

Patient's Name:



Disclosure and Consent of Tuberculosis Test

Tuberculin PPD is used as an aid to the physician in the diagnosis of tuberculosis infection. A small amount of the solution is injected just under the top layer of skin on the forearm. Medical Staff will check this area for delayed hypersensitivity reaction in 48 – 72 hours. This delayed reaction is usually a sign of previous exposure to tuberculosis bacteria. This infection may have occurred years ago or may be recent in origin. Therefore, a person showing a positive reaction may or may not show active tuberculosis disease. Chest x-ray and examination of sputum are recommended in these cases.

1. **Have you ever had a positive TB test or a severe reaction?**

2. **Are you receiving corticosteroid or immunosuppressive agents?**

3. **Have you within the last 4-6 weeks received an immunization with certain virus vaccines (measles, mumps, rubella, and influenza)?**

4. **Have you ever received the BCG vaccine*?**

*The BCG vaccine (which stands for Bacillus Calmette-Guérin vaccine) protects against TB. It's not given as part of the routine NHS childhood vaccination schedule unless a baby is thought to have an increased risk of coming into contact with TB.

5. **Have you ever been diagnosed with HIV/AIDS?**

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I (we) understand that as a courtesy to me, Adjuva Primary Care will file this procedure to my insurance company. If the insurance company does not pay for the procedure, I (we) will be responsible for the amount. I am an adult who can legally consent for this test. I freely and voluntarily give my signed permission for the skin test. I have been instructed and understand that I must return within 48-72 hrs for the reading of the test.

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First Name

Last Name

Patient's Signature:

Today's Date: