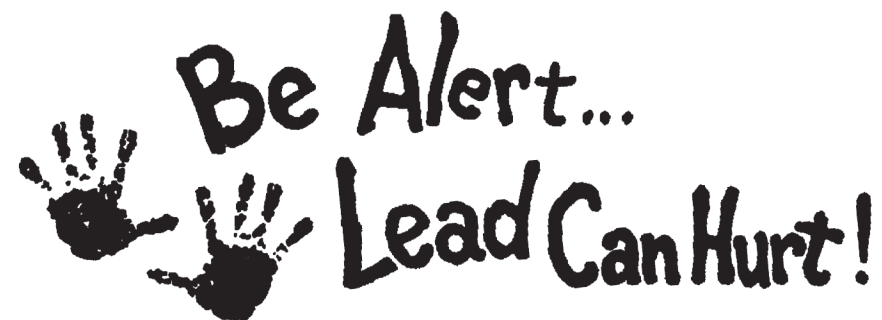


For further information on lead poisoning, contact:

or

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Lead Poisoning Prevention
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Leadosaurus says...

**Be
Alert!**



Lead Can Hurt!

Activity Book

PARENT'S NOTE:

Let's prevent another child from becoming lead poisoned-- together.

Please slow down from the activities of a busy day and enjoy this booklet with your child.

The children of today are our future.

Leadosaurus wants parents to know that

Children with lead poisoning do not always show symptoms. The only way to tell if your child is poisoned by lead is to get a blood test. If your child is poisoned, the doctor will tell you what you can do to lower the lead level. If left untreated, lead poisoning can cause lowered I.Q. and decreased learning ability. See the back of this book to find out who to call for information on how to get your child tested for lead poisoning.

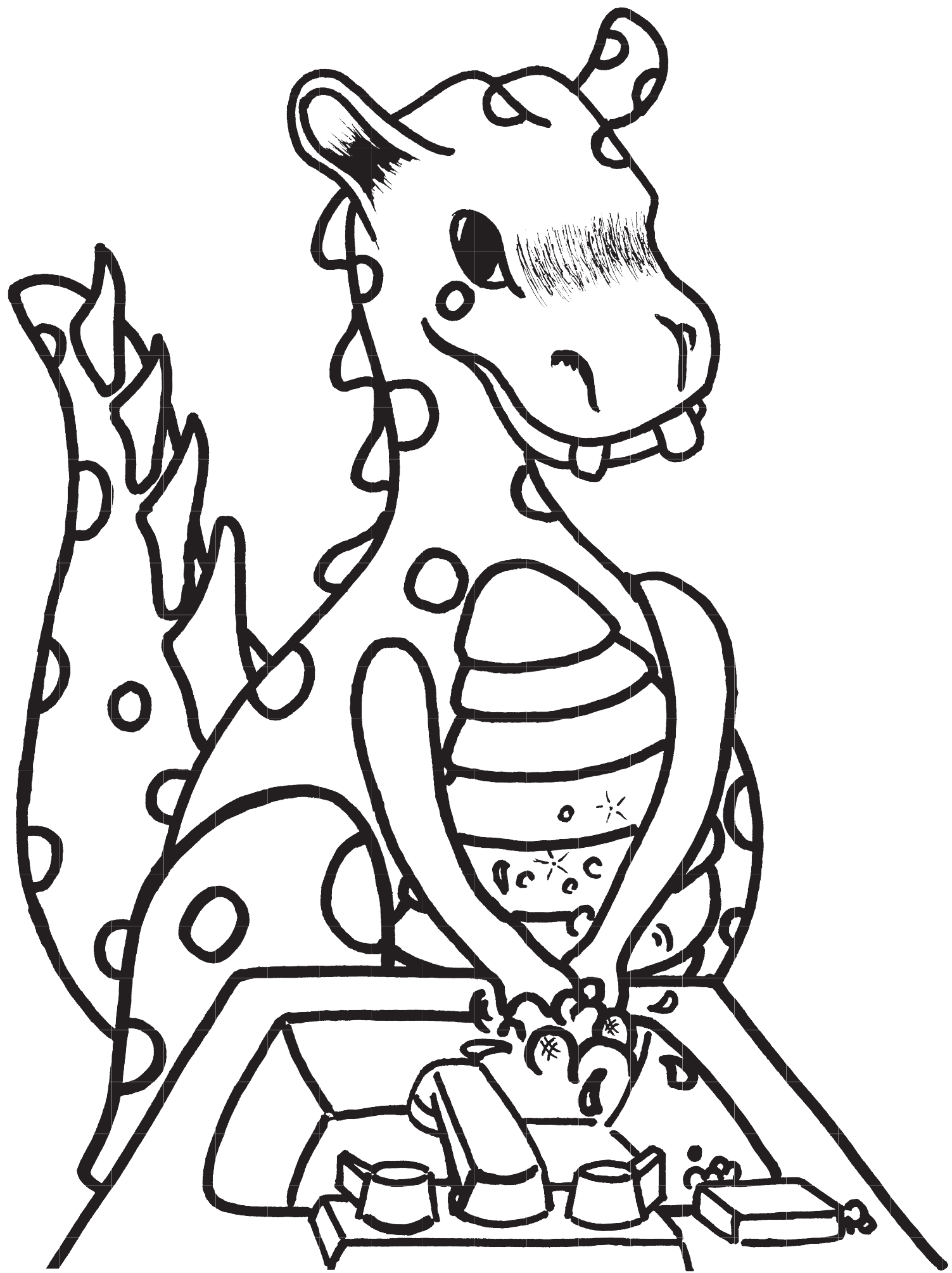
To find out if you have lead in your body, you need to go to the doctor and get a blood test.



