

Maine Refugee Health Assessment

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| Name Last: _____ Name First: _____ M.I. _____ | | Date of Birth: ____/____/____ | Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender | | |
| Alien #: | | US Arrival Date: ____/____/____ | Country of Origin: _____ Refugee Camp: _____ | | |
| Class A status: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (requires approved waiver for US entry and immediate follow-up upon arrival) | | Dates of Clinical Visit (s) for Screening Screening Visit #1: ____/____/____ (date) Screening Visit #2: ____/____/____ (date) | | | |
| Class B TB status: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (requires follow-up soon after arrival) | | Class B Other / Specify: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (requires follow-up soon after arrival) | | | |
| Interpreter Needed: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, language _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Professional interpreter _____ (name) | | | | | |
| Secondary Migrant: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Prior state: _____ | | Asylee: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Certified Victim of Trafficking: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | | | |
| Consent for Treatment: I consent to examination, diagnostic testing (which may include TB, hepatitis B, HIV, CBC), and treatment services provided by _____. Signature: _____ Date ____/____/____ | | | | | |
| Vital Signs | | | | | |
| Height (in.): | Weight (lbs.): | Head Circum (in.): | BMI: | | |
| Pulse: | Blood Pressure: | Respirations: | Temperature (F°): | | |
| Vision Screening: OD ____/20 OS ____/20 | | Hearing Screen: <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal | | | |
| Past Medical History | | | | | |
| Current Medications: <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (list / attach) _____ | | | | | |
| Medication Allergies: <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (list / attach) _____ | | | | | |
| Herbal/Traditional treatments: <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (list / attach) _____ | | | | | |
| Tobacco / betel nut use: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Alcohol/ drug use: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Vision problems: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Gastrointestinal: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Hearing problems: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Genitourinary: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Dental problems: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Skin: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Respiratory: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Mental Health Concern: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Cardiovascular: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Neurological/Seizures: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Musculoskeletal: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Endocrine: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |
| Pregnant: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes EDD: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> No LMP: _____ G: _____ P: _____ AB: _____ | | Other: _____ | | | |
| Review of Systems | | | | | |
| | NL | Description | | NL | Description |
| Constitutional Symptoms | | | GI | | |
| Eyes | | | GU/GYN | | |
| Ears, Nose, Mouth, Throat | | | Integumentary | | |
| Respiratory | | | Mental Health | | |
| Cardiovascular | | | Neurological | | |
| MS | | | Endocrine | | |
| Allergic, Immunologic | | | Hematologic, Lymphatic | | |

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| Physical Exam Pallor ___? Hepatosplenomegaly ___? Lymphadenopathy ___? Nutrition ___? | | | | | |
| | NL | Description | | NL | Description |
| HEENT | | | GI/Rectal | | |
| Neck | | | Breasts /GU | | |
| Respiratory | | | Abdomen | | |
| Cardiovascular | | | Skin and SQ | | |
| Musculoskeletal | | | Back | | |
| Extremities | | | Neuro | | |
| Immunizations: <i>If serological immunity is determined, indicate and attach labs</i> | | | | | |
| NOTE: CDC recommends revaccination rather than testing for immunity in most cases (see provider handbook) | | | | | |
| | mm/dd/yr | mm/dd/yr | mm/dd/yr | mm/dd/yr | mm/dd/yr |
| COVID-19 Vaccine administration | | | | | |
| Measles | | | | | |
| Mumps | | | | | |
| Rubella | | | | | |
| Varicella (VZV) | | | | | |
| Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Pertussis (DTaP, DTP, DT) <i>Please Circle One</i> | | | | | |
| Diphtheria-Tetanus (Td, Tdap) <i>Circle One</i> | | | | | |
| Polio (IPV, OPV) <i>Please Circle One</i> | | | | | |
| Hepatitis B (HBV) | | | | | |
| Hepatitis A | | | | | |
| Meningococcal conjugate (MCV) | | | | | |
| Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib) | | | | | |
| Influenza | | | | | |
| Pneumococcal | | | | | |
| Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) | | | | | |
| Zoster (shingles) | | | | | |
| Tuberculosis Screening Exposure to TB ___? Cough ___? Night Sweats ___? Received BCG Vaccine ___? | | | | | |
| Interferon-Gamma Release Assays (IGRAs) NOTE: TST is preferred for testing children aged <5 years old. <input type="checkbox"/> Not done <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Borderline ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Indeterminate | | | Tuberculin Skin Test (TST) ___mm induration ___/___/___(plant date) ___/___/___(read date) <input type="checkbox"/> Not done <input type="checkbox"/> Given, not read <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Past history of positive TB <input type="checkbox"/> Negative | | |
| Chest X-ray (If TST, IGRA positive, Class B or Symptomatic) ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal, referred to TB Program <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal, not TB <input type="checkbox"/> Not done <input type="checkbox"/> Refused | | | Diagnosis (must check one) <input type="checkbox"/> No TB infection or disease <input type="checkbox"/> Latent TB infection (LTBI), referred to TB program or patient's primary care provider for follow-up ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Active TB disease, referred to TB program for evaluation and treatment. ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Old, healed, previously treated | | |

