

RADON GAS – HOW TO TEST YOUR HOME



350 people get radon related lung cancer in Ireland each year

IT'S IMPORTANT TO TEST YOUR HOME FOR RADON!

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Radon is the second biggest cause of lung cancer in Ireland. Smoking is the biggest.

**25
TIMES**

The risk from radon is 25 times greater for smokers than non-smokers.

REFERENCE LEVELS



HOMES

200 Bq/m³

Take action if radon levels are above 200

170,000

Irish homes are estimated to have radon levels higher than **200 Bq/m³**

HOW TO TEST YOUR HOME

IT'S
EASY
& IT'S
CHEAP

1

ORDER YOUR RADON DETECTORS

Visit radon.ie to find a list of **registered radon test providers**.

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Two small detectors will be posted to you with instructions.



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Place one **IN YOUR MAIN BEDROOM**



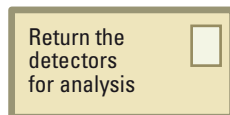
Place the other **IN YOUR LIVING AREA**



AFTER THREE MONTH'S TESTING PERIOD

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Return the detectors for analysis



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You will then receive a **REPORT** that explains your results.



IF THE TEST SHOWS THAT RADON LEVELS IN YOUR HOME ARE HIGH,
there are simple solutions available to reduce these levels.

For further information, visit www.radon.ie or call 1800 300 600

**RADON IS A NATURALLY
OCCURRING RADIOACTIVE GAS**