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### **OVERVIEW**

The purpose of the Black Lung Clinics Program (BLCP) is to reduce the morbidity and mortality that is associated with occupationally-related coal mine dust lung disease. BLCP awardees range from public, private, and state entities.

As a part of the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), the Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) oversees BLCP. FORHP coordinates activities related to improving access, quality and financing for rural health care within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) by analyzing policy and providing grant funding.

BLCP is authorized by Section 427(a) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 as amended and accompanying regulations found at 42 CFR Part 55a.

Over 13,000 miners were served by BLCP clinics between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019.

#### **RESOURCES**

# HEALTH RESOURCES AND SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (HRSA)

Phone: 301-443-0491 Email: Blacklung@hrsa.gov

Website: <a href="https://www.hrsa.gov/get-health-care/conditions/black-lung/index.html">https://www.hrsa.gov/get-health-care/conditions/black-lung/index.html</a>

### U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR (DOL)

Contact: https://www.dol.gov/owcp/dcmwc/

# MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION (MSHA)

Contact: <a href="https://www.msha.gov/">https://www.msha.gov/</a>

CDC- NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY (NIOSH)

Contact:

https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/cwhsp

# BLACK LUNG DATA AND RESOURCE CENTER

Contact: <a href="http://www.blacklungcoe.org/">http://www.blacklungcoe.org/</a>

NATIONAL COALITION OF BLACK LUNG AND RESPIRATORY DISEASE CLINICS, INC.

Contact: <a href="http://blacklungcoalition.org/">http://blacklungcoalition.org/</a>

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# BLACK LUNG CLINICS PROGRAM



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### SERVICES PROVIDED

The Black Lung Clinics Program (BLCP) provides funding for medical, outreach, educational, and benefits counseling services to active, inactive, and disabled coal miners throughout the country. BLCP services include:

- Patient Education and Outreach
- Lung Function Testing
- Chest Imaging
- Pulmonary Rehabilitation
- Medical Case Management
- Department of Labor Black Lung Physical Examination and Benefits Counseling
- Federal and State Black Lung Compensation Services and Counseling

### **CLINIC LOCATIONS**

#### **Big Sandy Health Care**

1709 KY Route 321 Prestonsburg, Kentucky 41653 Phone: 606-886-8546

Hope Family Medical Center 940 Parkway Drive Salyersville, KY 41465 606-349-5126

Martin County Community Health Center 6500 Highway 645 Inez, KY 41224 606-298-3412

Pikeville Community Health Center 50 Weddington Branch Road Ste B Pikeville, KY 41501 606-637-6377

Shelby Valley Clinic 178 Douglas Parkway Pikeville, KY 41501 606-639-3135

Eula Hall Health Center 7629 Eula Hall Highway Grethel, KY 41631 606-587-2200

Physicians for Women and Families 23 Willow Drive Auxier, KY 41602 606-886-8997

### **CLINIC LOCATIONS**

#### **Stone Mountain**

Administration 276 Fieldstone Drive Jonesville, Virginia 24263 Phone: 276-546-5310

213 Monarch Road St. Charles, Virginia 24282 Phone: 276-383-4428

1060 Anchorage Circle Vansant, Virginia 24656 Phone: 276-498-1625

#### **Community Health of East Tennessee**

130 Independence Lane Lafollette, Tennessee 37766 Phone: 423-563-1015

Owensboro Health, Muhlenberg Community Hospital, Coal Miners' Respiratory Clinic

440 Hopkinsville Street Greenville, Kentucky 42345 Phone: 270-338-8419

https://www.hrsa.gov/get-health-care/conditions/black-lung/index.html

<sup>\*</sup>All of these services are available regardless of a miner's ability to pay.

<sup>\*</sup>For a full list of HRSA-funded black lung clinic locations, please visit: