

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Health Care Personnel Individual Tuberculosis (TB) Risk Assessment

Travel/Residence Have you had temporary or permanent residence or travel (for ≥1 month) in a country with a high TB rate? (Any country other than Australia, Canada, New Zealand, the United States, and those in western or northern Europe.)	□ Yes □ No
OR	
Contact to Tuberculosis Have you been in close contact with someone who has had infectious TB disease since your last TB test?	□ Yes □ No
OR	
 Immunosuppression Are you currently immunosuppressed, or do you have a plan for immunosuppression? Immunosuppression increases the risk for TB infection and for progression from TB infection to TB disease. Immunosuppression includes: HIV infection (the virus that causes AIDS) Organ transplant recipient Treatment with TNF-alpha antagonist (e.g., infliximab, etanercept, or other), specialized treatment for autoimmune diseases, such as rheumatoid arthritis or Crohn's disease Chronic steroids (equivalent of prednisone ≥15 mg/day for ≥1 month) Other immunosuppressive medications 	□ Yes □ No

Information from the individual TB risk assessment and symptom evaluation help to interpret the results of a TB blood test or TB skin test. If **Yes** is selected: HCP may have an increased risk of TB; baseline testing results should be interpreted according to risk. Refer to CDC Website for *How TST Reactions are Interpreted, Classification of the TST Reaction* @ https://www.cdc.gov/tb/publications/factsheets/testing/skintesting.htm