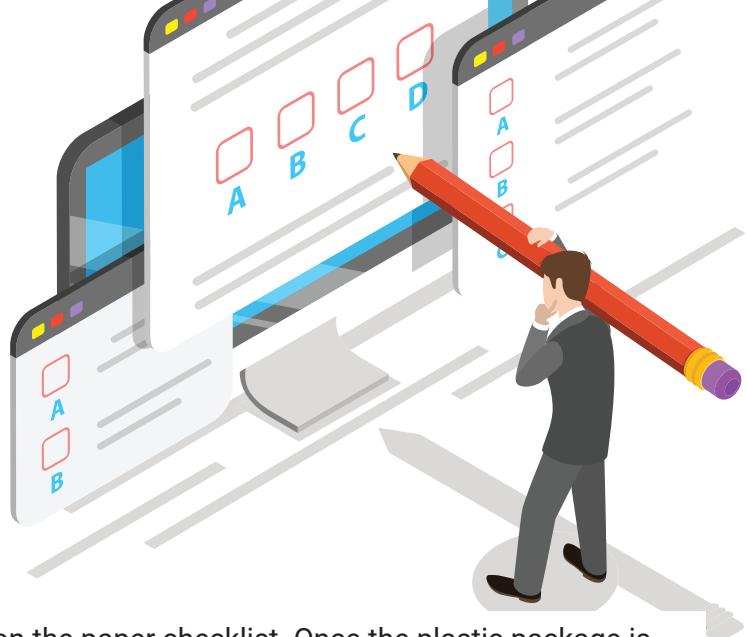


# RADON TEST INSTRUCTIONS: QUICK START GUIDE

(see more detailed instructions on reverse)

**THANKS FOR JOINING THE  
100 TEST KIT CHALLENGE!**



1. OPEN the plastic test kit package and RECORD the DATE on the paper checklist. Once the plastic package is open, your radon test is active.
2. PICK a room and a location in your home and PLACE your detector.
3. Log on to [www.radontestkitchallenge.ca](http://www.radontestkitchallenge.ca) and complete the START SURVEY.
4. Leave the detector in place for the next **100** days to complete measurement.

*On the date you are ready to drop the detector off at the Community Collection location:*

5. Complete the online END survey and RECORD the date on the test kit envelope.
6. RETURN the detector to the Community Collection Point location listed on your envelope. Keep the paper envelope for your records. *If you weren't able to do the online end survey to record your date, mark the start and end dates on the envelope with your address information and return your detector in the envelope*



1. OPEN the package and remove detector.



2. PICK a room and PLACE the detector beside a bed or couch in the lowest "lived-in" level of your home.



3. Go to [radontestkitchallenge.ca](http://radontestkitchallenge.ca) and complete the START SURVEY.



4. Leave in place **100** days.



5. Log on and complete the END SURVEY.



6. RETURN the detector to your Community Collection Point listed on your envelope.

# DETAILED RADON TEST INSTRUCTIONS - AND REFERENCE SHEET

## SETTING UP AND ACTIVATING YOUR DETECTOR

1. **OPEN** the test kit package: your detector is now active and ready to use. Please complete the information on the brown envelope and store the envelope on your fridge or in another convenient location until you receive your radon test results from the lab at the end of the program.
2. **PICK a room:** The radon detector should be placed in the lowest lived-in level of your home, since radon levels are generally higher in the lower levels of a home. If the basement is used for at least 4 hours per day, then the radon detector should be placed in a room such as a basement bedroom, office or playroom. If the basement is not used for at least 4 hours per day, then choose a room on the main floor, such as an office, living room, or bedroom. Bedrooms are good locations as we generally spend more time in the bedroom than elsewhere in the home. **PLACE** the detector on a table or shelf beside a bed or couch. Ensure the detector is away from windows, fans or other air outlets, and off of the floor. **DO NOT** place the detector in crawl spaces, kitchens, bathrooms, laundry areas, furnace rooms, or closets.

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3. **COMPLETE** the online **START SURVEY**. Enter your contact information and start date and complete the launch survey at: [www.radontestkitchallenge.ca](http://www.radontestkitchallenge.ca)

*Enjoy the next 100 days. If you have provided us with your email address in the Start Survey, we will send you a reminder email about the upcoming collection period. Please contact us if you haven't received an email from us.*

4. At the end of the testing period (after 100 days):
5. **COMPLETE** the **END SURVEY** online. Log in to [www.radontestkitchallenge.ca](http://www.radontestkitchallenge.ca) to register the end date of the measurement period and complete the last few questions of our survey.
6. **RETURN** the detector by dropping it off to your Community Collection Point at the address on your envelope.

*If your detector is NOT returned during the drop off period, you will be responsible for the cost of mailing us at: TAOR, 4 Donald McClintock Bay, Winnipeg, MB R2G 3N3*

## Detector Placement: Minimum Distance From Room Features

