Lead Testing Reimbursement for Licensed Providers

Programs can be reimbursed for some of the costs related to lead testing in your programs to help ensure child safety.

Who can be reimbursed?

- Certified Centers,
- Certified School-Age Centers,
- Certified Family Homes and
- Registered Family Child Care Homes.

What is reimbursable?

- **Cost of lead testing:** Water lead testing on plumbing fixtures or faucets used for drinking, cooking, or preparing infant formula.
  - Test must be conducted by an ORELAP accredited laboratory (a list of approved laboratories is provided along with this letter)
  - Receipts are not required for reimbursement for test results submitted to the Child Care Licensing Division (CCLD)
- If a first test is submitted that requires corrective action (i.e. test result is over 15ppb), a second test may also be submitted for reimbursement. Costs of mitigation, including but not limited to lead filters and new faucets, are NOT reimbursable.

How do I apply for reimbursements?

1. Go to The Research Institute website: [https://wou.edu/tri/forms/](https://wou.edu/tri/forms/).
2. Submit the following forms:
   - L-13 Lead Testing Reimbursement Form for Licensed Child Care Providers
   - WOU Substitute W-9 Form

Electronic versions of these forms can be found online at the WOU Secure Portal, [https://wou.edu/tri/forms/](https://wou.edu/tri/forms/). If you have any questions or require assistance, please call 1-800-342-6712 or email: tripayments@wou.edu