

Lung Screening Reminder

June 8th 2022

TIM SAMPLE
1234 Testing Street
Vancouver, BC V5Z 1G1

Dear Tim,

It's time for your next Lung Screening CT Scan. Lung screening works by finding cancer early, even when you are not feeling any symptoms. When cancer is found early, there are more treatment options and a better chance of success. Early detection has been shown to increase the chance of survival of those diagnosed with lung cancer by 20%.

Please contact the BC Cancer Lung Screening Program at 1-877-717-5864 to arrange for your CT scan referral. During this call, we will update your health record, including your health care provider and contact information before sending your referral to the hospital that will contact you to book your appointment. Please do not contact the hospital directly as they are unable to book your appointment without a referral.

ARRANGE A CT SCAN REFERRAL

Please call BC Cancer Lung Screening at **1-877-717-5864** (Monday to Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm) to arrange a CT scan referral.

It is important that you return to screening when you receive your reminder from the program letting you know you are due for your next scan. Lung screening works best when the radiologists are able to compare your scans over time to look for any small changes that may have occurred since your last CT scan.

If you no longer wish to continue screening, please contact us to stop future reminder notices from being sent to you.

If you have changed your address, please visit <https://www.addresschange.gov.bc.ca/> to update your address with ICBC and Health Insurance BC online at the same time.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact the program at 1-877-717-5864.

If you have any questions about lung screening, please visit www.screeningbc.ca/lung. Thank you for participating in the BC Cancer Lung Screening Program.

Regards,

Dr. Stephen Lam
Lung Screening Medical Director

If you have received this report in error, please notify us immediately at 1-877-717-5864.

Your personal information is collected and protected from unauthorized use and disclosure, in accordance with the Personal Information Protection Act and, when applicable, the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, and may be used and disclosed only as provided by those Acts. The personal information is used to provide medical services, and to provide Lung Screening Program support to patients. The information collected is used for quality assurance management and disclosed to healthcare practitioners involved in providing care or when required by law. In addition, the Lung Screening Program will advise patients of results, remind patients and their primary care providers about rescreening or follow-up, and will conduct and monitor quality and performance of the screening process.

Any questions regarding the collection of the information by BC Cancer can be directed to: 801 – 686 West Broadway, Vancouver BC V5Z 1G1, or email: screening@bccancer.bc.ca. If this information is received in error, please contact the sender immediately.