

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

DIVISION OF RADIATION CONTROL (DRC) STATE INDOOR RADON GRANT FY 2011 GOALS

DRC RADON GOAL:

Continue the fundamental activities regarding the EPA Radon Grant.

Measures:

1. Promote New Home Construction with Radon Resistant Technology.
 - a. Promote and distribute information about radon resistant building technology to builders throughout the state. Display radon information and distribute free test kit coupons at the following exhibitor booths: 2010 Fall Home Show at the South Towne Convention Center, 2010 Fall Living in Green Expo in Park City, and the 2011 Spring Home Builders Annual Conference in St. George.
 - b. Conduct at least three educational training courses entitled, "Radon Resistant New Construction." The courses will offer continuing education core credits by the Utah Department of Commerce, Division of Occupation and Professional Licensing (DOPL) and will be held throughout various areas of the state.
 - c. Promote Radon Resistant New Construction by reaching out to Utah home builders through personal contacts, educational courses, advertising, and home show exhibits.
 - d. Assist Utah Habitat for Humanity in its building projects by providing in-depth RRNC training and funding for building new homes with RRNC techniques and retrofitting older homes with active radon mitigation systems.
 - e. Recognize and acknowledge home builders who are building RRNC homes in Utah via DRC website and public events.
2. Support Disclosure, Testing and Mitigation in conjunction with Real Estate Transfers.
 - a. Conduct at least three educational training courses entitled, "Radon for the Real Estate Professional." The courses will offer continuing education core credits by the Utah Department of Commerce, Division of Real Estate (DRE)

real estate professional, and homebuilders (see measures 1-2).

- c. Continue to track phone calls, the number of visits on the DEQ Radon Website (www.radon.utah.gov), and email inquiries.
 - d. Continue to track and report the number of homes tested for radon by currently listed radon measurement service providers, mitigation providers, and laboratories.
 - e. Continue to track and provide annual reports of the number of homes built with RRNC, based on information provided by local home builders.
 - f. Continue to track free radon test kit orders that come through the IHC newborn radon packets.
 - g. Continue to track the number of homes mitigated quarterly by radon mitigation service providers.
5. Testing and, where necessary, mitigating schools for radon and radon decay progeny.
- a. Inform School District Administrators about the health hazard associated with exposure to radon and promote radon testing in schools.
 - b. Provide free radon test kits to school districts, as requested.