| Hepatitis B Screening | | | |
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| Screened? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> HBsAb <input type="checkbox"/> HBsAg <input type="checkbox"/> HBcAb | | Diagnosis (must check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Immune (HBsAb positive) <input type="checkbox"/> Unvaccinated and susceptible (all negative); vaccinate <input type="checkbox"/> Possible active (HBsAG or HBcAb positive), referred to PMD / specialist for follow-up ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Pending | |
| Pregnancy Test (Urine pregnancy test for all women of childbearing age) | | | |
| Screened? <input type="checkbox"/> Not Done <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, _____(date) Results: <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive | | | |
| Syphilis Screening (VDRL / RPR) <i>Please Circle One</i> | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive; treated ___/___/___(date) or referred ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Titer _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Not done | | | |
| Chlamydia /Gonorrhea Screening (urine specimen) | | | |
| Gonorrhea <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive; treated ___/___/___ or referred ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Not done Chlamydia <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive; treated ___/___/___ or referred ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Not done | | | |
| HIV Screening CDC recommends for all persons 13-64 years of age; children < 12 years of age should be screened unless the mother's HIV status can be confirmed as negative and the child is otherwise thought to be at low risk of infection (no history of high-risk exposures such as blood product transfusions, early sexual activity, or sexual abuse). | | | |
| Screened? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Offered, but refused Results: <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> Positive, and referred to HIV/AIDS program ___/___/___(date) | | | |
| CBC with Differential | | | |
| Screened? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Not done WBC _____ RBC _____ Hemoglobin _____ HCT _____ MCV_____ RDW _____ Platelet _____ Neutrophils _____ Lymphocytes _____ Monocytes _____ Baseophils _____ Eosinophils _____ Eosinophil % _____ Eosinophilia present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Referred for further evaluation ___/___/___ (date) | | | |
| Intestinal Parasite Screening | | | |
| Pre-Departure presumptive treatment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> O&P x1 ___/___/___(date) | <input type="checkbox"/> Results Rec'd ___/___/___(date) | <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic presumptive treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> No parasites found |
| <input type="checkbox"/> O&P x 2 ___/___/___(date) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Serology test: (see population specific) <input type="checkbox"/> Schistosoma <input type="checkbox"/> Strongyloides | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parasites found, check all that apply below <input type="checkbox"/> Treatment completed ___/___/___(date) | | Referral for treatment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> No; why not? _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ascaris | <input type="checkbox"/> Clonorchis | <input type="checkbox"/> Entamoeba histolytica | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Giardia | <input type="checkbox"/> Hookworm | <input type="checkbox"/> Paragonimus | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Schistosoma | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongyloides | <input type="checkbox"/> Tapeworm | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trichuris | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) | |
| Malaria Screening <i>See guidelines for presumptive treatment post-arrival</i> | | | |
| Pre-Departure presumptive treatment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown Domestic presumptive treatment? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Malarial screening <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Results <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative Species: _____ Treated <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | | |

