

Fresno Unified Administrative Regulation (AR) 5141.26 Tuberculosis Testing

Students shall be screened for tuberculosis under the following circumstances:

All students registering into the district shall be screened for risk of active tuberculosis. If tuberculosis risk screening is positive, student will be required to submit results of a negative a) tuberculin skin test b) interferon-gamma release assays (IGRAs) or c) chest x-ray.

Note: If student had a tuberculin skin test or interferon-gamma release assays (IGRAs) and it came back positive, student will be required to submit a negative chest x-ray report from their medical provider (MD, DO, NP, PA) before attending school.

Whenever the Superintendent or designee suspects that a student either has the disease or has been exposed, the Superintendent or designee shall immediately report by telephone to the local health officer. The district shall exclude the student from school until the student is certified to be free of communicable tuberculosis. (22 CCR 41329)

The student's health office will document TB risk screening results into that student's electronic health record, including any documents for TB clearance. This record shall be part of the student's mandatory permanent student record.

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

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Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

48213 Prior parent notification of exclusion; exemption

49451 Parent's refusal to consent to health examination

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

120230 Exclusion of persons from school when residence is in isolation or quarantine

121365 Duties of local health officer re: tuberculosis control

121475-121520 Tuberculosis tests for students

124025-124110 Child Health and Disability Prevention Program

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

202 Exclusion of students with contagious disease

432 Student records

3030 Eligibility for special education; tuberculosis that adversely affects educational performance

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 22

41301-41329 Tuberculosis tests for students

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