

10. Application of programme guidelines for community-driven projects to eliminate TB among migrants

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Type of session	Workshop
Track	TB in vulnerable and special populations
Track2 (optional)	Advancing the End TB strategy and other policy issues
Organised by	LHL, IOM, MCN
Duration	Half-day
Max attendees	100
Meeting type	Open meeting
Description	A conservative estimate of TB among the 915,000 migrating in-country and externally is cause for concern. Developing sustainable community-driven, migrant-specific projects is essential to global TB elimination. Participants at the 2014 Union conference catalogued and consolidated into a brief document the barriers to and necessary conditions for addressing TB among migrants. This document will be reviewed and real-life examples provided of initiatives to address screening, continuity of care, finding the undiagnosed cases, and understanding the burden of and access to healthcare for migrants with TB.
Target audience	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patients, migrants associations, advocates, NGOs, healthcare professionals 2. Policy-makers, public health officials, international organisations 3. WHO, donors
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To provide a guidance for migrant-specific programme development generated from the results of the 2014 workshop 2. To guide participants on ways to build and sustain community-driven projects addressing migrant communities 3. To present successful field examples of public/private partnerships addressing TB in migrant communities 4. To provide other international guidance documents addressing TB and migration 5. To provide training and technical assistance on addressing TB in migrant populations for funding applications
Expected outcome	This workshop provides a review of the migrant-specific programme development guidelines created as the result of facilitated group discussions and other funding guidance received during 2014-2015. Five field examples of migrant initiatives with successful strategies for screening, assuring access to healthcare, finding undiagnosed cases, providing continuity of care and understanding the burden of TB in migrant communities world-wide will be presented. A brief training on addressing migrant-specific programmes in funding requests is also included.
Keywords	Tuberculosis; migrants; guidance; tool; community-driven
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Chair(s)	Davide Mosca (Switzerland), Merete Taksdal (Norway)
Presentations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review of the guidance for the development of migrant-specific TB programmes Gilles Cesari (Switzerland) 2. TB screening for authorised and unauthorised migrants Anh Innes (Thailand) 3. Providing global continuity of care for migrant TB patients Edward Zuroweste (USA) 4. Finding the undiagnosed cases in migrant communities KOULAI MARIUS VIDAL Iro (Côte D'Ivoire) 5. Understanding the burden of TB within migrant populations Paul Douglas (Australia) 6. Including migrant-specific programmes in funding proposals Deliana Garcia (USA)