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| Lead Screening (<17 yrs old) | | | |
| Screened? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes ___/___/___(date) <input type="checkbox"/> Not done | | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>NOTE:</i> Re-check all children aged 6 mo- 6 yrs within 3-6 months of arrival, regardless of results of initial lead screen. | |
| Results: <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive _____ (elevated BLL \geq 5 μ g/dL) | | | |
| Glucose and Lipids | | | |
| Glucose (mg/dL) _____ | | Total Cholesterol _____ HDL _____ LDL _____ Triglycerides _____ | |
| Referrals: (check all that apply) | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Primary care Reason _____ | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency/Urgent | <input type="checkbox"/> Dental | <input type="checkbox"/> Vision | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health ref to: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WIC | <input type="checkbox"/> Children with Special Health Care Needs | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vitamins recommended: <input type="checkbox"/> Multivitamin <input type="checkbox"/> Vitamin D <input type="checkbox"/> Prenatal <input type="checkbox"/> Population specific: <input type="checkbox"/> Bhutanese, B12 <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | | |
| Additional Labs and Screening | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Population specific: Test for Vitamin B12 in Bhutanese with clinical manifestations suggestive of deficiency <input type="checkbox"/> Infant metabolic screening in newborns, according to state guidelines <input type="checkbox"/> In clinic settings allowing for follow up in primary care consider: cancer screening | | | |
| Provider Name/Title _____ / _____ / _____ (date) | | | |

Health Screening Tests Recommended for All Refugees

Components of Refugee Health Assessment: Complete history, review of systems, physical examination including assessment for infectious disease and chronic disease, and laboratory testing.

Infectious diseases continue to be significant and can be readily addressed when identified. There is increased recognition that chronic health disorders are common and may pose greater long-term threat to the individual's health.

| <i>Disease or Condition Screening Recommendations</i> | |
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| Immunizations | <p>Assess and update immunizations for each individual; immunizations are not needed if immune. CDC recommends revaccination rather than measuring titers for immunity in most cases. Please see provider handbook for further discussion.</p> <p>Update series or begin primary series if immunization dates are not found. If you need assistance translating immunization records or determining needed immunizations, call CDC hotline 800-CDCINFO (1-800-232-4636).</p> <p>Always update the personal immunization record card.</p> |
| Tuberculosis (TB) | <p>Perform a QuantiFERON-TB gold test (QTB) for TB for all individuals ages greater than 2 years regardless of BCG history or previous tuberculin skin test (TST) result, unless documented previous positive QTB test. TST is preferred for testing children between ages of 6 months to under 2 years old. TST administered prior to 6 months of age may yield false negative results. Pregnancy is not a medical contraindication for QTB testing nor treatment of active TB. Regardless of suspicion of active TB, exposure, or plans to treat latent TB, QTB should always be drawn for pregnant women on presentation to care. It is general practice to delay treatment for latent tuberculosis infection while pregnant or breastfeeding, but this is determined on case-by-case basis at provider's discretion.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A chest x-ray should be performed for all individuals with a positive QTB test or TST. However, if pregnant and asymptomatic, this should be delayed until ideally mid-2nd trimester, but should still be completed. If pregnant and symptomatic, requires CXR regardless of gestational age. • A chest x-ray should be performed regardless of QTB or TST result for <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ those with TB Class A or B1 designation from overseas exam or ○ those who have symptoms compatible with active TB disease. |
| Hepatitis B | <p>Administer a hepatitis B screening panel including hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg), hepatitis B surface antibody (anti-HBs), and hepatitis B core antibody (anti-HBc) to all adults and children. Vaccinate previously unvaccinated and susceptible children, 0-18 years of age. Vaccinate susceptible adults at increased risk for HBV infection (due to close interaction within their communities) or from endemic countries. Refer all persons with chronic HBV infection for additional ongoing medical evaluation. Consider vaccination in individuals with any chronic liver disease (e.g. hepatitis C).</p> |
| Sexually Transmitted Infections | <p>Routine screening for HIV, ages 13- 64 years; children <12 years of age should be screened unless the mother's HIV status can be confirmed as negative and the child is otherwise thought to be at low risk of infection (no history of high-risk exposures such as blood product transfusions, early sexual activity, or sexual abuse) using Anti-HIV 1+2 assay. Screen for syphilis by administering VDRL or RPR. Confirm positive VDRL or RPR by FTA-ABS/MHATP or other confirmatory test. Repeat VDRL/FTA in 2 weeks if lesions typical of primary syphilis are noted and person is sero-negative on initial screening. Screen for chlamydia and gonorrhea using urine specimen if possible. Screen other STDs if indicated by self-report or endemicity in homeland.</p> |

