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

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR (DOL)

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

MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION (MSHA)

Contact: https://www.msha.gov/

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

Contact:

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

BLACK LUNG DATA AND RESOURCE CENTER

Contact: http://www.blacklungcoe.org/

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

Contact: http://blacklungcoalition.org/

This publication lists non-federal resources in order to provide additional information to consumers. The views and content in these resources have not been formally approved by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) or the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). Neither HHS nor HRSA endorses the products or services of the listed resources.

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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

*All of these services are available regardless of a miner's ability to pay.

CLINIC LOCATIONS

West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources/Bureau for Public Health/Division of Primary Care

350 Capitol Street

Charleston, West Virginia 23501

Phone: 304-356-4234

Valley Health Systems

Valley Health - Upper Kanawha 408 Alexander Street

Cedar Grove, West Virginia 25309

Phone: 304-595-1770

Valley Health - Harts 22 Fleming Drive

Harts, West Virginia 25524 Phone: 304-855-4595

Valley Health - Stepptown #3 Adena Drive Kermit, West Virginia 25674

Phone: 304-393-4090

Hygeia Facilities Foundation

Raleigh-Boone Medical Center 37456 Coal River Road Whitesville, West Virginia 25209

Phone: 304-854-1323

Oceana Medical Center
26 Trinity Lane
Oceana, West Virginia 24870

Phone: 304-682-6246

Wharton Medical Center 35767 Pond Fork Road P.O. Box 89

Wharton, West Virginia 25208

Phone: 304-247-6202

CLINIC LOCATIONS

Southern WV Health System 650 East McDonald Avenue Man, West Virginia 25635 Phone: 304-583-8585

122 Nick Savas Avenue Logan, West Virginia 25601 Phone: 304-752-8081

5027 Helena Avenue Delbarton, West Virginia 25670 Phone: 304-475-1761

202 Larry Joe Harless Drive Gilbert, West Virginia 25621 Phone: 304-664-6270

Madison Medical 471 Main Street Madison, West Virginia 25130 Phone: 304-369-5170

Cabin Creek Health Systems, Inc. Route 79-5722 Cabin Creek Road Dawes, West Virginia 25054 Phone: 304-595-5006

Boone Memorial Hospital 701 Madison Avenue Madison, WV 25130 Phone: 304-369-1230

*For a full list of HRSA-funded black lung clinic locations, please visit:

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