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Dear Dr. _____ :

I evaluated your patient, Mr./Mrs. _____, for tuberculosis (TB) because he/she applied to adjust his/her status to a permanent U.S. resident. For more information regarding the evaluation process, please refer to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's TB Technical Instructions for Civil Surgeons

(<https://www.cdc.gov/immigrantrefugeehealth/exams/ti/civil/tuberculosis-civil-technical-instructions.html>).

The TB evaluation is now complete, and *your patient has a diagnosis of latent TB infection (LTBI).*

I recommend he/she receive LTBI treatment. Please refer to the following websites for additional information regarding the diagnosis and treatment of LTBI:

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
<https://www.cdc.gov/tb/publications/lbti/lbtiresources.htm>
- California Department of Public Health
<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/TB-LTBI-Treatment.aspx>
- Alameda County Public Health Department
<http://www.acphd.org/media/461199/tb-providers-guide.pdf>

Sincerely,

Dr. _____