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| <p>Intestinal Parasites</p> | <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>For all refugee arrivals (asymptomatic and symptomatic):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confirm specific pre-departure presumptive treatment • Evaluate for eosinophilia* by obtaining a CBC with differential (eosinophilia >400cells/μl) </div> <p style="text-align: center;">PLUS</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Documented pre-departure presumptive treatment</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">For single-dose albendazole pre-departure treatment (no praziquantel)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strongyloides serology (all refugees); Schistosoma serology (sub-Saharan Africans); Treat if positive for <i>Strongyloides stercoralis</i> or <i>Schistosoma</i> spp. If positive for eosinophilia, re-check total eosinophil count in 3-6 months.** </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">For single-dose albendazole pre-departure treatment with praziquantel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strongyloides serology (all refugees); Treat if positive for <i>Strongyloides stercoralis</i> If positive for eosinophilia, re-check total eosinophil count in 3-6 months.** </div> <div style="width: 30%;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">For high-dose pre-departure treatment (ivermectin and praziquantel):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If positive for eosinophilia, re-check total eosinophil count in 3-6 months after arrival. ** </div> </div> </div> <div style="width: 45%; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="text-align: center; border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">No documented pre-departure presumptive treatment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct stool examinations for ova and parasites (O&P); two stool specimens should be obtained more than 24 hours apart; Strongyloides serology (all refugees); Schistosoma serology (sub-Saharan Africans); Treat pathogenic parasites; Re-check total eosinophil count in 3-6 months.** </div> </div> <p>*Eosinophilia may or may not be present with parasitic infection; an absolute eosinophil count provides supplemental diagnostic information.</p> <p>** Persistent eosinophilia or symptoms requires further diagnostic evaluation.</p> <p>If parasites are identified, one stool specimen should be submitted 2-3 weeks after completion of therapy to determine response to treatment. For background information and treatment guidelines see CDC's Evaluation of Refugees for Intestinal and Tissue-Invasive Parasitic Infections during Domestic Medical Examination, as well as The Medical Letter on Drugs and Therapeutics: Drugs for Parasitic Infections.</p> |
| <p>Malaria</p> | <p>Screen those refugees present with symptoms suspicious of malaria. For asymptomatic refugees from highly endemic areas, i.e., sub-Saharan Africa, screen or presumptively treat if no documented predeparture therapy (note contraindications for pregnant or lactating women and children < 5 kg)</p> |
| <p>Lead</p> | <p>Venous blood lead level (BLL) screening is recommended for all refugee children under 17 years. Check for lead sources in children with elevated BLL ≥ 10 μg/dL; check BLLs in all family members. Follow up management. Prescribe daily pediatric multivitamins with iron for refugee children 6 to 59 months of age.</p> |
| <p>Mental Health</p> | <p>Assess for signs of post traumatic stress, acute psychiatric disorders; assess mental health as reflected in general health and well being (e.g., sleeplessness, headaches, nightmares, irritability).</p> |
| <p>Lipids</p> | <p>Screen and treat men ≥ 35 years and women ≥ 45 years of age for lipid disorders by obtaining, at the minimum, total cholesterol and high-density lipoprotein levels. These can be checked in a nonfasting state. Screen and treat men 20-35 years and women 20-45 years of age if they have increased risk of coronary heart disease (diabetes, tobacco use, hypertension, family history of cvd before age 50 in male relatives or age 60 in female relatives, or a family history suggestive of familial hyperlipidemia).</p> |