

LTBI Reporting for IPs in NBS

Quick Guide



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When to Open an LTBI Investigation

Open an LTBI Investigation in NBS when **1)** the patient has a positive TST and/or a positive IGRA, **and 2)** the patient has been fully evaluated and diagnosed with LTBI.

Patients with a positive TST/IGRA but without a complete evaluation may be entered into NBS by selecting Case Status as Suspect. Do not submit an LTBI Investigation for a patient under suspicion of having TB disease.

To open an LTBI Investigation in NBS:

- Locate the patient record by using *Patient Search*
- Select the *Events* tab on the patient record
- Select *Add New* under *Investigations*
- Select *Latent Tuberculosis Infection* from the dropdown

Completing an LTBI Investigation

- 1.** Complete all variables under Case Info, LTBI, Risk Factors and Therapy.
- 2.** Attach completed [Report of LTBI](#) and relevant documentation (AFB results: Smear, NAAT and Culture, Radiography, IGRA and/or TST and Treatment Information, including DOT records) under Supplemental Info.
 - If the patient wishes to receive treatment through the local health department, contact the local health department for information on medication ordering.

For additional information on TB and LTBI:

www.tb.IN.gov

