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**TOWNSHIP**  
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**NJDEP RADON AWARENESS PROGRAM (RAP)**

Radon is a naturally occurring radioactive gas, which has always been a part of our environment. It's a natural decay product of uranium and is found in soil everywhere in varying concentrations. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) and the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) have found that radon can also be an unwelcome part of our home environment.

Radon gas can accumulate in enclosed places, such as a house, but its presence, even

in high concentrations, cannot be detected by human senses because the gas is invisible and has no odor. Long term or chronic exposure to radon has been linked to lung cancer. The greater the concentration and the longer a person is exposed, the greater the risk, so all people are encouraged to reduce their exposure.

However, because of its physical characteristics, the only way to detect the presence of radon gas and measure the level is by a test.

The DEP has determined that radon is a statewide health issue. They have initiated the Radon Awareness Program (RAP) to encourage residents to test their homes.



**RADON**

**Protect your health.  
Test your home.**

The FREE Test Kits include a Charcoal Canister, chain of custody, instructions, and prepaid US Postal Service Label for return mailing, analysis, and report generation. You may also drop off your kit within 6 days of test in a drop box located at:

**RAdata, Inc.**  
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