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Blood Lead Level (BLL) Reporting Guidelines in Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, and Washington

State	Who reports?	BLL threshold to report?	When to send?	Where to send?	State Health Department Lead Contact Number
Alaska	Health care providers and laboratories	All BLL must be reported.	Within 1 week: all BLLs > 5 ug/dL Within 4 weeks: all other BLLs	AK Section of Epidemiology 3601 C Street Suite 540 Anchorage, AK 99503 Fax: 907-561-4239	907-269-8000
Idaho	Health care providers	All BLL > 5 ug/dL must be reported.	Within 3 working days	Clinicians report (usually by fax) to Health Districts. Health Districts report to ID Department of Health and Welfare.	1-800-445-8647 or 208-334-0614
Oregon	Clinicians and laboratories	All BLL must be reported.	Within 1 working day: all BLLs > 5 ug/dL Within 7 working days: all other BLLs	For BLLs > 5 ug/dL: fax Elevated Blood Lead Test Reporting Form to Oregon Health Authority (971-673-0457) https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/HealthyEnvironments/HealthyNeighborhoods/LeadPoisoning/CountyHealthDepartments/Documents/EBLLReportingForm.pdf All other BLLs: Electronic Lab Reporting (ELR), fax, to secure email to Oregon Health Authority.	971-673-0440
Washington	Laboratories, or provider if a point of care lead measurement device is used	All BLL must be reported.	Within 2 days: BLLs greater than or equal to 5 ug/dL in children or 10 ug/dL or greater in adults Within 1 month: all other BLLs	Use either Electronic Lab Reporting through PHRED HL7 or the Blood Lead Test Report Form. For the latter, contact lead@doh.wa.gov to set up a secure email account to submit the form.	1-800-909-9898 or 360-236-4280