

# EPeople Healthcare



## Policy on Two-Step TB Testing

The following are the rules and procedures on the Two-step TB testing from the Centers for Disease control and Prevention.

- The first TBV test is given with 0.1 ml of STU Tuberculin.
- The test is to be read in 48 to 72 hours.
- If there is a negative reaction to the first test a second test is to be given one to three weeks later.
- The second step should be placed in the opposite arm of the first test site.
- If the second step is negative no follow-up is required
- If both steps are negative one yearly follow-up TB test is needed each following year
- If the second step is positive the individual is considered to be infected and should be given a chest X-ray.

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### Two-Step TB Testing Record

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

The following TB testing was completed at \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Step

2<sup>nd</sup> Step

Date Administered: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Administered: \_\_\_\_\_

Site Administered: \_\_\_\_\_

Site Administered: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Read: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Read: \_\_\_\_\_

Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Read By: \_\_\_\_\_

Read By: \_\_\_\_\_

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Physician Signature

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