

## **Diagnostic Testing**

### AFMAN 36-2905

3.10.2. Airmen who have a current PFA on file (regardless of score or exemption status on last PFA) and not presently exempt may voluntarily complete a diagnostic PFA **no later than 15 calendar days prior to the expiration of their current PFA** (scheduling subject to training and mission needs). Airmen who are not current are not eligible to take a diagnostic PFA.

3.10.3. Airmen may attempt at least one but no more than three diagnostic PFAs per calendar year. The initiation of any measured component (push-ups, sit-ups, run/walk) of the PFA will be considered an attempt.

#### FAC NOTES:

Basically every FA begins as a diagnostic unless;

- a) Declared official prior to commencement.
- b) Member has used all allotted CY diagnostics attempts.

To utilize a Diagnostic, the following criteria must be met;

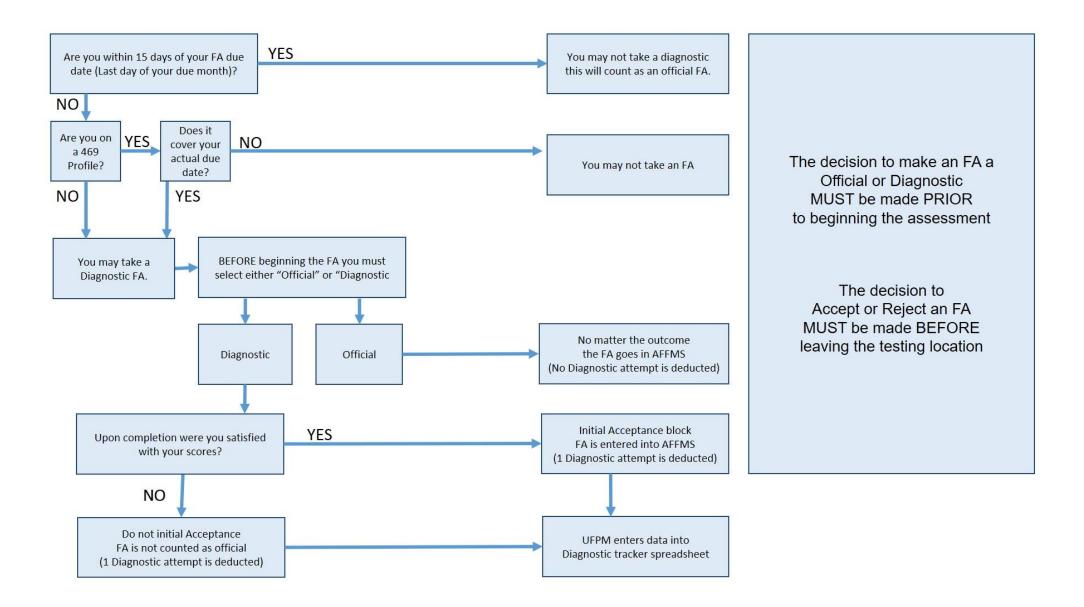
- a) Member has not exhausted his CY allotment of diagnostics.
- b) Member is not within 15 days of their test due date.
- c) Members is in CURRENT fitness status.
- d) If outside the members normal testing month the member cannot have any 469 fitness restrictions.

(members who were ineligible for exemptions in 2020 (not current prior to Mar 20) will not be eligible for diagnostics when testing resumes due to them being in NOT CURRENT status per 3.10.2 and AFPC guidance)

UFPM's will track all diagnostic attempts and outcome on the spreadsheet provided. This see must stay current as it is the data that will be used to keep the Wing up to date on Diagnostic usage



## **Diagnostic Testing Flow Chart**





# **Diagnostic Declaration Process**

Member decides prior to the beginning of the Assessment if 1) Assessment will be official

a) unable to change after assessment begins

3.2.4. Airmen will complete part I of the AF Form 4446, Air Force Physical Fitness Assessment Scorecard, **prior to beginning the assessment** and indicate whether the assessment is diagnostic or official. (T-3).

2) Assessment will be a Diagnostic

a) counts towards the CY allotment no matter outcomeb) can be accepted as official by initialing

3) Member must decide if a diagnostic is to be counted as an official test prior to leaving the testing facility

3.10.4. Airmen will be notified of their overall score after completing the diagnostic PFA. (T-3) If the result is a passing score, the Airman must decide whether to make the diagnostic PFA official by initialing next to their total score and fitness category section, prior to leaving the testing location. Only after an Airman elects to count the diagnostic PFA will the results be recorded in Air Force Fitness Management System II. Airmen may not be directed to make a diagnostic PFA official. (T-2).

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Ascassment	PART I. MEMBER COMP	LETES	
Rank / Name:	Unit:		Duty Phone:
E-mail:	SSN:		Age (years):
	□ No, this	is an official assessment.	
leans is a diagnostic fitness assessment?	Yes. Indi	Yes. Indicate election by initialing below next to the total score	
PART	II. TEST ADMINISTRATOR		
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Aerobic Component exemption: Y / N	Start Date:	End Date:	
Push-up exemption: Y/N	Start Date:	End Date:	5 5
Sit-up exemption: Y/N	Start Date:	End Date:	9 19
Component Measurement / Reps / Time		Score	Minimum Value Met?
Push-ups (reps)			Y/N
Sit-ups (reps)			Y/N
1.5-Mile Run /			
	nutes Seconds	and the second se	Y/N
Walk (mins:secs) Total Score:			
	l acknowledge my fit	ness category and elect to make r	ny diagnostic assessment
Category (circle one): Unsatisfactory / Satisfactory / Exc	ellent Airman's Initials:		
	PART III. ACKNOWLEGE	MENT	
acknowledge the above information reflects my performan		ess discrepancies IAW the guidance in	n AFI 36 -2905 on removing FA scores.
NOTE: Refusal to sign does not invalidate an official		Deter	
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NOTE: Refusal to sign does not invalidate an official AIRMAN TESTING: Signature: TEST ADMINISTRATOR:		Date: Date:	
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