

## Manufacturers of Lead-Based Paint Encapsulates

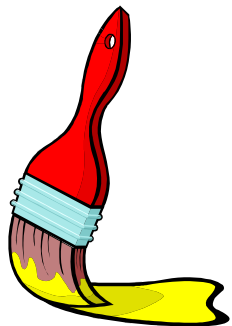
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Dumond Chemicals,  
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New York, NY 10036  
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Dynacraft Industries  
PO Box 6175  
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Encap Systems Corp.  
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Andover, MA 01810  
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GLOBAL Encasement,  
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New York, NY 10018  
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Insl-X Products Corp.  
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International Protective  
Coating Corporation  
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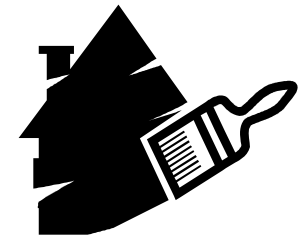
SAFE Encasement  
Systems  
860 Dana Point Court  
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**Lead Poisoning Prevention**  
New Mexico Department of Health  
Environmental Health Epidemiology Bureau  
1190 St. Francis Dr. N 1320  
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## Lead Poisoning Prevention Program Program

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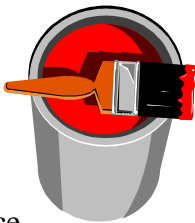
For question about  
Lead Poisoning Prevention  
call  
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## Lead-Based Paint Encapsulants

### Conventional latex paint WILL NOT effectively seal lead-based paint.

Lead-based paint encapsulants are special paints that can be applied to a rigid surface such as wallboard, wood, brick, or cement to cover up old lead-based paint. Encapsulants are intended to be a long lasting coating that prevents lead salts that are in the old paint from coming to the surface, where they pose a health hazard, especially to young children, and pregnant women.

Manufacturers claim that encapsulants may last as long as 20 years, but encapsulants must be maintained and repaired if there is a break in the surface.



The encapsulant should be checked regularly to be sure it is intact. Look for blisters, cracks, holes, peeling etc and make repairs according to the manufacturer's directions. Encapsulation is not a permanent solution to the presence of lead-based

Encapsulant paints are somewhat expensive (\$30+/gal), but much less costly than other methods of reducing the hazards of exposure to lead-based paints.

Neither HUD (Housing and Urban Development) nor the New Mexico Department of Health Lead Poisoning Prevention Program have published a list of approved lead-based paint encapsulant products at this time, but a few states have. See the following web sites:

<http://www.cdph.state.co.us/ap/down/leadencaps.PDF>

or

<http://www.dph.state.ct.us/BRS/Lead/Abatement/englishregistry.pdf>

Check this web site for a document about available testing information on lead-based paint encapsulants.

<http://www.hud.gov/offices/lead>

A list of manufacturers is provided on the reverse side to help you in your search for a product that best meets your needs. The New Mexico Department of Health does not endorse any of the products listed on these web sites or in this document. Check the Internet for more information about lead-based paint encapsulants.

Chipped, peeling, and cracked lead-based paint must be stabilized first. Use lead safe practices. See:

<http://www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/rrpamph.pdf>

for the EPA booklet *Reducing Lead Hazards When Remodeling Your Home*.

Encapsulants must not be used in high traffic areas such as floors, thresholds or stairs, or on surfaces subjected to friction or impact, such as windows and doors. Some encapsulants are not suitable for exterior use.

Follow the manufacturer's instructions carefully. Encapsulants have varying requirements for finished product thickness. Fine wood work will lose some detail. Read all directions and product labels carefully. Call the manufacturer if you have any questions.

