

TB FLOW CHART - RESIDENT/PATIENT

Symptoms

- Night sweats
- Chills
- Cough- progresses in frequency & production of mucous
- Hemoptysis, SOB, chest pain
- Fatigue
- Anorexia, wt. loss
- Low grade fever

All immigrants, legal or otherwise, EXCEPT those from Western or Northern Europe, Canada, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, & Israel, should be tested on hiring and/or admission to service.

Testing/Retesting

- On admission to facility
- Annually
- Post Exposure
- If individual becomes symptomatic
- If symptomatic, regardless of skin test result, refer for chest x-ray

