

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

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

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| 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.<br>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:

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|--------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 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                |                          |