Ukrainian Arrival Fact Sheet for Local Health Departments



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Uniting for Ukraine

<u>Uniting for Ukraine</u> provides a pathway for Ukrainian citizens and their immediate family members to come to the United States and stay temporarily via a period of parole. Participants are eligible to receive a health assessment, and are required to complete vaccine attestations and a tuberculosis (TB) screening.

IDOH Refugee and International Health Program

The Indiana Department of Health (IDOH) <u>Refugee and International Health Program</u> contracts with local health department, not-for-profit and Federally Qualified Health Center clinics to provide domestic refugee health assessments in Indiana. IDOH can connect participants and/or their sponsors to clinics that perform these assessments.

If you are contacted by Uniting for Ukraine participant:

- 1. Share this information with the participant and consider filling out an intake form.
- 2. Contact Refugee Health Coordinator Maliki Yacouba at (317) 234-7252 or **refugeehealth@health.in.gov**.
- 3. Provide the participant with Maliki Yacouba's contact information.

Domestic Refugee Health Assessments

Uniting for Ukraine participants are eligible to receive a domestic refugee health assessment within 90 days of their arrival in the U.S. to identify at-risk conditions and provide referrals as needed. Vaccine administration and TB screening can be completed **for free** during the assessment.

Vaccine Attestations

Participants are required to complete an attestation that they have received:

- 1) at least one dose of measles vaccine
- 2) at least one dose of polio vaccine
- 3) at least one dose of an <u>FDA approved or authorized COVID-19</u> vaccine or a WHO-Emergency use listed (EUL) COVID-19 vaccine

OR are eligible for an exception to the vaccine requirements.

Polio Vaccine

IDOH has adult polio vaccine available to be shipped to clinics/LHDs, free of charge. Doses can be ordered by contacting Tracy Brunette, IDOH Immunization, at tbrunette@health.in.gov or (317) 606-5091.

Tuberculosis (TB) Screening

Participants ages 2 years and older will need to attest to receiving a medical screening for tuberculosis and an interferon-gamma release assay (IGRA) test, within 90 days. A tuberculin skin test is **not** considered acceptable to meet the requirements.

Stand-Alone IGRA Testing

LHDs that do not offer IGRAs should have a list available of local options that do. Contact Jessica Gentry, IDOH Lab, at <u>jgentry@health.in.gov</u> or (317) 921-5858, to start offering IGRAs.

Reporting

Confirmed and suspected cases of TB disease, and latent TB infection (LTBI) are reportable in Indiana.

Treatment, Incentives and Enablers

TB disease and LTBI treatment are available for free through the LHDs.

Domestic Refugee Health Assessment Clinics

The clinics that perform domestic refugee health assessments are:

Allen County Dept. of Health

4813 New Haven Ave. Fort Wayne, IN 46803 (260) 449-7504

Beacon Medical Group

714 N. Michigan St. South Bend, IN 46601 (574) 647-7690

Healthnet Bloomington Health Center

811 W. 2nd Street Bloomington, IN 47403 (812) 333-4033

Marion County Public Health Dept.

3838 N. Rural Street Indianapolis, IN 46205 (317) 221-2000

General Resources

- Office of Refugee Resettlement Ukrainian Assistance Resources
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) TB Information & Resources
- CDC A Conversation Guide for Talking with your Clients about Screening for TB
- CDC's Fact Sheet—Get Screened for TB: Complete the Uniting for Ukraine Program Requirement
- CDC's Flyer/Poster—Uniting for Ukraine Requires Screening for TB

Resources for Clinicians

- <u>CDC Testing for TB Infection</u>
- Cultural Quick Reference Guide: Ukraine (SNTC)
- Ukrainian Health and Culture Resources (Ethnomed)
- Overview for Clinicians Caring for Ukrainian Arrivals (Minnesota Department of Health) (PDF)
- Health Information in Ukrainian (Medline Plus)
- Fostering COVID-19 Vaccine Confidence in Ukrainian and Russian Speaking Communities e-course

Translated Materials

Vaccine Resources

- Vaccine Information Statements
- COVID-19 Resources in Ukrainian (NRC-RIM)
- Measles Basic Information (PDF) | Ukrainian (PDF) | Russian (PDF)
- Vaccine (shot) for Measles (CDC) Ukrainian (PDF)
- Measles: More than just a little rash infographic (CDC) Ukrainian (PDF)

TB Resources

- CDC Uniting for Ukraine: Tuberculosis Information & Resources
- CDC A Conversation Guide for Talking with your Clients about Screening for TB
- CDC's Fact Sheet—Get Screened for TB: Complete the Uniting for Ukraine Program Requirement
- CDC's Flyer/Poster—Uniting for Ukraine Requires Screening for TB
- General TB Information Fact Sheet (CDC) (PDF) Ukrainian (PDF) | Russian (PDF)
- Q&A About TB Booklet (CDC) (PDF) Ukrainian (PDF) | Russian (PDF)
- You Can Prevent Tuberculosis: A Patient Educational Handout (SNTC)
 Ukrainian
- You can Have TB and Feel Healthy (Massachusetts Dept. of Health)

 <u>Ukrainian | Russian</u>
- You Have a TB Infection (Massachusetts Dept. of Health) Ukrainian | Russian
- How to Take Your TB Medicine (Massachusetts Dept. of Health) <u>Ukrainian</u> | <u>Russian</u>
- Keep Taking your TB Medicine Massachusetts Dept. of Health) Ukrainian | Russian

Latent TB Treatment Regimens

- Rifampin Daily 4 Months Ukrainian | Russian
- Isoniazid and Rifampin Daily 3 Months Ukrainian | Russian
- Isoniazid and Rifapentine- Weekly 12 doses Ukrainian | Russian



