



CORRECTIONAL TUBERCULOSIS SCREENING PLAN (TB-805)

INSTRUCTIONS

The Correctional Tuberculosis (TB) Screening Plan (TB-805) is required of all jails designated as Texas Health and Safety Chapter 89. **Refer to publication #TB-805-I for instructions on filling out this form.** Type in each box using the fillable electronic form. **All sections of the plan must be filled out completely and must be legible or the form will be returned.** Do not leave questions blank (type N/A, if needed). The electronically signed original plan must be **emailed to your local or regional health department and copy the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Tuberculosis and Hansen's Disease Section at CongregateSettings@dshs.texas.gov.**

A. CONTACT INFORMATION

1. Facility Name

2. Physical Address *(list additional sites in Section F)* **City** **State** **Zip Code**

3. Mailing Address *(if different from physical)* **City** **State** **Zip Code**

4. Jail Administrator's Name

5. Title (Captain, Lieutenant, etc.)

6. Phone Number

7. Email Address

8. Fax Number

9. Medical Director (MD, DO, NP, or PA-C)

Name

Credentials (MD, DO, NP, or PA-C)

National Provider Identifier (NPI)

Email Address

Phone Number

Address

City

State

Zip Code

10. Is there a different point of contact other than the jail administrator?

_____ YES _____ NO If YES, complete question 11 below.

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11. Point(s) of Contact *(if different from jail administrator)* You may list up to two contact persons. We recommend that at least one person listed is the nurse supervisor or person responsible for overseeing TB screening and reporting.

Name:

Title:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

Name:

Title:

Phone Number:

Email Address:

B. FACILITY INFORMATION

1. Facility operated by:

____ County ____ Private ____ Other *(Specify)*: _____

2. Name of the operating agency/company if the facility is private:

____ N/A Operating agency, if applicable: _____

3. Is this facility regulated by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards (TCJS)? If marking NO, who is the regulatory agency?

____ YES ____ NO Regulatory agency, if applicable: _____

4. Total number of employees:

5. Facility bed capacity:

6. Current population:

7. Total number of inmates booked into the facility in the previous calendar year (January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025):

8. Which category of inmate is the facility authorized to hold? *(Select all that apply)*

____ Federal *(Select all that apply)*: ____ Immigration and Customs Enforcement ____ Bureau of Prisons ____ U.S. Marshals

____ County

____ Out-of-County *(Please list the counties that you have a contract, memorandum of agreement (MOA), or memorandum of understanding (MOU) with):*

____ Out-of-State *(Please list the states that you have a contract, memorandum of agreement (MOA), and/or memorandum of understanding (MOU) with):*

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9. Facility Healthcare Team

A. Does the facility maintain a healthcare team (RN, LVN, MA)?

_____ YES _____ NO

B. Is the healthcare team contracted? If contracted, please indicate who employs the healthcare team in the space below and **attach a copy of the contract.**

_____ YES _____ NO Contracted entity, if applicable: _____

Contract expiration date, if applicable: _____

C. Who is the healthcare team employed by?

_____ County _____ Hospital

_____ Private _____ Other (please specify): _____

10. TB Medical Provider

A. Does the Medical Director, listed in A9, provide TB medical care services for inmates? If no, please provide the name of the treating physician and their National Provider Identifier (NPI). **Note: A TB medical provider must have a valid and current license to practice in Texas with one of the following credentials: MD, DO, NP, or PA-C.**

_____ YES _____ NO (If marking YES, please leave provider name and NPI blank below.)

Provider name(s): _____

National Provider Identifier (NPI): _____

B. Does the facility maintain a contract with the TB medical provider? If contracted, please indicate the contracted entity in the space below and **attach a copy of the contract.**

