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Washington D.C. --- U.S. Representative Nick J. Rahall (D-4th), will visit two black lung clinics in Beckley, West Virginia, on Friday, April 1.

Congressman Rahall's schedule for the inspection trip is:

11:30 am	Appalachian Regional Hospital 306 1/2 Stanaford Rd.
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1:30 pm	Beckley Medical Association 200 Raleigh Ave.
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Rahall will be accompanied by Under Secretary of Labor Donald Ellsberg on his visit.

Congressman Rahall's trip to Beckley will be the second phase of an inspection of black lung facilities. Rahall will tour the Black Lung Division of the Department of Labor in Washington on Thursday, March 31.

Rahall is making these visits in preparation for consideration by the full House of Representatives on the Black Lung Reform of 1977. Rahall is a co-sponsor of the legislation.

No formal press conference will be held at the inspection sites, but local media representatives are invited to cover the event.

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