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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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## 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**

#### Canvonlands Healthcare

827 Vista Avenue Page, Arizona 86040 Phone: 928-645-6600

PO Box 1496 Chilchinbeto, Arizona 86033 Phone: 928-697-8154

#### **NOWCAP**

PO Box 6021, 2240 Coffeen Avenue Sheridan, Wyoming 82801 Phone: 307-672-0046

407 S Medical Arts Court Suite D Gillette, Wyoming 82716 Phone: 307-672-0046

15 S. Carbon Avenue Price, Utah 84501 Phone: 435-613-8790

PO Box 1858, 6230 Main Street Colstrip, Montana 59323 Phone: 406-748-3600

1312 Hwy 49 N. Beulah, North Dakota 58523 Phone: 307-672-0046

### **CLINIC LOCATIONS**

## Miners' Colfax Medical Center

203 Hospital Drive Raton, New Mexico 87740 Phone: 575-445-3661

## <u>Miners Clinic of Colorado at National</u> <u>Jewish Health</u>

1400 Jackson Street Denver, Colorado 80206 Phone: 877-255-5864

#### **Outreach Clinic Locations:**

Parkview Medical Center, Pueblo, CO Montrose Memorial Hospital, Montrose, CO Memorial Regional Health, Craig, CO Canyonlands Healthcare, Page, AZ

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

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