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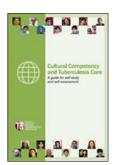
Product Highlights

Basic Epidemiology for Tuberculosis Program Staff



This guide provides a background on basic epidemiology for TB program staff as well as descriptions of how these concepts can be put to practical use. The guide also contains information on epidemiologic and statistical techniques that are used in research studies. The information in this guide will assist in analyzing data, assessing current and evolving trends in TB morbidity, identifying risk groups, and determining where to allocate staff and resources.

<u>Cultural Competency and Tuberculosis Care: A Guide</u> for Self-Study and Self-Assessment



This print resource was developed for the public health workforce and other healthcare providers. It is intended as a tool to begin to explore the knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary for cultural competency in general, with a focus on TB control activities. The guide utilizes a culture general perspective and includes a self-assessment tool, teaching cases, and links to other cultural competency resources.

Effective Interviewing for Tuberculosis Contact Investigation Video



This teaching video provides an overview of interviewing for TB contact investigation and includes excerpts of a TB interview and a re-interview along with commentary from experts in the field. The video is intended to provide overall guidance and interviewing techniques.

LTBI Multimedia Videos



These brief multimedia videos are intended for primary care providers, especially those working in community settings, such as federally qualified health centers (FQHCs) and community health centers (CHCs). They can also be useful for providers in private practice, college health, or occupational health settings.

Management of Latent Tuberculosis Infection in Children and Adolescents: A Guide for the Primary Care Provider



This guide is a resource for pediatric primary care providers and includes recommendations from the American Academy of Pediatrics on screening, diagnosis, and treatment of LTBI in children and adolescents. Topics covered include targeted testing, risk assessment, diagnostic tests, LTBI treatment regimens, monitoring, and approaches to increase treatment adherence.

Planning & Implementing the TB Case

Management Conference: A unique opportunity
for networking, peer support and ongoing
training



The case management conference provides a forum for networking, peer support and ongoing training to improve staff expertise in TB control interventions. This manual is a step-by-step guide for developing and conducting the case management conference. It includes guidelines for the conference coordinator, presenters and moderator in the form of "to-do" checklists, sample letters, presentation template and evaluations.

TB Field Investigation: A Resource for the Health Care Worker



This resource describes the TB field investigation process including pre-investigation preparation, communication with individuals in the field, confidentiality, field safety and working with community providers. A checklist to be used during field work is also included.

TB Interviewing for Contact Investigation: A Practical Resource for the Healthcare Worker



This resource set includes an interview checklist and detailed TB interview outline booklet. The checklist identifies the five components of a TB interview: pre-interview activities, introduction, information/education exchange, contact identification and conclusion, detailed in the outline.

<u>Treatment of Drug Susceptible Tuberculosis (TB)</u> in Adults



This pocket-size drug treatment card for clinicians provides an overview of management and treatment of drug-susceptible TB disease in adults, including medications, recommended regimens, monitoring, and treatment of TB in special situations. The card is based on the 2016 ATS/CDC/IDSA Clinical Practice Guidelines: Treatment Drug-Susceptible Tuberculosis.

TB Training Roadmap for Public Health Nurses



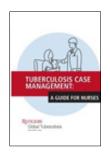
To provide effective tuberculosis (TB) control and prevention activities, public health nurses should possess the necessary background knowledge and skills. This Training Roadmap allows you to design a personalized training guide, utilizing a wide range of existing resources.

<u>Treatment of Tuberculosis: Standard</u> Therapy for Active Disease in Children



This pocket-size drug treatment card for clinicians provides information on the standard antituberculosis therapy for active disease in children, including dosages, daily and intermittent regimens, side effects, treatment information and visual depictions of first-line medications.

<u>Tuberculosis Case Management: A Guide for</u> Nurses



This guide, intended for nurses who are responsible for case management of patients with TB, provides information on the TB case management process and how it is applied when caring for patients and implementing essential activities for controlling TB.

TB Toolkit for Community Health Centers and Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC)



This toolkit is designed to provide key information for both health departments and community health centers, including FQHCs. By creating a list of existing tools and providing suggestions for use, this toolkit can be a resource for building partnerships and accessing relevant information.

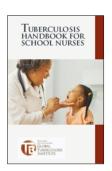
Tuberculosis Education and the Congregate Setting Contact Investigation: A Resource for the Public

Health Worker



This web-based resource will assist public health workers as they plan and conduct an effective TB education session in the congregate setting. This resource includes a complete, modifiable TB-education presentation, frequently asked questions about TB, specific to congregate setting contact investigations, TB vocabulary for lay audiences, pull-out TB fact sheet and an education session evaluation form.

Tuberculosis Handbook for School Nurses



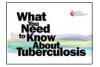
This handbook has been prepared for school nurses, who can play an integral role in the screening and management of children with LTBI and TB disease. The booklet includes a section on TB fundamentals as well as suggestions for applying them in a school setting, including provision on DOT and working in collaboration with community providers in both the public and private sectors.

What Parents Need to Know About Tuberculosis (TB) Infection in Children



This brochure provides parents with important information on tuberculosis infection in children. It is designed in a question and answer format with highlighted information for quick and easy readability. The information covered ranges from the definitions of tuberculosis (TB) infection and TB disease to diagnosis and treatment of TB infection. In addition, tips on treatment improving adherence are provided to ensure completion. The Spanish version of this brochure is also available.

What You Need to Know About Tuberculosis



This portable TB patient education resource was developed for TB program staff, including physicians, nurses, disease investigators, and case managers who provide one-on-one or small group patient education. The TB patient education flipbook has sections on TB testing, TB infection, and TB disease and includes panels for patients with simple text and images to reinforce key points. The Spanish version of this resource is also available.