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Short title: Blood lead levels and language

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Highlights

- Elevated blood lead levels have a lasting negative impact on language skills.
- The effects of lead exposure on language becomes more evident in later childhood.
- Other factors such as maternal vocabulary may positively influence language skills.
- Caregiver's psychological distress may negatively impact language skills.

Abstract

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