

CHILD AND YOUTH TUBERCULOSIS SCREENING CERTIFICATE

TO BE COMPLETED BY HEALTH CARE PROVIDER
(EL PROVEEDOR MÉDICO DEBE COMPLETAR ESTE FORMULARIO)

1. Does child/youth have any of the following symptoms?

___ Cough >3 weeks ___ Unexplained fever ___ Night sweats ___ Unexplained weight loss

- No to all → Go to question #2
 Yes to any → Evaluate symptoms

2. Has the child/youth ever had a positive (+) Tuberculosis Skin Test (TST)?

- No→ Go to question #3
 Yes→ Confirm that child/youth was appropriately evaluated, i.e., had a documented negative x-ray and treatment for latent TB infection was recommended

3. Ask all the following **risk assessment** questions and check the box if the answer is YES*

- a. Was the child born in a high risk country?** (If yes, plant only if no prior TST)

Since the child/youth's last Risk Assessment or last negative TST:

- b. Has the child/youth traveled in (≥ 1 week) a high-risk country?** (If yes, plant TST at least 10 weeks after return from travel.) **TST will be due** _____
- c. Has the child/youth lived in (≥ 3 months) a high risk country? **
- d. Has a household member or close contact of the child/youth had tuberculosis disease?
- e. Has a household member or close contact of the child/youth had a positive TST?
- f. Has the child/youth been a resident of a shelter, prison, or jail?
- g. Has a close contact of the child/youth been a resident or employee of a shelter, prison, jail, nursing home or assisted living facility?

CONTINUE ONLY IF CLIENT IS < 6 YEARS OF AGE:

- h. Was a parent or guardian of the child born in a high risk country? ** (If yes, plant only if no prior TST)
- i. Has the child had household or close contact with people (e.g., a babysitter) from a high risk Country? **

***If yes to any of questions 3a – i, plant TST and read at 48-72 hours**

****High risk countries = Countries other than the US, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, or in Western Europe**

If desired, clip along dotted line and give portion below to parent for child's school.

CERTIFICATE OF TB SCREENING

Name of child/youth: _____ DOB _____ School _____

___ Risk factor identified, TST placed on _____ TST results _____ mm Date TST read _____

___ Prior documented (+) TST, no TST planted

___ No risk factors identified, no TST needed



Physician's or RN's signature

Physician's stamp & address here:

Date _____



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