

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL TAKE CHARGE OF, PROSECUTE, AND DEFEND ON BEHALF OF THE STATE EVERY CASE ARISING UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS TITLE AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED THEREUNDER.

[Article - Health - General]

[17-202.2] 6-303.

(a) In this section, "Class I" means the low risk category or any successor category for blood lead poisoning that is defined by the Centers for Disease Control.

(b) A medical laboratory shall report the results of any blood lead or erythrocyte protoporphyrin test that indicates a risk of lead poisoning that is greater than Class I performed on any child 18 years and under to the local health department of the jurisdiction where the child resides.

(c) A local health department shall report any information it receives under subsection (b) of this section to the Department.

Title 6.

Toxic, Carcinogenic, and Flammable Substances

SUBTITLE 7.

OCCUPATIONAL DISEASES

[18-106] 6-701.

(a) The Secretary shall:

(1) Accept from physicians reports on occupational diseases;

(2) Study occupational diseases and means to prevent and control the diseases; and

(3) Submit to the General Assembly recommendations to prevent and control these diseases.

(b) (1) After notice and a public hearing before the Secretary, the Secretary may adopt rules and regulations necessary to prevent and control occupational diseases.

(2) The Secretary shall enforce the rules and regulations adopted under this section.

(c) The Secretary shall:

(1) Investigate each industrial condition that is suspected of causing an occupational disease; and