



UVHFH Commits \$30,000 to Claremont Lead Removal Grants Program

We are excited to launch a new grant program aimed at removing lead from residential homes in Claremont, New Hampshire.

Lead exposure during childhood can lead to brain damage, growth delays, and slow development among other symptoms. Preventing children from coming in contact with lead by inhaling paint chips and dust in buildings with lead paint is crucial for their overall health and development.

Building on our previous housing improvement efforts in Claremont, we are committing \$30,000 to reduce lead exposure through a series of three \$10,000 grants awarded to families residing in Claremont.

The deadline to apply is November 1.

This program is funded by the Jack and Dorothy Byrne Foundation.

[Click here for more info & to apply!](#)

The Lebanon Renovation Has Begun!

Renovation work on the Chin Family's home in Lebanon began on September 12th. We are building on Mondays and Saturdays. If you would like to lend a hand as either a construction volunteer or a lunch provider [please visit VolunteerUP](#), where you can read all the details (including safety precautions) and sign up to volunteer.

We hope to have your help!



Volunteer Sam Lefkofsky removes fascia before moving onto building a stage & removing paneling.



Board and Building Committee member Rick Biddle works on the north side of the home.

Thank You, West Lebanon Home Depot!

Earlier this month we helped a tenant move, which we could not have done without the help of Home Depot generously lending us a 9' flatbed moving truck. A huge thank you goes out to Assistant Store Manager

Noel Snow and the West Lebanon Home Depot Tool & Truck Rental Crew for making this possible.

Thank you also to Chris Perez of Hypertherm and Johnathan Fancher for loading and unloading the truck in record time and to Shelia Cardamone, Gisela Jones, Board President Jack Kauders and Jeff Brand for their incredible help packing and moving.



Volunteers Chris Perez of Hypertherm & Johnathan Fancher beside what remains of their careful and precise load atop the donated Home Depot truck. They are smiling & laughing underneath those masks!

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