

Immigration Medical Exam (INS Medical)

Corporate Health Center Immigration Medical Examination

A medical examination is necessary as a part of the application process for an alien applying for adjustment of status.

The physical examination is required for persons of all ages (By the US Citizenship and Immigration Service, or USCIS). The examination requirements are determined by your age and your immunization record. An examination typically consists of the following:

1. Physical Exam.
2. A tuberculin (TB) skin test is required for all persons 2 years or older.
 - a. A chest x-ray is required if skin test reaction is greater than 5mm
3. Blood test for HIV (the virus that causes AIDS) and syphilis (RPR).
4. Immunizations are based on age and medical history.

Immunizations:

Immunizations are required by USCIS (Childhood immunizations depend on age):

- Measles, Mumps, Rubella vaccine, Tetanus/Diphtheria vaccine
- Varicella (Chicken Pox) vaccine, Influenza (during flu season)
- Zoster (for those over age 65), Human Papillomavirus for women age 11 to 26

What you need to bring with you to facilitate processing for the Physical Exams:

1. Picture identification such as a passport or other federally approved documentation (state identification such as a driver's license and school ID is not acceptable).
2. Your medical records for any chronic or serious medical problem
3. Your immunization records, even childhood records, if available
4. Alien Registration number if you have one (starts with an "A")
5. I-693 medical form if you have one, otherwise we will provide

We understand the time sensitive nature of these examinations. Usually, we are able to complete the physical examination and blood work portions of the forms within two days. If you return in two or three days to have your TB skin test reviewed and have all the required immunizations completed, then you may be able to have your paperwork completed at that time.