

In order to meet the prerequisites for each of the presumptions, (heart and lung, cancer, and infectious disease), the following testing must be completed and submitted to the FRP office EVERY FIVE (5) YEARS:

- GENERAL PHYSICAL EXAM WITH BLOOD PRESSURE
- CHEST X –RAY REPORT WITH DIAGNOSIS FROM RADIOLOGIST
- EKG RESULTS AND COPY OF TRACING
- BLOOD STUDY: CHEMISTRY, CBC, CMP, SMA 24, PSA (over age 50)
- URINALYSIS WITH MICROSCOPIC SCAN
- BASIC PULMONARY FUNCTION STUDY (with bronchodilator, if necessary)
- D.L.C.O. (if patient has any abnormalities)
- 100 PERCENT SKIN EXAM
- BREAST EXAM OR MAMMOGRAM (if applicable)
- OCCULT BLOOD SCREEN OR COLONOSCOPY
- PELVIC EXAM WITH PAP (if applicable)
- HIV TEST (Reflex to Western Blot, if necessary)
- HEPATITIS A ANTIBODY, IgG, TEST
- HEPATITIS B SURFACE ANTIBODY TEST
- HEPATITIS C ANTIBODY TEST

In addition to the above testing requirements to be completed every five (5) years, the following tests must be completed **ANNUALLY** in order to meet the requirements of the presumption for infectious disease:

- GENERAL PHYSICAL EXAM WITH BLOOD PRESSURE & BLOOD TEST
- HIV TEST (Reflex to Western Blot, if necessary)
- HEPATITIS A ANTIBODY, IgG, TEST
- HEPATITIS B SURFACE ANTIBODY TEST
- HEPATITIS C ANTIBODY TEST
- ONE OF THE FOLLOWING: CHEST X-RAY, TB BLOOD TEST, or TB SKIN TEST

All disability applications are now processed entirely through the Firefighters' Retirement Plan (FRP), therefore, **copies of all of the above tests must be sent to the FRP Office at the following address:**

**Firefighters' Retirement Plan
1114 Market Street, Suite 740
St. Louis, MO 63101
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If you have any questions, call Janice Fairless at 314-622-3216.