



Sullivan County BOCES Lead-free Building Status

Sullivan County BOCES has no buildings designated as lead-free, as defined by the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act.

What does lead-free building status mean?

Lead-free as defined by the federal Safe Drinking Water Act, is based on the lead content of plumbing materials. Federal laws enacted in 1986, and updated in 2011, limit the amount of lead that can be used in new plumbing fixtures. A building can be deemed lead-free if it was built after January 4, 2014, or a New York State licensed Professional Engineer or Architect certifies it to be lead-free. Under New York's new law, school districts are not required to conduct water testing in buildings designated as lead-free.