

LUNG CANCER IS THE
LEADING CAUSE
OF CANCER DEATHS IN IDAHO.

Know your risks.

EACH YEAR, MORE PEOPLE DIE OF LUNG CANCER
than colon, breast and prostate cancers combined.

Risk

SMOKING

85% OF LUNG CANCER DEATHS
in Idaho are caused by cigarette smoking.



16% of adults smoke cigarettes

9% of adult males use smokeless tobacco products

17% of adolescents use tobacco

Prevention

QUIT SMOKING OR NEVER START

No matter what age or how long a person has smoked,

**QUITTING LOWERS THE RISK
FOR CANCER.**

Project Filter

can connect you to resources to help you quit.

Call 1-800 Quit Now or visit
their website at projectfilter.org



SCREENING CAN DETECT LUNG CANCER EARLY.

If you are a smoker or recently quit smoking, then talk
to your doctor to see if screening is right for you.



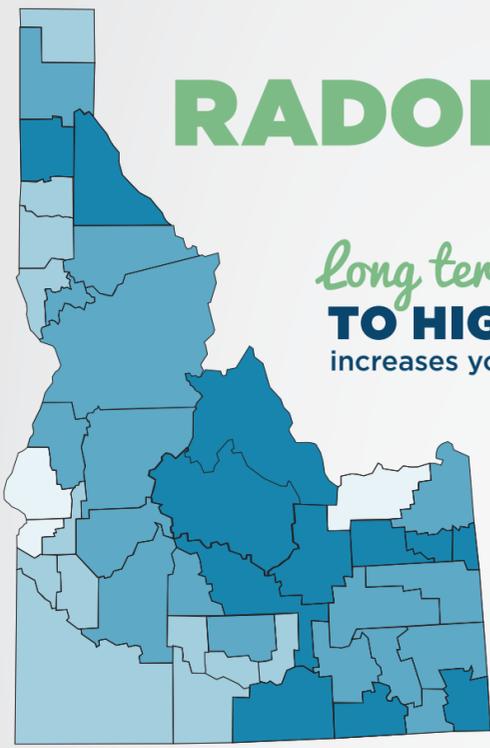
RADON IS THE LEADING CAUSE
OF LUNG CANCER
AMONG NON-SMOKERS

Risk

Long term exposure

TO HIGH RADON LEVELS

increases your risk of developing lung cancer.



More than 51% of homes tested had
high levels of radon

26-50% of homes tested had
high levels of radon

0-25% of homes tested had
high levels of radon

Counties that need more testing

TEST YOUR HOME FOR RADON

Prevention

Visit idahoradon.org to learn more.

Radon is a colorless, odorless, tasteless and invisible gas.

IF YOU SMOKE RADON PUTS YOU AT A GREATER
RISK FOR LUNG CANCER.

Smokers are **25x more likely** to be harmed
by radon than non-smokers.

For more information about lung cancer in Idaho, visit: cancer.dhw.idaho.gov



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