



BCG vaccination checklist

Information for you if you are having a BCG vaccination.

Please tell us if any of the following applies to you (or your baby/child to be vaccinated):

- Have you previously had a BCG (TB) vaccination?
- Have you ever had a Mantoux / Tspot / Quantiferon (TB) test?
- Have you or anyone in your household had, or are currently being investigated for, TB?
- Have you travelled outside the UK for a prolonged 3 month stay?
- While pregnant or breastfeeding, did you receive any medicine that could affect your immune system and that could have been passed on to your baby, i.e. medicine that affects your ability to fight infection?
- Do you have any allergies, in particular to sodium L-glutamate monohydrate?
- Are you immunocompromised by a disease or treatment?
 - HIV infection, leukaemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin's disease or tumour of the reticuloendothelial system.
 - Bone marrow or organ transplant in the past 6 months.
 - Steroids in the past 3 months.
 - Immunosuppressive biological therapy in the past 12 months.
- Do you have a septic skin condition, e.g. eczema or psoriasis?
- Have you had a temperature in the last 48 hours?
- Are you unwell today?
- Could you be pregnant?

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