



# TB SCREENING

1101 Carter Street Chattanooga, TN 37402

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Based on information received from the Center for Disease Control (CDC), any applicant for employment, student/professional training, or volunteer program with the circumstances listed below should be tested promptly for tuberculosis (TB) otherwise, testing is NOT recommended:

**Check any circumstances that apply:**

- Close contact with a person known or suspected to have TB
- Foreign born persons from areas where TB is common\*
- Health care workers who serve high-risk clients
- Mycobacterial lab workers
- Persons with HIV or AIDS
- Persons with medical conditions that place them at high-risk+
- Persons who inject illegal drugs
- Residents, staff or volunteers in high-risk settings (shelters, rehabilitation, mental health or correctional facilities)
- Children under age 18 exposed to adults in high-risk categories
- Homeless persons
- Travel or previous residence in a country where TB is common
- Direct or suspected exposure to tuberculosis (further medical assessment)
- Other high-risk populations as locally defined by the Dept. of Health^

If the above symptoms or circumstances are present, the individual should not begin or continue program participation until a diagnosis of TB has been excluded or until the person has begun treatment and determination has been made that the individual is noninfectious.

None of the above applicable – no further action deemed necessary

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Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*includes all countries except Canada, Western Europe, Japan, Australia, and New Zealand

+ includes diabetes, silicosis, end-stage renal disease, certain malignancies, immunosuppressive condition, intestinal bypass or gastrectomy, chronic malabsorption or body weight less than 10% ideal

^designation as a locally defined high-risk population will be based on the incidence of TB disease and infection for that area or population