India, Indonesia, Mexico, and the Philippines.

HOUSEHOLD ASSESSMENTS

assessed for lead exposure sources

Bangladesh, Georgia, Ghana, India,

through 8 Home Based Assessments in



SITE REMEDIATIONS

87,350 sq meters

of land contaminated with lead from used lead-acid battery recycling remediated through 4 projects in Bangladesh and India.



CONSUMER PRODUCT TESTING

5,800+ samples

Indonesia, and the Philippines.

of spices, paints, cosmetics, cookware, and other foods and products from 415 marketplaces in 25 countries analyzed for lead-contamination.



AWARENESS RAISING

79 events

around the world organized to raise awareness of lead pollution, including webinars, briefings, and outreach events.





