

Snippet #3

One of the most common calls to TB Control concerns what type of TB screening or testing is needed for particular occupational groups. An informational document on “TB Screening and Testing for Occupational Purposes” has been developed and added to the DTBNH website. We hope it helps as you provide guidance to these groups.

You should be aware that the wording in the Code of Virginia was also changed effective July 1, 2017 so that LPNs no longer are required to work under the “direct supervision” of RNs, only under “supervision.” Additionally, several state programs have updated their regulations and those updates are reflected in this guidance document.

[Occupational risk groups health care workers, residents of congregate facilities](#)