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# LEAD AND COPPER RULE IMPROVEMENT CHECKLIST

## Simplifying Where to Start with LCRR + LCRI

To ensure LCRR compliance, it is imperative to maintain focus on tasks such as submitting the initial service line inventory by October 16, 2024, sending notifications to customers with LSL, GRR, or unknown status within 30 days of inventory submission, and promptly informing all customers within 24 hours after a lead action level exceedance (15 pbb) occurs.

### Near Term LCRR Focus for 2024:

- ✓ Inventory - Submit initial service line Inventory by October 16, 2024.
- ✓ 30-Day Notice - Send notification to any customer with LSL, GRR, or Unknown within 30 days of inventory submission.
- ✓ 24-Hour Notice - Notify all customers within 24 hours following a lead action level exceedance (15 pbb).

## SIMPLIFIED LCRI CHECKLIST

There are many regulatory requirements being considered in the EPA's Lead and Copper Rule Improvements (LCRI). The Simplified 7 presents a list of actions that water utilities can start today to ease the burden when all LCRI compliance elements are enforceable starting around October 2027.

- ☐ Add Connectors to the service line inventory (Oct 2027 LCRI Baseline Inventory)
- ☐ Verify Unknowns (impacts replacement rate calculation) and Replace LSLs and GRRs
- ☐ Review SRF funding options in your state (inventory, unknown verification, and SL replacement)
- ☐ Prepare for various customer/state notification and communication timelines (24-Hr, 3-day, 30-day, etc.)
- ☐ Start school / child care sampling program (and take advantage of any state funded programs)
- ☐ Stand up customer request and 1st & 5th (systems with LSLs) sampling programs
- ☐ Prepare for Risk Mitigation (customer education and filters) for disturbance and replacement

*Disclaimer: The LCRI is expected to be finalized before Oct 16, 2024. The final LCRI may contain changes that impact regulatory requirements and LCRI priorities for water systems.*