

Protect your baby from Tuberculosis (TB)

TB is a serious, infectious illness that takes a long time to treat

Your baby is at risk of TB if

- » Someone at home has TB now or has had it in the past
- » Someone at home has come from a country with a high number of TB cases - see list on the back of this sheet
- » Your baby will live in one of these countries for three months or longer

For a free BCG vaccination, visit www.arphs.govt.nz/BCG or phone **0800 FOR BCG (0800 367 224)**.

You can also ask your midwife, family doctor or Plunket nurse about the BCG vaccination.



immunise

their best protection

Countries with a high number of people with TB disease¹

Afghanistan	Ghana	Northern Mariana Islands
Algeria	Greenland	Pakistan
Angola	Guam	Palau
Armenia	Guinea	Panama
Azerbaijan	Guinea-Bissau	Papua New Guinea
Bangladesh	Guyana	Paraguay
Belarus	Haiti	Peru
Benin	Honduras	Philippines
Bhutan	India	Republic of Korea
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	Indonesia	Republic of Moldova
Botswana	Iraq	Romania
Brazil	Kazakhstan	Russian Federation
Brunei Darussalam	Kenya	Rwanda
Burkina Faso	Kiribati	Sao Tome and Principe
Burundi	Kyrgyzstan	Senegal
Cabo Verde	Lao People's Democratic Republic	Sierra Leone
Cambodia	Latvia	Singapore
Cameroon	Lesotho	Solomon Islands
Central African Republic	Liberia	Somalia
Chad	Libya	South Africa
China	Lithuania	South Sudan
China, Hong Kong SAR	Madagascar	Sri Lanka
China, Macao SAR	Malawi	Sudan
Côte d'Ivoire	Malaysia	Swaziland
Congo	Maldives	Taiwan
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Mali	Tajikistan
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Marshall Islands	Thailand
Djibouti	Mauritania	Timor-Leste
Dominican Republic	Micronesia (Federated States of)	Togo
Ecuador	Mongolia	Turkmenistan
El Salvador	Morocco	Tuvalu
Equatorial Guinea	Mozambique	Uganda
Eritrea	Myanmar	Ukraine
Ethiopia	Namibia	United Republic of Tanzania
Fiji	Nauru	Uzbekistan
Gabon	Nepal	Vanuatu
Gambia	Nicaragua	Viet Nam
Georgia	Niger	Yemen
	Nigeria	Zambia
		Zimbabwe

¹Adapted from:

www.health.govt.nz/system/files/documents/publications/imms handbook-a8-high-incidence-tb-countries-mar18.pdf