# leadcare II<sup>\*</sup> Blood lead testing in **Oklahoma**

This information is subject to change

#### Who needs to be tested?

#### Universal

- Federal rules require blood lead testing of all Medicaid children at ages 1 and 2 years old and 3 to 6 year olds if they have not been previously tested.
- Oklahoma Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program requires that ALL children be tested at 1 and 2 years of age, regardless of Medicaid status.
- Lead test required for all Head Start children prior to enrollment.
- Discuss lead exposure with all women who are lactating, pregnant, or planning a pregnancy.
   CDC & ACOG recommend testing when only one risk factor is present.
  - For more information: <u>CDC's Guidelines for the Identification and Management of Lead Exposure in Pregnant And Lactating Women</u>

#### **Targeted**

- All other children not tested at ages 1 and 2 years should be screened with the Lead Risk Assessment Questionnaire.
   http://www.ok.gov/health2/documents/LERAQ1%20June%202012%20English.pdf

#### What is the reimbursement?\*

- CPT Code 36416, Collection of a capillary blood specimen, ~\$3.00
- CPT Code 83655, Blood Lead
- Private Insurance: ~ \$18.00
- Medicaid : ~ \$17.00

## What do you need to get started?

#### State Licensure

CLIA Certificate of Waiver or higher

### **Lead Testing Reporting Requirements**

<u>ALL</u> blood lead results must be reported to the state.
 For more detailed information, refer to: <a href="http://www.ok.gov/health2/documents/LEAD rules.pdf">http://www.ok.gov/health2/documents/LEAD rules.pdf</a>

## **Need Help?**

- Call LeadCare Product Support at (800) 275-0102
- Visit our website at www.MagellanDx.com
- Contact the Oklahoma Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program at (405) 271-6617 or http://www.oklppp@health.ok.gov

<sup>\*</sup> Actual reimbursement rates vary by plan and should be verified.