

TB Interjurisdictional Transfers

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What is an Interjurisdictional?

- When a TB case, suspect, LTBI, or contact crosses between multiple jurisdictions
- Process of notifying affected jurisdictions so the patient receives appropriate follow up and treatment, if necessary
- Generally goes through ISDH & the TB Epidemiologist

When do I fill out an IJ?

- Your TB case, suspect, or LTBI moves from your jurisdiction to another county, state, or country while still being evaluated or on therapy
- Your contact investigation yields contacts that reside outside of your jurisdiction

NTCA IJ Form

- Standardized form for consistency between states
- Available online at <http://www.tbcontrollers.org/resources/interjurisdictional-transfers/>
- Also contains guidance documents & power points

Outgoing IJ Process

- Fill out IJ Form
- Attach any relevant documents (TST, CXR, Etc.)
- Fax to TB epidemiologist at ISDH
- TB epidemiologist enters into tracking sheet and passes on to new jurisdiction
- ISDH staff changes address in SWIMSS to new jurisdiction
- ISDH faxes paperwork to new jurisdiction

Who gets what?

- All out-of-state and out-of-country IJ forms must go to ISDH!
 - Keep running log
 - Point of contact for other states/countries
 - Add RVCT information
- Intra-state transfers can be sent directly to new county, but still notify ISDH to allow for change of address in SWIMSS

Incoming IJ Process

- ISDH will receive IJ form & paperwork and fax to new jurisdiction
 - If you get a copy directly from another state or country, contact ISDH to make sure we also have a copy
- Locate and follow-up with patient as appropriate
- Complete follow-up form, if requested, and fax to ISDH
- ISDH will fax follow-up form to referring jurisdiction

NTCA IJ Follow-Up Form

- Form sent back to referring jurisdiction
- Not always requested, but should always be sent back for active cases and contact investigations
- Also found on NTCA website
- Send back through ISDH when completed

QUESTIONS?