



Texas Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program
Texas Department of State Health Services

LEAD IN ITEMS IMPORTED FROM OTHER COUNTRIES



Medicines and home remedies

- **Middle East** - Alkohl, Bint Dahab, Bint Al Dahab, Bint Al Zahab, Bokhoor, Al Murrah, Farouk, Santrinj
- **Asia, India** - Bali goli
- **Southeast Asia** - Koo Sar, Koo So, Pay-loo-ah
- **West Africa** - Nzu, Poto, Calabash Chalk, Calabash Clay, Calabar Stone, Ndom, Mabele, Argile, La Craie
- **Mexico, Central America** - Azarcon, Alarcon, Coral, Luiga, Maria Luisa, Rueda, Litargiro, Greta, Albayald
- **India, Tibet** - Ayurvedic Medicine, Tibetan Herbal Vitamins, Kushta
- **Asia, India** - Ghasard, Surma, Bali Goli, Kandou, Deshi Dewa
- **China** - Jin Bu Huan, Po Ying Tan, Bo-Baw-San, Litarge, Cordyceps, Hai Ge Fen

Food, candy, and spices

- **Middle East** - Lozena
- **Mexico** - Grasshoppers (Chapulines), tamarind candy, chili powder, and spices
- **Eastern Europe, Republic of Georgia** - Swanuri Marili, Kharchossuneli
- **Asia, India** - Kozhambu

Cosmetics

- **Asia, India** - Sindoor
- **Middle East, India, & North Africa** - Surma, Kohl, Al Kohl, Henna

Pottery and cookware

Ceramic glaze used in pottery may contain lead and enter food stored or prepared in the pottery.

Toys and jewelry

Products bought from many stores have been found to contain lead. For information regarding recalls of jewelry and toys, visit the Consumer Product Safety Commission website at www.cpsc.gov.