Baseline TB screening includes two components:

(1) Assessing for current symptoms of active TB disease
*and*

(2) Testing for the presence of infection with *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* by administering either a single TB blood test or a two-step TST.

**Symptoms of active TB disease (circle all that are present)**

- Coughing (>3 weeks)
- Night sweats
- Weight loss/poor appetite
- Chest pain
- Coughing up blood
- Fatigue
- Fever/chills

*Note:* If TB symptoms are present, promptly refer Student for a chest x-ray before starting work. **Do not wait** for the TST result.

**Administrator and/or Doctor must fill out QUESTIONNAIRE with student present.**

*If yes to any of the questions below, the doctor or nurse needs to sign, as well as check one of the boxes below for “follow-up” or “no follow-up” (with second step Mantoux(TST) or Chest X-ray).**

**Student’s history (circle response)**

- Have you ever had an adverse reaction to at TB skin test?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Were you born outside of the US?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you traveled or lived outside of the US in the past 2 years?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you ever had a positive reaction to a TB skin test?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you ever had a TB blood test?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you ever had the BCG vaccine?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you ever been treated for latent TB infection?  
  - Yes  
  - No
- Have you ever been treated for active TB disease?  
  - Yes  
  - No

**Signature of Student and Date**

**Administrator/doctors Signature and Date**

*___  Follow up with 2nd Step TST or Chest X-ray
___  No follow up required

**NAME OF CLINIC WHERE TESTING WAS DONE**
**TB Blood Test**

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<th>Name of TB blood test (circle)</th>
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*Refer Student for a chest x-ray to rule out active TB disease

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**Tuberculin skin testing (TST) Only need First step mantoux- unless you are positive**

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**Signature of person who administered test**

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**Reader’s signature**

*Consult grid at [www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/diseases/tb/candidates.pdf](http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/diseases/tb/candidates.pdf)

** Refer Student for a chest x-ray to rule out active TB disease

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NURSE ASSISTANT TRAINING
MANOUX TEST / CHEST X-RAYS REQUIREMENT

REQUIREMENT One Mantoux/TB skin test or chest x-ray (if a positive skin test occurs you must have proof of a positive mantoux for the chest x-ray to be valid) results are required for admission into Nurse Assistant Training Program. Please use form from the Red Cross. You must bring test results to first day of class. Without mantoux you will be unable to participate in clinicals and may be dismissed from class.

COSTS vary from clinic to clinic; some have a sliding-scale fee based on income. If you wish to be billed based on a sliding scale fee, let the clinic know before seeing the doctor. You may not be eligible for sliding scale fee if you do not let them know in advance. Appointments only.

CHEST X-RAYS are required for enrollment if you:

- Have been diagnosed with TB or had a recent TB infection.
- Have had a positive Mantoux/TB skin test in the past.
- Have been immunized with Bacille Calmette-Guérin (BCG) tuberculosis vaccine.
- If you have had the BCG shot you still must show proof of a positive Mantoux/TB skin test.

Chest x-rays are valid for admission no specific date required.

MANTOUX/TB SKIN TESTS cost less than chest x-rays, but take 2 appointments to complete one test (within 2 to 3 days).

Mantoux tests taken 3 months prior to date of clinical are valid for admission.

POSITIVE TEST RESULTS mean that you will need to take 30 consecutive days of tuberculosis treatment prior to attending clinical.

LOCATION ADDRESSES & PRICES

Hennepin County Medical Center
716 South 7th Street Mpls., MN 55415 (Medical Walk-IN Clinic) ...........(612)873-2300
Open Mon thru Fri. 7:30AM—6:00 PM Fees: $ Mantoux only; no chest x-rays. Walk-in available.

City of Bloomington - Public Health Division
The clinics listed below all have office fees associated with them:

**Anoka County Public Health**, 2100 3rd Ave, Anoka, MN 55303 ………. (763) 422-6965
Fees: $12 Mantoux office fee: none, no chest X-ray, Mantoux must be read next day at same place (must be Anoka county resident). Appointments only.

**Cedar Riverside People's Center**, 2000 S 5th St, Minneapolis, MN 55454. (612) 332-4973
Fees: $79 plus (depending on income) sliding scale fee for health ($30.00 co-pay included in $79.00 minimum) check-up, no office fee, no residency needed, no chest X-ray (includes all tests). Proof of income. Appointments only.

**Fremont Clinic**, 3300 Fremont Ave N, Minneapolis, MN 55412. (612) 588-9411
Must be uninsured or low-income to be eligible for services.
Must bring proof of income (1 month's check stubs or 2006 Federal tax forms). Appointment needed (no appointment needed on Monday or Wednesday) no need to be a resident Fees: $50.00 Paid Day of Appt., Mantoux only; no chest x-rays.

**Northpoint Health and Wellness Center**, 1313 Penn Ave N, Minneapolis MN, 55411 (612) 543-2763
Fees: $14 Mantoux, $88-$90 chest x-rays appt. with nurse, no residence. Sliding scale available; $54 office fee, meet with financial case aid.

**Southside Com. Clinic/Park Elder Clinic**, 4730 Chicago Ave S, MPLS, MN 55407. (612) 822-3186

**Uptown Community Clinic - Neighborhood Involvement Program**
2431 Hennepin Ave S, Minneapolis, MN 55405. (612) 374-4089
Must be uninsured, or have a high-deductible insurance, Fees: $10 Mantoux for current patients, $15 Mantoux for new patients; no chest x-rays. Appointments only.