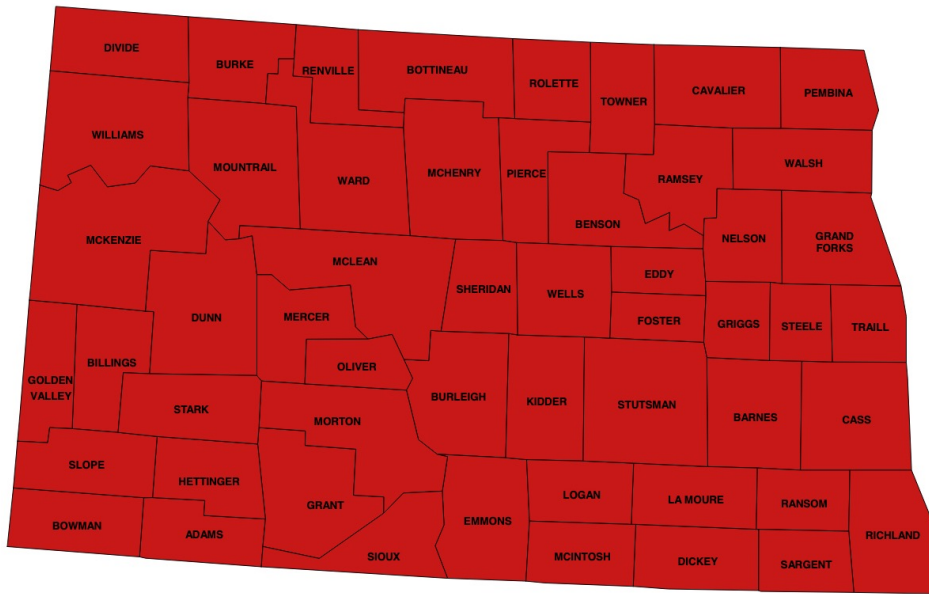


North Dakota Radon Fact Sheet



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Legend

-  Zone 1 *Highest Potential (greater than 4 pCi/L)*
-  Zone 2 *Moderate Potential (from 2 to 4 pCi/L)*
-  Zone 3 *Low Potential (less than 2 pCi/L)*

Radon Facts

- All of North Dakota's 53 counties have level of radon above 4.0 picocuries per liter (pCi/L).
- North Dakota's Department of Environmental Quality offered free test kits for residents of the state.

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North Dakota Cancer Control Plan (2018 – 2022)

Environmental Issues

Objective #3: By 2022, strengthen public protection from cancer-causing environmental factors.

Strategies

- Support educational campaigns about the carcinogenic risks of radon in the home, how to test for radon, sources for obtaining test kits, and removal of radon from the home.
- Educate North Dakotans about the importance of testing private drinking water supplies (water supplies not obtained from municipal or rural water supplies) for potential carcinogenic substances and considering environmental carcinogens near the water supply, and identify certified water testing laboratories that are available to conduct the testing.
- Educate the public, employers, health professionals, and policy makers about cancer-related environmental exposures, including, but not limited to: radon, asbestos, lead, mold, erionite, pesticides, and home-use products.
- Support worker health and safety policies and programs that include exposure to environmental carcinogens.

North Dakota Enacted Legislation

There are no pending or enacted legislation in North Dakota.