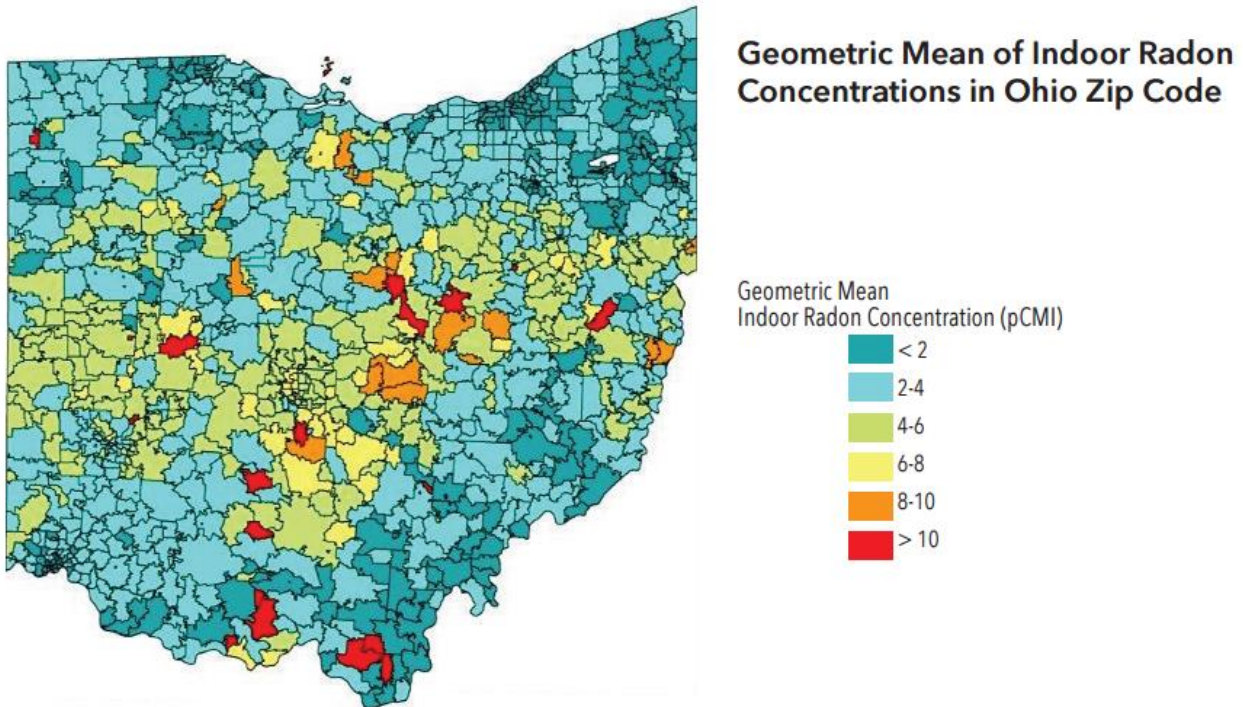


Ohio Radon Facts



Ohio has been tracking Radon Test results **since 2001**—

1 in 3 Ohio homes has Elevated Radon Levels

Ohio has over 300,000 radon test results!

- 48% of tests are above 4pCi/L of air!
- 1404 4pCi/L of air highest test recorded!

The only way to know if you have elevated Radon Levels is to test your home for Radon

A Radon Test Kit is available free for Ohio home owners at www.drhomeair.com/oh

Radon Legislation in Ohio:

Radon Legislation was passed on June 24, 1990 in Ohio (Ohio Revised Code 3723). The legislation was then used to promulgate rules for a radon licensing program. On January 1, 1992 the rules were enacted for the radon program to begin licensing individuals and businesses to offer radon services for Ohio consumers. On July 1, 2001 the rules were revised. Beginning in the fall of 2016 the rules will be revised again. Currently, there are 13 rules governing the radon program. They can be found at: <http://www.odh.ohio.gov/en/rules/final/3701-60-69/f3701-69.aspx>

Real Estate and Radon within Ohio

- The majority of Radon tests completed by licensed individuals is the result of real estate transactions in Ohio.

Ohio Radon Coalition

- Ohio has one of the most active radon coalitions with approximately 26 members.
- Representing the coalition are: Doctors, Builders, Mitigation Specialists, Lobbyists, Lung Cancer Survivors, Local Health Representatives, and State Government staff.
- Has been instrumental in collaborating with legislators to keep Ohioans knowledgeable and safe.

Radon Awareness and Education

- Ensures the availability of training and continuing education for Real estate agents, property owners, home inspectors, and building code officials in the state. .US EPA funds The Ohio Department of Health who educates residents and professionals about radon and its health effects using marketing and outreach targeted at specific groups.
- Free radon test kits provided to home owners statewide.
- Ensures a professional presence at home shows and cancer events across the state
- Radon Poster Contest promotes Radon education in Ohio schools each year.

For more information on Radon in the State of Ohio

<http://www.odh.ohio.gov/odhprograms/rp/radlic/radon.aspx>

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