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Newborn screening for Severe Combined Immune Deficiency (SCID)

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Screening for Severe Combined Immune Deficiency (SCID) will start August 12, 2013

Update: NSO is pleased to inform you that the revised provincial regulation surrounding newborn screening has been approved by the Cabinet and the laboratory licensing process has been completed. NSO is now able to openly discuss the plans for SCID screening.

What's next? Prior to its launch, it is essential that the public and prospective parents are appropriately informed about SCID screening. A start date of August 12, 2013 has therefore been selected to allow time for these communications to be made.



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