_____ YES _____ NO Contracted entity, if applicable: _____

Contract expiration date, if applicable: _____

C. Who is the medical provider employed by?

_____ County _____ Hospital

_____ Private _____ Other (please specify): _____

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11. Number and credentials of healthcare staff at the facility (ex: RN—1, LVN—2, Jailers—3, etc.)	
12. Number and credentials of healthcare staff trained on TB symptom screening (ex: RN—1, LVN—2, Jailers—3, etc.)	
13. List names and credentials of all staff the medical director or TB medical provider has authorized to administer, read, and interpret the TB skin test. (<i>Attach a separate sheet if necessary</i>).	
14. Types of TB tests performed at your facility (<i>Select all that apply</i>). _____ QuantiFERON-TB Gold (QFT) _____ T-SPOT _____ Tuberculin Skin Test (TST)	15. If your facility uses a blood test (QFT and/or T-SPOT) to screen for TB, please answer the questions below. Please indicate N/A if your facility only uses TST to screen. Please specify who provides the QFT and/or T-SPOT to your facility (e.g., Quest Diagnostics)? _____ In what instances is the blood test used (e.g., inmates who refuse a TB skin test, individuals living with HIV, etc.)? _____ _____
16. Are chest x-rays performed at the facility? _____ YES _____ NO Please provide the information of the chest x-ray provider: Name (provider of x-rays): _____ Phone Number: _____ Address: _____	17. Are chest x-rays interpreted by the same x-ray facility listed in question 16? If NO, please provide the information below? _____ YES _____ NO (<i>If marking YES, please skip the rest of this question.</i>) Name (provider of x-rays): _____ Phone Number: _____ Address: _____
Note: Routine chest x-rays are not required for asymptomatic persons who have negative TB skin test results. After the initial chest radiograph is taken, persons with positive tuberculin skin test reactions do not need repeat chest radiographs, unless symptoms develop that may be or are suspected to be due to tuberculosis disease. http://statutes.capitol.texas.gov/Docs/HS/htm/HS.89.htm	

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18. In the event of a hurricane or other natural or man-made disaster, do you have a written evacuation plan on file?

_____ YES _____ NO

Will you relocate? If YES, please specify the location you will relocate to.

_____ YES _____ NO Location: _____

19. Provide the name, job title, and contact information of the person responsible for your facility's TB infection control measures. This person may be responsible for managing TB infection control activities, including, but not limited to, overseeing TB symptom screening and testing, staff training, reporting, generating and submitting monthly reports, maintaining supplies, inspection of AIIRs, and making necessary referrals.

Name: _____ Title: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

20. Does your facility have airborne infection isolation rooms (AIIRs)? If YES, indicate the number of AIIRs.

_____ YES _____ NO Number of individual rooms: _____

21. If your facility has fewer than two (2) AIIRs, where will an inmate with symptoms suggestive of TB be isolated?
Please attach a copy of the contract or agreement with the hospital/facility, if applicable.

_____ N/A Hospital/facility name: _____

22. Are AIIRs routinely inspected and maintained? If YES, who oversees inspection and maintenance?

_____ YES _____ NO _____ N/A If NO, please indicate the reason: _____

Name/Entity: _____ Title: _____ Phone Number: _____

23. If your facility has one (1) or more AIIRs, please provide the date of the last inspection of the AIIR(s).

_____ N/A Date of last AIIR(s) Inspection: _____

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24. Which of the following actions does your facility take in the event a suspected or confirmed TB case is identified? Please see the [screening algorithm for incarcerated individuals](#) for reference. Please check all that apply.

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| ☐ Immediately isolate the individual in an AIIR or send them to the hospital for isolation
☐ Perform chest x-ray within 72 hours
☐ Order acid-fast bacilli (AFB) testing on sputum smear/culture within 72 hours
☐ Ensure thorough medical evaluation
☐ Provide surgical mask to the inmate and ensure staff/personnel wear N-95 or equivalent
☐ Other (<i>Specify</i>): _____ | ☐ Report to the local or regional health department within one working day
☐ Order a Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) (i.e., rapid PCR)
☐ Provide treatment for TB
☐ Conduct a Contact Investigation (CI)
☐ Perform TST for symptomatic inmates |
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25. Provide the name, mailing address, and phone number of the local or regional health department (who your facility reports to) and the name of the contact person(s). You may list up to two individuals.

Health Department Name: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Address: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Address: _____

26. What is the name and title of the person at your facility who informs the local or regional health department about TB suspects and/or cases in custody? You may list up to two individuals.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

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27. Who supplies purified protein derivatives (PPDs) for inmate TB testing at your facility? Primary Supplier (<i>Specify full name and address</i>) _____ _____ Secondary Supplier (<i>Specify full name and address</i>) _____ _____ Please provide the instances in which PPDs are requested from a secondary supplier, if applicable.	28. Who supplies syringes for inmate TB testing at your facility? Primary Supplier (<i>Specify full name and address</i>) _____ _____ Secondary Supplier (<i>Specify full name and address</i>) _____ _____ Please provide the instances in which syringes are requested from a secondary supplier, if applicable.
29. Who supplies your facility with TB medications? Please provide the name and address of the entity. Do not use acronyms or abbreviations. Name: _____ Address: _____	
30. What other TB services does your local or regional health department provide to your facility? ☐ None ☐ Contact Investigation ☐ Education and/or Training ☐ TB Testing at Intake ☐ Sputum Canisters ☐ Medication Toxicity Assessment ☐ TB Annual Screenings ☐ TB Medication ☐ Directly Observed Therapy (DOT)/Video-Enabled DOT (VDOT) ☐ Other (<i>Specify</i>): _____	
C. INMATE SCREENING	
1. On which days and shifts are TSTs administered, or Interferon Gamma Release Assays (IGRAs) drawn? (<i>Select all that apply</i>) ☐ Monday ☐ Tuesday ☐ Wednesday ☐ Thursday ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday ☐ Sunday Facility shift hours when tests are done: from _____ to _____	

