



About Tuberculosis

With 10,260 tuberculosis (TB) cases and an estimated 13 million individuals living with latent TB infection (LTBI) as provisionally reported in 2025, LTBI/TB disease continues to impact those living in the United States and its territories. These statistics indicate that tuberculosis affects certain demographic groups more heavily than others. The need for large-scale LTBI and TB-related screening, testing, and treatment for people at risk has never been greater.

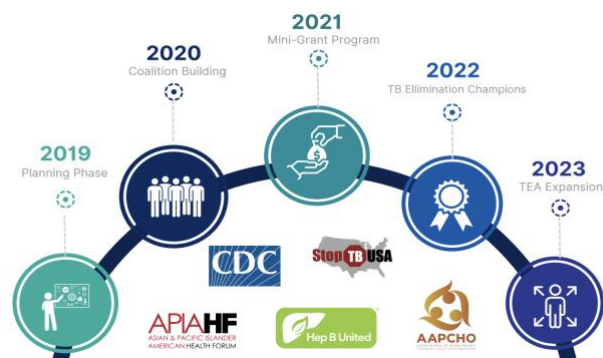
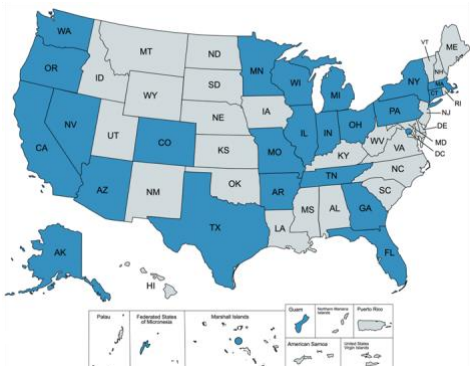
What is the TB Elimination Alliance (TEA)?

TEA, led by the Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations, Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum, Hepatitis B Foundation, and Stop TB USA, with the support of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, is a national partnership of community-based partners and organizations dedicated to eliminating TB among people at risk through education, raising awareness, and innovation.

What Does TEA Do?

TEA's goals and priorities aim to:

- Increase public understanding of the link between LTBI and active TB disease by dispelling common misperceptions and promoting routine testing and treatment;
- Increase awareness and adoption of shorter, CDC-recommended LTBI treatment regimens to improve adherence and health outcomes;
- Develop and disseminate tailored education, training, and community engagement resources that effectively reach and resonate with communities at increased risk for TB in priority regions and geographical TB hotspots;
- Encourage healthcare providers to routinely screen for, test and treat LTBI among individuals and communities at increased risk of TB progression; and
- Strengthen local capacity by supporting community-based partners through strategic communications, cross-sector partnerships, and responsive program and service delivery

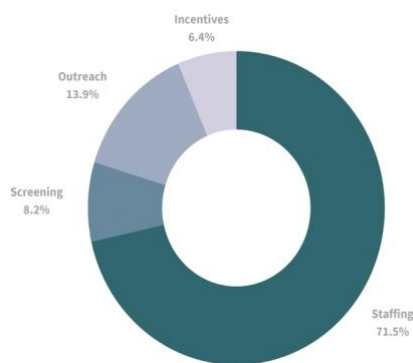


TEA Mini-Grant Program

Each year, TEA offers a mini-grant program to enhance LTBI and/or TB community engagement and education, provider education, and quality improvement. The focus is on supporting local-level activities that engage populations at higher risk for LTBI and TB, in alignment with the CDC's LTBI and TB campaign efforts.

Since its launch in 2019, TEA has given out over \$900,000 to 44 organizations throughout 23 states and territories.

Total Mini-Grant Dollars Awarded = \$905,500



How to Support TEA

To learn more information about and become involved with TEA, please visit tbeliminationalliance.org or contact us at tea@aapcho.org.