

## RESULT LETTER (SIGNIFICANT FINDING)

Dear \_\_\_\_\_,

RE: Your screening low-dose chest CT done on:

Interpreted by:

Report electronically available to:

Date:

We are writing to inform you that your recent lung screening CT shows \_\_\_\_\_ nodules requiring follow-up at this time. However, there is an “incidental or additional” finding, which may require further evaluation. This does not necessarily mean there is a serious problem, but it should not be ignored. Your ordering provider will receive a copy of this CT report and you are encouraged to follow up with your practitioner.

It is recommended that you continue annual lung cancer screening every 12 months as long as you meet the criteria. Your next follow-up will be due on or after \_\_\_\_\_

**Once we receive an order from your provider, you will be contacted by one of our lung screening staff members to schedule this exam.**

Here are some other important points you should know:

- Your full low-dose chest CT report, including any minor observations, has been sent to your healthcare provider. Your exam report and images will be kept on file at \_\_\_\_\_ as part of your permanent record and are available for your continuing care.
- Although low-dose chest CT is very effective at finding lung cancer early, it cannot find all lung cancers. If you develop any new symptoms such as shortness of breath, chest pain, or coughing up blood, please call your doctor.
- Please keep in mind that good health involves quitting smoking. For help in quitting, please contact our health coaches at \_\_\_\_\_ or call \_\_\_\_\_ to register for smoking cessation classes.
- Screening does not obligate you to return to \_\_\_\_\_ but we are happy to provide the service to you.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact your healthcare provider. You may also contact the \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, Monday through Friday.

Sincerely,