TB Testing Procedure - Cal Teach

Before you can be placed in a local school, you must document your TB status. TB tests are valid for 4 years. Your test must be valid through the end of your internship.

If you have been tested for TB within the past 4 years, please submit the medical report to the Cal Teach Office showing NEGATIVE results.

If you do not have a current test status (within 4 years), you will need to be tested again.

UC SHIP insurance TB procedure:
1. Make an appointment with the Health Center using the health center’s screenshot instructions
   a. You will either be TB tested with a skin test (for which you’d have to return two days later) or a blood test (for which there is no need for a return visit).
2. Submit proof of your negative TB status to Cal Teach. If you test positive, Cal Teach will pay for the follow-up exam.

Non-UC SHIP insurance TB procedure:
1. Make an appointment with a private doctor, or walk in to urgent care, or doctors on duty.
2. Ask how and when you will receive the results
3. Submit proof of your negative TB status to Cal Teach. If you test positive, Cal Teach will pay for the follow-up exam.
4. Cal Teach will reimburse you upon submission of your payment receipt and test results.