

## TB free CALIFORNIA

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## Test your patient

if they have one of these risks:

- Born or traveled at least 1 month in a country with an elevated TB rate (all countries except the US, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, or Western or Northern Europe)
- **Immunosuppressed** (e.g., HIV infection, organ transplant recipient, immunosuppressive medications)
- Close contact with someone with infectious TB disease

An IGRA blood test is the recommended test for anyone over age 2 and born outside the US.

## **Treat your patients**

for latent TB infection, if they have a positive IGRA or skin test, and TB disease is ruled out.

Preferred treatment is a short course regimen:

- Isoniazid+Rifapentine weekly x 12 weeks OR
- Rifampin daily x 4 months

If a rifamycin-based regimen is not an option (due to drug resistance or intolerance), use Isoniazid daily x 9 months.



Questions? Contact your local TB program or the California Tuberculosis Control Branch at 510-620-3000.

Find the full TB Risk Assessment on the *Providers* page at ctca.org.