leadcare II[®] Blood lead testing in Indiana

This information is subject to change

Who needs to be tested?

Universal

- Effective Jan. 1, 2023, all providers in Indiana are required to offer blood lead testing to patients at ages 1 and 2, or as soon as possible before the age of 7 if not previously tested.
- All children on Medicaid are required to be tested at ages 1 and 2.
- Lead testing is required for all Head Start children prior to enrollment.
- Discuss lead exposure with all women who are planning a pregnancy, pregnant or lactating. CDC
 & ACOG recommendation testing when a single risk factor is identified.
- For more information: <u>CDC's Guidelines for the Identification and Management of Lead Exposure in Pregnant And Lactating Women</u>
- For more detailed information, visit http://www.in.gov/isdh/26550.htm

What is the reimbursement?*

- CPT Code 36416, Collection of a capillary blood specimen, ~\$3.00
- CPT Code 83655, Blood Lead
- Private Insurance: ~ \$13.00
- Medicaid: ~ \$16.00

What do you need to get started?

State Licensure

CLIA Certificate of Waiver or higher

Lead Testing Reporting Requirements

• **ALL** blood lead results must be reported to the state.

For additional information on reporting, visit: https://www.in.gov/health/lead-and-healthy-homes-division/lead-information/specimen-testing-and-shipping/

Need Help?

- Call LeadCare Product Support at (800) 275-0102
- Visit our website at <u>www.MagellanDx.com</u>
- Contact the ISDH Lead and Healthy Homes Program at (317) 233-1296

^{*} Actual reimbursement rates vary by plan and should be verified.