

BCG Vaccination (TB) in the Newborn - Summary Clinical Guideline Derby & Burton

Reference: NIC IN14

Appendix 2

Royal Derby Hospital Baby / Child BCG Vaccine Referral

Surname		First name	
DOB		Baby's NHS Number	
Address		Baby's H/N	
		Parent / Carer Phone number:	
GP Details		Male/Female	
Is Mum Retroviral Disease positive or immunosuppressed? Details: Has Mum taken any immunosuppressive therapy during pregnancy? Details:			
Family's Country of origin / Nationality of Parents/Grandparents: *Please see WHO TB incidence by country Country Details:			
Referrer's Name			
Referrer's Job Title			
Referrer's Contact	Email	Telephone	

Neonatal BCG Vaccination Referral Criteria

- All infants born in an area with a notification rate of >40 per 100,000 [Tuberculosis by country: rates per 100,000 people - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#)
- All infants with a parent or grandparent who was born in a country where the annual incidence of TB is 40/100,000 or greater*
- Previously unvaccinated children aged one to five years with a parent or grandparent born in a high incidence country (annual rate >40/100000).
- Previously unvaccinated tuberculin negative children aged six to 16 years with a parent or grandparent born in a high incidence country (annual rate >40/100000).
- Previously unvaccinated tuberculin negative individuals under 16 years of age who are household or close contacts of cases of smear positive pulmonary or laryngeal TB.
- Previously unvaccinated tuberculin negative individuals under 16 years of age who were born in or lived in (for 3 months or more) a country where annual rates of TB are >40/100000.
- Individuals under the age of 16 who are travelling for more than 3 months to a country where annual rates of TB are >40/100000 and who will stay with family/friends or local people.

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Please complete in full & email completed form to the
Derby TB Services on: dhft.tb@nhs

Appendix 3

Queens Hospital Burton Neonatal BCG Vaccine Referral

Surname		First name	
DOB		Unit No	
Address		Mothers name	
Phone number		Baby's NHS Number	
Is Mum Retroviral disease positive or immunosuppressed Details:			
Referrer		Reason for BCG Referral	
*Please see WHO TB incidence by country		Nationality of parents/grandparents	

Criteria for infants requiring the BCG vaccine:

- All infants born in an area with a notification rate of >40 per 100,000 [Tuberculosis by country: rates per 100,000 people - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/tuberculosis-by-country-rates-per-100000-people)
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- Individuals under the age of 16 who are travelling for more than 3 months to a country where annual rates of TB are >40/100000 and who will stay with family/friends or local people.

BCG to be given at 28 days of age or at an earlier opportunity providing a SCID screening result is available.

*For country information on prevalence see:

[Tuberculosis by country: rates per 100,000 people - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/government/statistics/tuberculosis-by-country-rates-per-100000-people)

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