

Reporting Requirements (WV 64CSR7)

Healthcare Providers/Facilities

- Report to the local health department (LHD) in the patient's county of residence:
 - Suspected or Confirmed active TB disease (pulmonary or extra pulmonary) within 24 hours by telephone and follow up with a written report.
 - Latent TB infection within one week.

For full requirements regarding all diseases/conditions see:

<https://apps.sos.wv.gov/adlaw/csr/ruleview.aspx?document=8797>

Laboratories

- Report to the local health department (LHD) in the patient's county of residence:
- Culture of Mycobacterium tuberculosis, including drug susceptibilities, by telephone within 24 hours and follow up with a written copy of the lab report.
 - All M. tb isolates shall be submitted to the WV Office of Laboratory Services.
 - Labs identifying AFB on a smear from a patient shall culture and identify the AFB or refer these to another laboratory for those purposes.
- Mycobacterium tuberculosis infection by Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA) within one week.

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