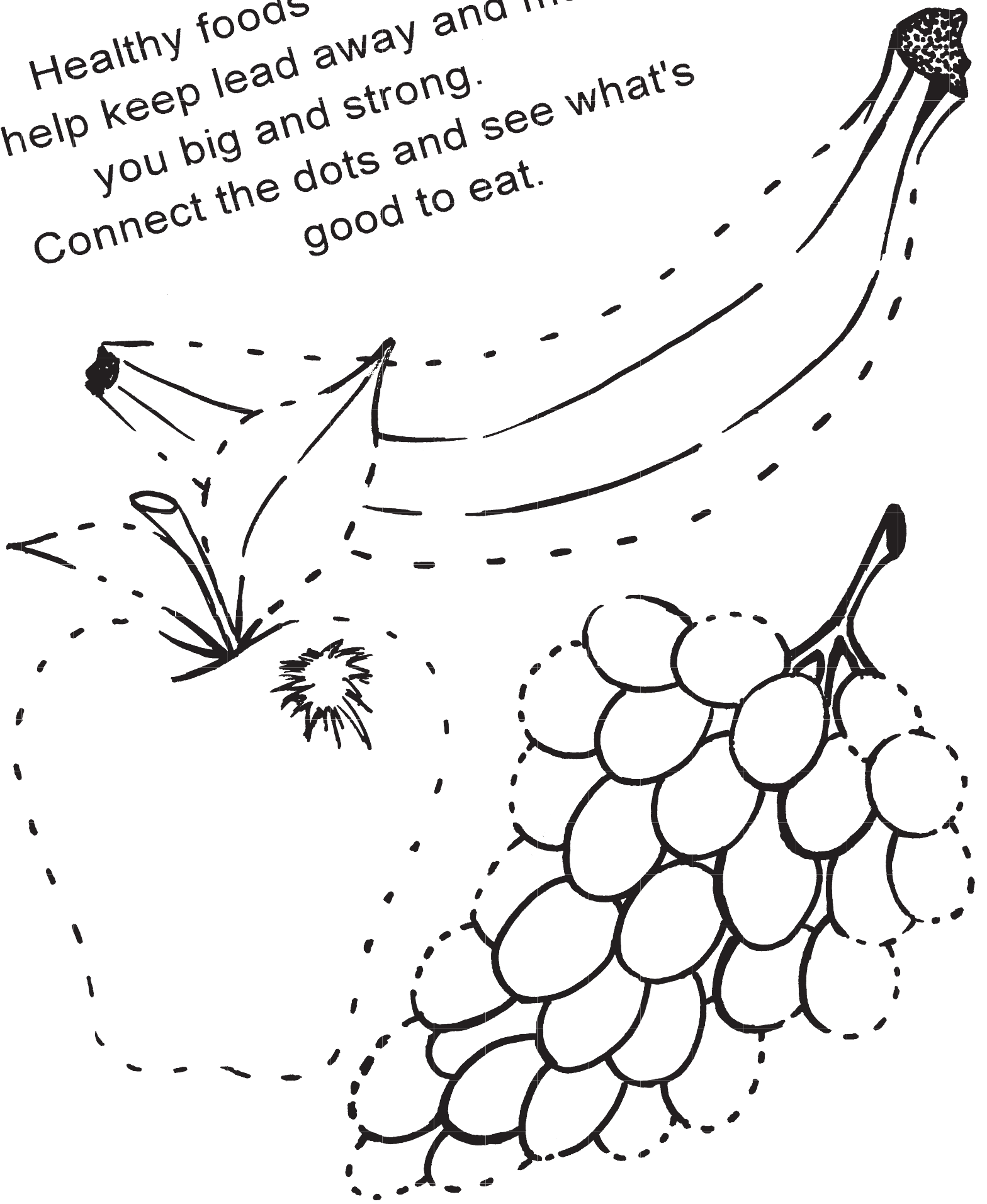
Leadosaurus is getting his blood tested for lead. Have you been tested?

Lead can make kids sick when it gets into their bodies. It hides in dust, paint and soil. A few simple tricks can help keep them safe and healthy.

1. Wash hands before eating, drinking and sleeping.
2. Never put things (like paint chips, dirty toys or hands) in mouth -- only food.
3. Eat healthy foods.
4. Get a blood test at the doctor's office or health department.



Healthy foods
help keep lead away and make
you big and strong.
Connect the dots and see what's
good to eat.



Hi, my name is Leadosaurus!
There are a few things you need to
know about keeping away from lead
so that you do not get sick.



See Leadosaurus washing
his hands? Trace your hand
on the bar of soap.

Help Leadosaurus keep away from the lead and find a safe place to play.



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