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Dear Member of Proposed Flint Water Crisis Class Action:

The Flint Water Class Action Legal Team is working closely with the ACLU of Michigan to make sure any child living in Flint during the Flint Water Crisis has the opportunity to be tested by a qualified neuropsychologist to determine if there are any deficiencies in brain function that could be related to exposure to lead in Flint's drinking water.

We are excited to inform you of an opportunity to have your child(ren) assessed at the new Neurodevelopmental Center of Excellence (NCE). The NCE was established in October of 2018 as a result of the settlement of a claim in the education lawsuit *D.R. v. MDE et al.*, brought by the ACLU of Michigan. You can read more about it [here](#). The Neurodevelopmental Assessment will not provide us with a direct link to the lead poisoning and how it has harmed your child, however, it will inform us of the cognitive areas in which your child is in need of assistance.

The tests used at the NCE will meet scientific standards that are valid and reliable to see which of the areas of the brain that control different cognitive functions such as language, attention, memory, sensory, fine motor, executive functioning, impulse control and behavior regulation are in need of supports and interventions. Because it is hard to detect what children are having to endure either due to the lead in the water, the trauma surrounding the crisis, or some other unidentified need, we are encouraging all of our clients to access this free opportunity by clicking on [www.genhs.org/nce](http://www.genhs.org/nce) and completing the referral form that can be directly submitted to the NCE. You can also begin this process by signing up for the Flint Registry at [www.flintregistry.org](http://www.flintregistry.org). Please enroll your child today.

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