

Basic TB Course

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q. Where do I get the Outlines and Pre/Post Tests to teach a basic class?

A. Outlines and Pre/Post Tests are included in the TB Manual which can be ordered from the American Lung Association in Indiana on the Product Order Form.

Q. Where do I get the TB Powerpoint presentation?

A. The Powerpoint presentation was developed by a TB collaborative. It is distributed to all new instructors, and to all instructors when there are updates, by the American Lung Association in Indiana.

Q. Where can I get TB rules?

A. A TB Skin Test Ruler is sent with each Basic Validation Card ordered. Additional rulers can be ordered from the Centers for Disease Control at <http://cdc.gov/tb/publications/videodvdcdrms.htm>

Q. How do I get Basic Validation Cards for my class participants?

A. After you teach your basic course, send in your Roster, Product Order Form and payment. Cards can only be ordered after the class has been completed.

Q. Where can I get the latest TB statistics?

A. Statistics are included in the TB Manual and also online from Indiana State Department of Health TB Department at (new link).

Q. Can I just have my basic course students view the Centers for Disease Control video or DVD and then give the Pre/Post Tests and demonstrate?

A. When you became a TB instructor, you signed an agreement to teach the complete American Lung Association in Indiana Basic TB Course, which includes the outlines and Powerpoint presentation. Doing anything less compromises the integrity and quality of the American Lung Association TB Education Program.

Q. Where do I get the video/DVD from the Centers for Disease Control to show during the basic course?

A. Mantoux Tuberculin Skin Testing DVD Kit includes a DVD, facilitator guide and ruler and are free from the Centers for Disease Control. Go to <http://wwwn.cdec.gov/pubs/tb.aspx>.

Required tools to teach the Basic TB Course include:

- Outlines (in the TB Manual)
- Pre/Post Tests (in the TB Manual)
- Powerpoint presentation available from the American Lung Association in Indiana
- Video or DVD from Centers for Disease Control (Mantoux Testing Kit)