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2. How soon after incarceration are inmates given a TST or IGRA? _____ hours, OR _____ days	3. How long after placing a TST is it read? Please indicate a range. Within _____ to _____ hours
4. Are symptom screenings conducted? <i>If YES, attach a copy of your facility's TB symptom screening form.</i> _____ YES _____ NO If YES, when are symptom screenings conducted? _____	
5. For inmates with <u>newly positive</u> IGRA/TST results, when are chest x-rays done? <i>(Select all that apply)</i> _____ Within 24 hours _____ Within 72 hours _____ Other (Please specify): _____ _____ Within 48 hours _____ Within 4 – 7 days	
Note: According to Figure: 25 TAC §97.175(a) , a chest x-ray shall always be done within 72 hours of a positive TB skin test reading. A chest x-ray and sputum smear and culture shall always be done within 72 hours of identification of symptoms of TB.	
6. Does your facility offer treatment for TB infection? _____ YES _____ NO	
7. When do <u>annual</u> screenings of long-term inmates take place? _____ 12 months after the last test _____ On a designated month (Please specify): _____ _____ Other (Please specify): _____	8. Do you have a written <u>continuity of care</u> plan for inmates diagnosed or suspected of having TB scheduled for release into the community or transferred to another facility? <i>Please attach a copy of the plan.</i> _____ YES _____ NO Note: A Continuity of Care (CoC) toolkit is available on the DSHS TB Section website to help ensure inmates continue TB treatment post-incarceration and at a receiving facility. The CoC toolkit includes a sample continuity of care plan available for correctional facilities to utilize if they do not currently have a written CoC plan established for the correctional facility.
9. Who maintains inmate screening records? Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____	10. Who is responsible for sending transfer records to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice (TDCJ) or other correctional facilities on inmates with TB infection or suspected/confirmed TB disease? Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

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11. Who is responsible for notifying the local or regional health department when an inmate with TB infection or suspected/confirmed TB disease is transferred or released?

Name: _____ Title: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Note: All inmates shall be evaluated for TB infection and disease. All treatment must be documented. A record of treatment (TB-400A and TB-400B) must be completed and submitted to the local or regional health department TB program located in the county of the facility. Form TB-400A, TB-400B, and other forms are available on the [DSHS TB Section website](#).

12. Which form(s) are used to transfer inmate records? *(Select all that apply) Please attach a copy of the form(s).*

_____ Texas Uniform Health Status Update _____ Prisoner in Transit Medical Summary Form (USM-553)

_____ Other *(Please specify)*: _____

D. EMPLOYEE SCREENING

Note: State-purchased testing supplies can only be used to screen incarcerated persons in Chapter 89-designated facilities and cannot be used for employee or volunteer screening.

1. Are employees screened for TB upon hire?

_____ YES _____ NO

If YES, when do initial screenings take place?

_____ Prior to employment

_____ Within 7 days of starting

_____ Other *(Please specify)*: _____

2. Are employees screened for TB annually?

_____ YES _____ NO

If YES, when do annual screenings take place?

_____ 12 months from date of hire

_____ On a designated month *(Please specify)*: _____

_____ Other *(Please specify)*: _____

3. Are employee screenings performed onsite or through referrals?

_____ Onsite at facility _____ Referral *(Please specify)*: _____

Note: According to Figure: [25 TAC §97.175\(a\)](#), a chest x-ray shall always be done within 72 hours of a positive TB skin test reading. A chest x-ray and sputum smear and culture shall always be done within 72 hours of identification of symptoms of TB.

4. If an employee has a positive reaction (10 mm or greater), a chest x-ray and medical evaluation must be done. Chest x-rays must be done immediately if TB symptoms are present or within three (3) days of a positive Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) or skin test if the person is asymptomatic. The employee must provide a physician certification indicating "no active disease" before returning to work.

