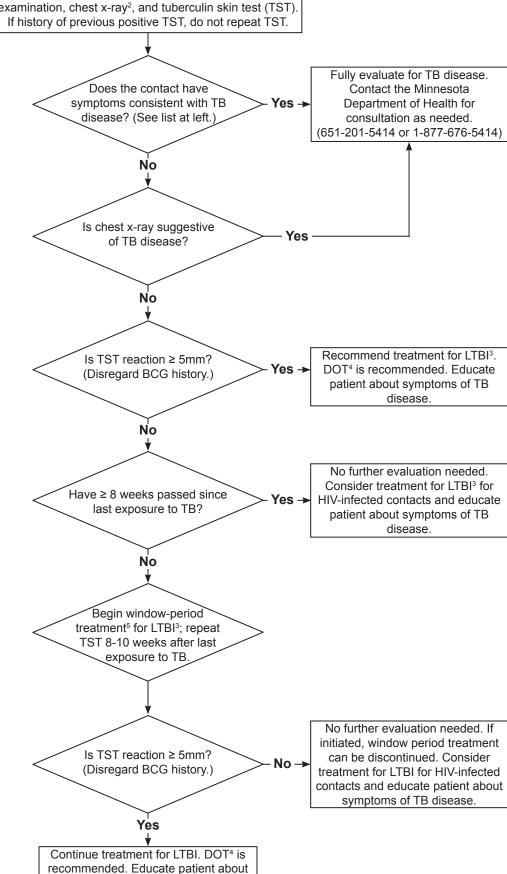
Evaluation and Treatment of Immunocompromised Tuberculosis (TB) Contacts¹ and TB Contacts < 5 Years of Age

Evaluate with medical and exposure history, physical examination, chest x-ray2, and tuberculin skin test (TST). If history of previous positive TST, do not repeat TST.

symptoms of TB disease.

TB Symptoms Include:

- prolonged cough (≥ 3 weeks)
- chest pain
- · hemoptysis
- fever
- · chills
- · night sweats
- weight loss
- appetite loss
- fatigue



¹ i.e., persons with recent close exposure to someone with infectious TB disease

- 3 Latent TB infection
- ⁴ directly observed therapy
- ⁵ treatment provided for possible LTBI between the initial and post-exposure TST; DOT is recommended



² children < 5 years of age should have both PA and lateral views