

## Clinical Findings

## Referral Timeframe

## Referral Requirements

### Positive TB testing with TB skin test or with IGRA test

\*\*IGRA testing is NOT reliable if negative in children  $\leq 5$  years

Obtain a Chest X-Ray (2 view)

If the child has clinical signs and symptoms of TB on CXR or exam

→ Urgent

If the child has one of the following underlying conditions: HIV, Hodgkin disease, lymphoma, diabetes, mellitus, chronic renal failure, or malnutrition

→ Urgent

If the child is asymptomatic and healthy:

$\leq 5$  year old:

→ Urgent

$>5$  year old:

→ Routine

### Health records including:

- History of symptoms
- TB testing
- Chest X-Ray (2 view)
- Diagnosis of suspected TB disease

**ICD-10 Codes:** Exposure to TB Z20.1, Screening for TB: Z11.1, Pulmonary Tuberculosis (Latent or active): A15.0

**Further information:** RedBook 30<sup>th</sup> Ed

For appointments, ask family to call 512-628-1820

Fax medical records to 512-628-2258

**For Urgent Matters, call 512-628-1829 during the day or Medlink after hours (512-323-5465) for the physician on-call**

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