

Coalition to End TB in Los Angeles County



January 17th, 2024



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Agenda



- Welcome and Introductions
- Organizational Updates
- Elimination Plan 2020-2024 Review
- WTBD 2024
- TB Champions
- Upcoming events
- Reminders
- Adjourn



Welcome!

•Sign in here: (MS Forms link) <u>https://forms.office.com/g/k6TVyXsKYR</u>

- •Please state your name and the organization you are representing in the chat box
- •New members? Introduce yourself
- •If able, we ask that you turn on your cameras for engagement



Icebreaker!

• What are some big plans for 2024?

• Please unmute to answer or answer in the chat



Announcements



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Updates

Organizational Updates

- Let us know what's new at your organization (trainings events, resources, staff changes, etc.)
- -Are there events you will be hosting or attending?
- -What resources and/or assistance may be needed from any of those represented here, can we provide a training/present?



TBCP Updates

- Uniting for Ukraine outreach funded through September 2024
- Health Educator Assistant with Ukrainian/Russian language skills
- Class B immigrants (pre-screened overseas prior to immigration)
- In 2023, volume returned to pre-COVID levels

UPDA

- New technical instructions (Jan 24, 2024) will go into effect for overseas evaluation to be implemented by October 2024:
 - all adults >15 will get an IGRA test as part of their evaluation
 - all adults > 15 will have NAAT (PCR) on the first respiratory specimen
- New reporting requirements for Civil Surgeons to the CDC surveillance system eMedical (immigrants here in the U.S. on a VISA who are adjusting their status)



Elimination Plan 2020 – 2024 Review

•Preparations for Elimination Plan 2025 - 2029



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World TB Day 2024



Upcoming Events:

- UCSF World TB Day Symposium & CITC 30th Anniversary: Friday, March 22nd
 - Registration Deadline: Thursday, February 22, 2024, 5:00 p.m. Pacific Daylight Time or until room capacity is reached. Please click here to register: <u>https://tb.ucsf.edu/world-tb-day-symposium</u>
 - Coalition for a TB-Free California WTBD Webinar Date Pending



World TB Day 2024 – Continued

Social Media Campaign

Posts on upcoming "Light Up the World" locations

Note: We are looking for volunteers to help us capture photos of these locations. Please let us know if you can help! Sign up here:

https://forms.office.com/g/YSmAH28j0Q

- ➤Locations:
 - ►LAX Pylons

➤Union Station

≻LA City Hall

Sixth Street Viaduct

Dignity Health Sports Park (waiting approval)

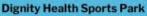
➤General TB Information

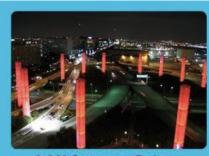
➤"Are you at risk?" postings

Press Release? – pending









LAX Gateway Pylons



LA City Hall



Sixth Street Viaduct

Photo Credit: LA County Public Health – World AIDS Day



Nominations for CA TB Elimination Heroes

- California TB Elimination Heroes Project: Honoring Local TB Champions and Inspiring Others to Prevent the Devastating Impacts of TB in their Communities."
 - -This project honors community providers and leaders who are contributing to TB elimination efforts in their community clinics or community-based organizations (CBOs).
- Nominations are due 2/20/24, complete your submission here: <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MDSFW9L</u>.
- TBCP to nominate Central City Community Health Center (CCCHC) for both the CDC Elimination Champions and TB California Elimination Heroes.
- In preparation for World TB Day 2024, CCCHC we'd like to honor you!





• Uniting for Ukraine Outreach Updates

 Upcoming outreach at the Food Distribution/Free TB Testing event at Mid-Valley Center – February 1st



Outreach at Mid-Valley Comprehensive Health Center Food Distribution – February 1st

LA County Department of Public Health Tuberculosis Control Program

Free IGRA Test!

<u>February 1st</u> 8:00 am - 11:30 am Mid-Valley CHC 7515 Van Nuys Blvd. Van Nuys, CA 91405 LIMITED TESTING AVAILABLE

NEED A TEST SOONER?

 Visit any of our Nurse Walk-in Clinics! Locations and other information located on the back of flyer



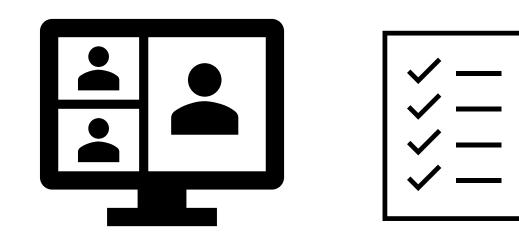
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Next Meeting





Department of Public Health TB Control Program Coalition to End TB in Los Angeles County 2024 Schedule Microsoft Teams Save the Dates

Date	Topics
January 17th	TB Elimination /World TB Day Planning
February 21st	World TB Day Planning
March 20 th	
April 17th	General Meeting - Community Partner Presentation
May 15th	
June 19th	TB Elimination
July 17 th	
August 21st	General Meeting
September 18 th	
October 16th	World TB Day Planning
November 20 th	General Meeting - Community Partner Presentation
December 18 th	

Topics are subject to change

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