



Radon Leaders Saving Lives Web Portal

The Radon Leaders Saving Lives Campaign was launched at the 2007 National Radon Conference held in September in Jacksonville, Florida. Leaders from the American Association of Radon Scientists and Technologists (AARST), the Conference of Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD), and EPA's Radon Program launched the campaign with the goal of doubling the number of lives saved from radon-induced lung cancer within five years. Subsequently, the organizations agreed on the need to develop an online platform to continue the collaborative efforts needed to support the campaign goal throughout the year. CRCPD agreed to develop and host such a platform with close collaboration from AARST and EPA on content. As a result, the Radon Leaders Saving Lives web portal at <http://www.radonleaders.org> was launched at the 2008 National Radon Conference held in September in Las Vegas, Nevada. This portal connects radon stakeholders through interactive tools such as blogs and discussion forums and is a great way to connect to mitigators and testers, municipal, county, state, and federal personnel and others interested in radon. In addition, outreach activities can be shared nationally with features such as maps to track where activities are taking place and see updated activity information in real time.

To join, go to: <http://www.radonleaders.org/> Click on the "Join the Community" link at the very top of the page and create your personal account to participate in the national effort to double the number lives saved over the next five years!