

# ANCHORAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS TUBERCULOSIS (TB) RISK ASSESSMENT AND TEST CONSENT

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

All students New-to-District students, those who are new to Anchorage Christian Schools/Anchorage School District, in Kindergarten through 12 <sup>th</sup> grade, MUST complete a TB Risk Assessment. Please answer <b>ALL 4</b> questions.		
	YES	NO
1. Has this student been in contact with anyone who has active TB disease in the past year?		
2. Is the student foreign-born?*		
3. Has the student travelled to a high-TB prevalence country for more than one month cumulatively during the past year?*		
4. In Alaska, TB is most common in the Yukon-Kuskokwim or Norton Sound Regions. Has the student lived or travelled to one of these regions for more than one month cumulatively during the past year?		

*\*Any country other than the US, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, or Western/Northern Europe (see back page for a listing of countries) Foreign born students only require a TB skin test once upon school entrance unless they have travelled to a high prevalence country or high prevalence area in Alaska.*

If **YES** to **ANY** of these questions, your student is at risk for TB and must receive a PPD TB Skin Test or have an IGRA blood test done. **Please read and complete the below consent carefully.**

If **ALL** responses are **NO**, no further testing is indicated. **Sign and date below.**

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Alaska State law requires PPD (purified protein derivative) tuberculin skin testing (TST) or Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) blood test for all students who are new to Anchorage Christian Schools/Anchorage School District with a positive TB Risk Assessment.

**➡ Consent to TB Testing ONLY if any answers above are YES. Please read carefully and initial ONE choice, then sign below.**

- \_\_\_ **YES**, I give permission for ACS to perform the PPD TST for my student.
- \_\_\_ **NO**, I choose to get the PPD TST or an IGRA blood test for my student elsewhere. I will provide the results to the school nurse no later than 90 days from enrollment.
- \_\_\_ **NO**, My student **has had** a negative PPD TST or IGRA blood test within the past 6 months and I will provide that documentation with 90 days from enrollment.
- \_\_\_ **NO**, My student **has had a previous positive PPD TST with a result of 10mm or more or a positive IGRA blood test. A health clearance has been given by a medical provider and I will provide this to the school nurse upon enrollment.**

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Source: <http://dhss.alaska.gov/dph/Epi/id/Pages/tb.aspx>

Alaska Communities:

YK region including Bethel: <http://www.ykhc.org/library/ykmap-service-area.pdf>

NS region including Nome: <https://www.nortonsoundhealth.org/Locations/Regional-Map>

Foreign born and list of Western and Northern European countries:

<http://unstats.un.org/unsd/methods/m49/m49regin.htm>

List of Countries that DO NOT need TB testing:

United States of America	Northern Europe includes:	Western Europe includes:
Canada	Aland Islands	Austria
Australia	Channel Islands	Belgium
New Zealand	Denmark	France
	Estonia	Germany
	Faeroe Islands	Italy
	Finland	Liechtenstein
	Guernsey	Luxembourg
	Iceland	Monaco
	Ireland	Netherlands
	Isle of Man	Portugal
	Jersey	Spain
	Latvia	Switzerland
	Lithuania	Vatican City
	Norway	
	Sark	
	Svalbard and Jan Mayen Islands	
	Sweden	
	United Kingdom of Great Britain	
	Northern Ireland	