

Turks and Caicos Islands

Ministry of Health and Human Services

Migrants' Health Evaluation Programme

Out of Country Evaluation Procedures

The following procedures shall apply to the evaluation of persons by overseas Examining Physicians (EP) for the purpose of issuance of a certificate of fitness as required for a residency permit application (Work Permit, Permanent Residency, Student Visa etc).

1. Persons requiring Migrant Health Evaluation(Applicant or dependents) should present to any registered and licensed Examining Physician (EP) of their choosing
2. The applicant and or dependent should present themselves in person to the appointment and bring with them the following documents:
 - a. Passport
 - b. Immunization Record
3. The EP will administer pre-test counseling to the applicant and complete Part A of the Migrants' Health Evaluation Form
4. The EP will collect the relevant blood samples or send applicant to approved laboratory to complete Part C4 of the Migrants' Health Evaluation Form
5. The applicant will be sent to an approved radiological facility for Chest X-Ray if required.
6. The EP will review the results of all Parts of the Migrants' Health Evaluation Form and submit the complete report in a sealed envelope to the NHIB Medical Advisor via courier and also fax to secure fax for expedience.
7. **Failure of the EP to comply with these guidelines or any false documentation on their part or the part of the laboratory's health Practitioner will result in revocation of their privileges as an EP and reporting to the Medical Council with whom the EP is registered.**