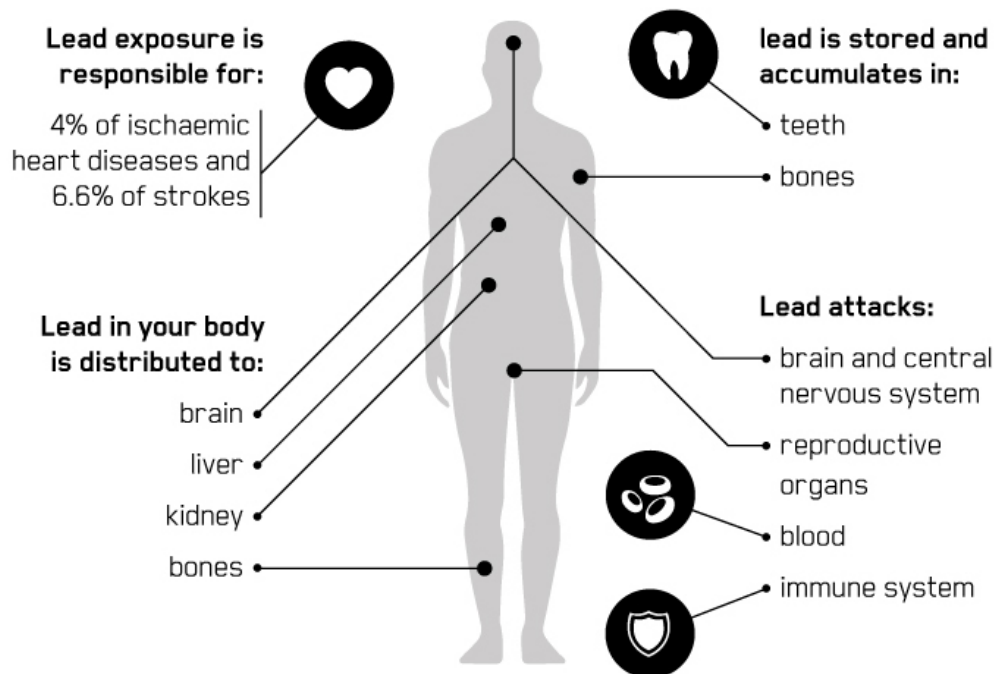# LEAD

is a widely used metal that is harmful to human health and the environment

## DID YOU KNOW?

Every year, approximately **800,000 people die of lead exposure** in developing countries

**Lead exposure is responsible for:**

4% of ischaemic heart diseases and 6.6% of strokes

**Lead in your body is distributed to:**

brain

liver

kidney

bones

**lead is stored and accumulates in:**

teeth

bones

**Lead attacks:**

brain and central nervous system

reproductive organs

blood

immune system

Neurological and behavioural effects are **irreversible**

**No level of lead** exposure is considered safe

Lead poisoning is **preventable**

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