

# IS THERE A KILLER HIDING IN YOUR BASEMENT?

**TEST FOR  
RADON!**

**WHAT YOU DON'T KNOW MAY HURT YOU.**

Radon is a radioactive gas that could be hurting you. If you smoke, radon's effect is even more deadly. It could be lurking in your basement. You can't smell it, see it, feel it or taste it. Testing the air is the only way you'll know if your family is at risk. Test kits are available for around \$10 at most hardware stores. If you find your home has high radon levels, there are safe ways to vent the radon gas outside. Don't risk it. Get your basement tested today. Do it for yourself—and the people you care about.

**To get more facts about radon and testing,  
call the Delaware Helpline: 1-800-464-HELP**

You may qualify for a free test kit.



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