Tuberculosis profile: Myanmar

Population 2022: 54 million

Estimates of TB burden*, 2022

	Number	(Rate per 100 000 population)
Total TB incidence	257 000 (169 000-366 000)	475 (312-675)
HIV-positive TB incidence	15 000 (10 000-22 000)	29 (19-40)
MDR/RR-TB incidence**	13 000 (6 700-19 000)	24 (12-36)
HIV-negative TB mortality	44 000 (30 000-60 000)	80 (55-110)
HIV-positive TB mortality	5 900 (4 000-8 100)	11 (7.5-15)

Estimated proportion of TB cases with MDR/RR-TB*, 2022

New cases	4.1% (3.8-4.3)
Previously treated cases	19% (18-20)

Universal health coverage and social protection*

TB treatment coverage (notified/estimated incidence), 2022	46% (32-70)
TB patients facing catastrophic total costs, 2015	60% (53-66)
TB case fatality ratio (estimated mortality/estimated incidence), 2022	20% (11-31)

TB case notifications, 2022

Total new and relapse	118 311
- % tested with rapid diagnostics at time of diagnosis	63%
- % with known HIV status	88%
- % pulmonary	92%
- % bacteriologically confirmed ^	45%
- % children aged 0-14 years	20%
- % women (aged ≥15 years)	30%
- % men (aged ≥15 years)	50%
Total cases notified	119 992

TB/HIV care in new and relapse TB patients, 2022

	Number	(%)
Patients with known HIV status who are HIV-positive	6 271	6%
- on antiretroviral therapy	4 502	72%

Drug-resistant TB care**, 2022

% of bacteriologically confirmed TB cases tested for rifampicin resistance - New cases ^	79%
% of bacteriologically confirmed TB cases tested for rifampicin resistance - Previously treated cases ^	99%
Laboratory-confirmed cases - MDR/RR-TB (without pre-XDR-TB/XDR-TB) ^^	2 456
Patients started on treatment - MDR/RR-TB (without pre-XDR-TB/XDR-TB) ^^^	2 115
Laboratory-confirmed cases - pre-XDR-TB or XDR-TB ^^	234
Patients started on treatment - pre-XDR-TB or XDR-TB ^^^	226
MDR/RR-TB cases tested for resistance to any fluoroguinolone	2 564

Treatment success rate and cohort size

	Success	Cohort
New and relapse cases registered in 2021	87%	69 952
Previously treated cases, excluding relapse, registered in 2021	81%	860
HIV-positive TB cases registered in 2021	75%	4 314
MDR/RR-TB cases started on second-line treatment in 2020	76%	1 962
Pre-XDR-TB/XDR-TB cases started on second-line treatment in 2020	100%	12

TB preventive treatment, 2022

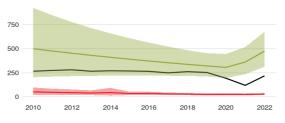
% of HIV-positive people (newly enrolled in care) on preventive treatment	21%
% of household contacts of bacteriologically-confirmed TB cases on preventive treatment	1.1% (1.1-1.1)

Funding for TB

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Funding for TB, 2022 (US\$ millions)	33
- % domestic funding	16%
- % international funding	84%
National TB budget, 2023 (US\$ millions)	98
- Funding source, domestic	5.3%
- Funding source, international	59%
- Unfunded	36%

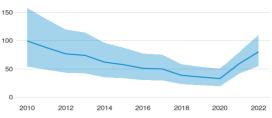
Incidence, New and relapse TB cases notified, HIV-positive TB incidence

(Rate per 100 000 population per year)



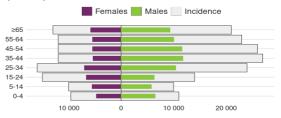
HIV-negative TB mortality

(Rate per 100 000 population per year)

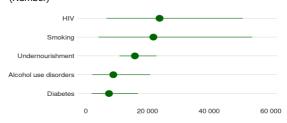


Incidence, Notified cases by age group and sex, 2022

(Number)

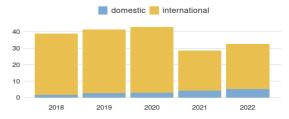


Cases attributable to five risk factors, 2022 (Number)



Funding for TB

(US\$ millions)



- * Estimates of TB burden are produced by WHO in consultation with countries. Ranges represent uncertainty intervals.

 ** RR is TB resistant to rifampicin (R); MDR is TB resistant to R + isoniazid; pre-XDR is TB resistant to R + any fluoroquinolone

 ^* Calculated for pulmonary cases only

 ** Includes cases with unknown previous TB treatment history

 ** Includes patients diagnosed before 2022 and patients who were not laboratory-confirmed

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