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Kentucky Department of Veterans Affairs

# Annual TB Risk Assessment (Resident and Employee)

Name (if employee): \_\_\_\_\_

Check One:  Resident  Employee  Volunteer

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

### History of TB Skin Test and Treatment

Prior Mantoux Tuberculin Skin Test (TST)?  No  Yes Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Induration: \_\_\_ mm

Prior TB treatment?  No  Yes ➤ Provide details below:

LTBI  TB Disease Year of treatment: \_\_\_\_\_ Treatment duration: \_\_\_\_\_ Location of treatment: \_\_\_\_\_

TB medications taken: \_\_\_\_\_

### **I. Screen for TB Symptoms (Check all that apply)**

- None (Skip to Section II, "Screen for Infection Risk")
- Cough for > 3 weeks ➤ Productive?  Yes  No  
Hemoptysis?  Yes  No
- Fever, unexplained
- Unexplained weight loss
- Poor appetite
- Night sweats
- Fatigue

### **II. Screen for TB Infection Risk (Check all that apply)**

Individuals with an increased risk for acquiring latent TB infection (LTBI) or for progressing to active disease once infected should have a TST. Screening for persons with a history of LTBI should be individualized.

#### **A. Assess Risk for Acquiring LTBI**

- Person is a current close contact of a person known or suspected to have TB disease
- Person has lived in a country - for 3 months or more - where TB is common, and has been in the US for 5 or fewer years
- Person is a resident or an employee of a high TB risk congregate setting
- Person is a health care worker who serves high-risk clients
- Person is medically underserved
- Person has been homeless within the last two years
- Person injects illicit drugs or uses crack cocaine
- Person is a member of a group identified by the local health department to be at an increased risk for TB infection
- Person needs baseline/annual screening approved by health dept.

#### **B. Assess Risk for Developing TB Disease if Infected**

- Person is HIV positive
- Person has risk for HIV infection, but HIV status is unknown
- Person was recently infected with *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*
- Person has certain clinical conditions, placing them at higher risk for TB disease
- Person injects illicit drugs (determine HIV status)
- Person has a history of inadequately treated TB
- Person is >10% below ideal body weight
- Person is on immunosuppressive therapy (this includes treatment for rheumatoid arthritis with drugs such as Humira, Remicaid, etc.)

### **III. Finding(s) (Check all that apply)**

- Previous Treatment for LTBI and/or TB disease
- No risk factors for TB infection
- Risk(s) for infection and/or progression to disease
- Possible TB suspect
- Previous positive TST, no prior treatment

### **IV. Action(s) (Check all that apply)**

- Referred for CXR  Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Referred for medical evaluation
- Administered the Mantoux TB Skin Test
- TST Education given

Date and person notified at Health Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Screener's signature and title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Employee Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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