

BLOOD LEAD TESTING PROVIDERS

San Diego Region

October 23, 2009

City of San Diego



The City of San Diego Lead Hazard Prevention and Control Ordinance requires that a child between the ages of six months and seven years, prior to enrolling in a licensed child care facility, must have the child's blood lead levels be tested (requirement as of May 9, 2008). Childcare providers must obtain evidence of a blood lead test prior to admission, or no later than thirty days after admission. A parent or legal guardian needs to obtain a statement from a physician or health care provider that the child has been tested in accordance with applicable criteria mandated by the State of California.

The following are various clinics that provide blood lead testing. Parents are encouraged to go to their child's regular doctor to have the test performed. Large health care providers (i.e., Rady Children's, Sharp, Kaiser, Scripps, UCSD, etc.) are not included in the list below but may be your best option if that is where you normally go for your child's medical care.

CLINICS	FINGER PRICK	VENOUS DRAW
La Maestra Community Health Centers		
<i>La Maestra Community Health Center - Main Medical Clinic</i> 4185 Fairmount Ave., San Diego, CA 92105 Ph. 619-280-4213	X	X
<i>La Maestra Community Health Center - National City Medical Clinic</i> 101 North Highland Avenue Suite A, National City, CA 91950 Ph. 619-434-7308	X	X
Scripps Clinic Medical Laboratories		
<i>Scripps Clinic Medical Laboratories – Mission Valley</i> 7565 Mission Valley Rd., #200 San Diego, CA 92108 Ph. 619-245-2350	X	
<i>Scripps Clinic Medical Laboratories – Rancho Bernardo</i> 15004 Innovation Dr. San Diego, CA 92128 Ph. 858-605-7220	X	
<i>Scripps Clinic Medical Laboratories – Carmel Valley</i> 3811 Valley Center Dr., Bldg 5 San Diego, CA 92130 Ph. 858-764-3000	X	

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Other Clinics		
<i>Children's Clinic La Jolla, Inc</i> 5726 La Jolla Blvd., Unit 107 La Jolla, CA 92037 Ph. 858-459-5437	X	
<i>La Jolla Pediatrics</i> 4150 Regents Park Row, Ste. 215 La Jolla, CA 92037 Ph. 858-457-4338	X	
<i>Advanced Pediatric Medical Associates</i> 5222 Balboa Ave, No 42 San Diego, CA 92117 Ph. 858-268-0702	X	
<i>Children's Health Care Medical Associates</i> 550 Washington St., Se 300 San Diego, CA 92103 Ph. 619-297-5437	X	
<i>Teresita T Barbadillo MD, Inc</i> 655 Euclid Ave., Ste 201 National City, CA 91950 Ph. 619-267-8601	X	
<i>Pediatrics Partners - Fallbrook</i> 1107 Mission Rd. Fallbrook, CA 92028 Ph. 760-451-0070	X	
<i>Aruna K Garg, MD</i> 105 Duran St., Ste C Vista, CA 92083 Ph. 760-724-8562	X	
Family Health Centers		
<i>City Heights Family Health Center</i> 5379 El Cajon Blvd, San Diego, CA 92115 Ph. 619-515-2400		X
<i>Downtown Family Health Center</i> 1145 Broadway, San Diego, CA 92101 Ph. 619-515-2525		X

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<i>Beach Area Family Health Center</i> 3705 & 3690 Mission Blvd., San Diego, CA 92109 Ph. 619-515-2444		X
<i>Logan Heights Family Health Center</i> 1809 National Avenue, San Diego, CA 92113 Ph. 619-515-2300		X
<i>North Park Family Health Center</i> 3544 30th Street, San Diego, CA 92104 Ph. 619-515-2424		X
<i>Sherman Heights Family Health Center</i> 2391 Island Avenue, San Diego, CA 92102 Ph. 619-515-2435		X
<i>Diamond Neighborhoods Family Health Center</i> 220 Euclid Avenue, Suite 40, San Diego, CA 92114 Ph. 619-515-2560		X
<i>Chula Vista Family Health Center</i> 251 Landis Avenue, Chula Vista, CA 91910 Ph. 619-515-2500		X
San Diego Family Care		
<i>Linda Vista Health Clinic</i> 6973 Linda Vista Road San Diego, CA 92111 Ph. 858-279-0925		X
<i>Mid-City Community Clinic Pediatrics</i> 4305 University Ave. San Diego, CA 92105 Ph. 619-280-2058		X
San Ysidro Health Centers		
<i>Main Number</i> - All locations (619) 662-4100		
<i>San Ysidro Health Center</i> 4004 Beyer Blvd, San Ysidro, CA 92154 Ph. 619-428-4463	X	X

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<i>National City Family Clinic</i> 1136 D Avenue National City, CA 91950 Ph. (619) 336-2300	X	X
<i>Chula Vista Family Clinic</i> 865 Third Avenue, Suite 133, Chula Vista, CA 91910 Ph. (619) 498-6200	X	X
<i>Comprehensive Health Center - Euclid</i> 286 Euclid Avenue, Suite 302 San Diego, CA 92114 Ph. (619) 527-7330	X	X
<i>Comprehensive Health Center - Downtown</i> 120 Elm Street, Suite 100 San Diego, CA 92101 Ph. (619) 235-4211	X	X
<i>Comprehensive Health Center – Logan Heights</i> 3177 Ocean View Boulevard San Diego, CA 92113 Ph. (619) 231-9300	X	X
<i>Otay Family Health Center</i> 1637 3rd Ave Suites B F H & I, Chula Vista, CA 91911 Ph. (619) 205-1360	X	X
<i>South Bay Family Urgent Care</i> 340 4th Avenue, Suite 7 Chula Vista, CA 91910 Ph. (619) 205-1960	X	X
<i>Paradise Hills Family Clinic</i> 2400 E 8th St National City, CA 91950 Ph. (619) 662-4100	X	X

This guide is for information purposes only and may not be current. Before visiting, contact the Health Center/Clinic to confirm information and to make an appointment.

Childhood lead poisoning is the greatest preventable environmental disease affecting children today. The highest risk is for children under six as their brains and nervous systems are still developing and are more sensitive to the damaging effects of lead. Medical research in the past five years identifies there is no safe level of lead exposure in children. The highest loss of intelligence quotient, an average of 7.3, occurs below the Center for Disease Control and Preventions level of concern of 10 micrograms of lead per deciliter of blood. Additional research in 2008 shows compelling evidence linking childhood lead poisoning to criminal activity later in life.

Don't hesitate to contact the Lead Safe Neighborhoods Program for assistance! 858-694-7000 • Lead-safe@sandiego.gov • www.lead safeneighborhoods.org