Radon is a naturally occurring, radioactive gas.

- It cannot be seen, smelled or tasted.
- It may seep into your home from the rocks below.
- It is the second leading cause of lung cancer.

**TEST YOUR HOME • KNOW YOUR LEVEL**
For a radon test kit, contact the Kentucky Radon Program at (502) 564-4856.

Certain types of rock have higher levels of radon:
Radon is a problem in many areas in Kentucky, including Nelson County.

High radon can occur even in a least or mild danger area.

**Smoking and radon:**
Breathing radon is dangerous, but it is even *more* harmful when you also breathe tobacco smoke.
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For more information about the maps, contact BREATHE at (859) 257-7028.

**Radon Testing:**

- Blue dots show homes already tested for radon.
- More homes in Nelson County need to be tested.

**To Do List:**

- TEST your home for radon.
- TALK with a health care provider about your results.
- FIX your home if the level is high.
  - Call a certified radon professional.
- ASK people to smoke outside.
- TELL your loved ones about the dangers of radon and tobacco smoke.

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