How many days are allowed for the employee to submit this certification? _____ days

5. Who is responsible for keeping employee certification records?

Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone Number: _____

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E. VOLUNTEER SCREENING	
1. Do volunteers provide services in your facility? _____ YES _____ NO (If marking NO, please skip the rest of the section)	
2. Do volunteers in this facility work more than 30 hours a month? Note: According to TAC §97.173, "All volunteers who share the same air space with inmates on a regular basis (more than 30 hours per month) shall be screened prior to becoming a volunteer and at least annually thereafter according to this section unless the volunteer is exempt as described in clauses (ii), (iii), or (iv) of this subparagraph." _____ YES _____ NO (If marking NO, please skip the rest of the section)	
3. Does your facility perform TB screenings for volunteers prior to starting service? _____ YES _____ NO If YES, when do initial screenings take place? _____ Prior to becoming a volunteer _____ Within 7 days of starting _____ Other (Please specify): _____	4. Does your facility perform annual TB screenings for volunteers? _____ YES _____ NO If YES, when do annual screenings take place? _____ 12 months from date of hire _____ On a designated month (Please specify): _____ _____ Other (Please specify): _____
5. Are volunteer screenings performed onsite or through referral? _____ Onsite at facility _____ Referral (Please specify): _____	
Note: According to Figure: 25 TAC §97.175(a) , a chest x-ray shall always be done within 72 hours of a positive TB skin test reading. A chest x-ray and sputum smear and culture shall always be done within 72 hours of identification of symptoms of TB.	
6. If a volunteer has a positive reaction (10 mm or greater), a chest x-ray and medical evaluation must be done. Chest x-rays must be done immediately if TB symptoms are present or within three (3) days of a positive Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) or skin test if the person is asymptomatic. The volunteer must provide a physician certification indicating "no active disease" before returning to work. How many days are allowed for the volunteer to submit this certification? _____ days	
7. Who is responsible for keeping volunteer certification records? Name: _____ Title: _____ Phone Number: _____	
F. ADDITIONAL SITES (Refer to Section A2)	
1. Does your facility have additional sites? If YES, enter the names and locations of additional sites. Use the "ADD" button at the bottom for additional facilities. _____ YES _____ NO (If marking NO, please skip the rest of the section)	
2. Facility Name	

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3. Physical Address		City	State	Zip Code				
4. Mailing Address <i>(if different from physical)</i>		City	State	Zip Code				
5. Jail Administrator's Name	6. Title		7. Phone Number					
8. Email Address		9. Fax Number						
10. Contact Person <i>(if different from jail administrator)</i> You may list up to two contact persons. We recommend that at least one person listed is the nurse supervisor or person responsible for overseeing TB screening and reporting. <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top; padding-bottom: 10px;"> Name: Phone Number: </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top; padding-bottom: 10px;"> Title: Email Address: </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Name: Phone Number: </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> Title: Email Address: </td> </tr> </table>					Name: Phone Number:	Title: Email Address:	Name: Phone Number:	Title: Email Address:
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G. PLAN SUBMISSION AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Submission type (select one)

_____ ANNUAL PLAN

_____ AMENDED PLAN (Please specify the date of original approval): _____

Please read the following statement carefully and indicate your understanding and acceptance by signing in the space provided.

Texas Administrative Code, Title 25, Part 1, Chapter 97, Subchapter H, Sec. 97.173, C, ii requires that every inmate shall have a screening test for tuberculosis on or before the seventh day of incarceration and at least annually thereafter if the inmate is not known to be a previous positive reactor. More frequent TB screening is recommended when a specific situation indicates an increased risk of transmission. Texas Health and Safety Code Chapter 89 Sec. 89.102 also requires corrections facilities to report to the local health department the release of an offender who is receiving treatment for tuberculosis. The local health department shall arrange for inmate continuity of care.

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I understand the above requirements and the form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. By printing your name below, you acknowledge and agree that it serves as your legal signature.

_____ Jail Administrator Name

_____ Date

H. APPROVAL

Email the signed original plan to Texas Department of State Health Services, Tuberculosis and Hansen's Disease Section, at CongregateSettings@dshs.texas.gov where the plan, once approved, will be maintained.

If any sections are left blank, are answered incorrectly, or required supporting documentation is missing, the form will be returned with requested revisions.

Texas Department of State Health Services
Tuberculosis and Hansen's Disease Section

<http://dshs.texas.gov/disease/tb/corrections.shtm>

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Effective Date: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Approved by: _____

ORIGINAL E-SIGNATURE – Tuberculosis and Hansen's Disease Section Director