Appendix 1 – TB Aide Memoire

**Consult SOP and isolate in a single room with:**
- ✓ ensuite/own commode
- ✓ door closed
- ✓ IPC yellow sign on door
- ✓ dedicated equipment
- ✓ Care Checklist: completed daily

**Patient Assessed Daily**

Patient has received 14 days of appropriate antibiotics and tolerated this.
- (If MDR/XDR TB continue isolation until discharge)

**NO**

**YES**

- ✓ Stop isolation
- ✓ undertake terminal clean of room

**SOP – Guidelines for patients in isolation:**

- **Hand Hygiene:** Liquid soap and Water or alcohol handgel on clean hands
- **PPE:** FFP3 mask, disposable yellow apron and gloves for all routine care and Aerosol Generating Procedures (AGPS); Eye protection where there is a risk of splashing of blood and body fluids.
- **Patient Environment:** Twice daily chlorinated
- **Patient Equipment:** Twice daily chlorinated
- **Laundry:** Treat as infected
- **Waste:** Dispose of as clinical / Healthcare waste

**Incubation Period:** 2 – 8 weeks to cause an immune reaction (may be year before disease develops)

**Period of Communicability:** n/a

**Notifiable disease:** Yes

**Transmission route:** airborne