

## **Questions to Ask Your Doctor About Chest X-ray**

The following questions can help you talk to your physician about having a chest x-ray. **Print out or write down these questions and take them with you to your appointment.** Taking notes can help you remember your physician's response when you get home.

- What are the possible benefits for me of having a chest x-ray?
- What are my individual risks from having a chest x-ray?
- How much radiation will I be exposed to during the test?
- What happens next if the chest x-ray shows something that needs further examination?