Affected Communities Empowerment against TB (ACE-TB)

Stop TB Partnership Indonesia (STPI)

LOCATION DKI Jakarta and West Java

TARGET POPULATION(S) 60+ members of POP TB networks in Jakarta (Pejuang Tangguh/PETA) and West Java (Terus Berjuang/TERJANG), national and district-level executive and legislative government, DR-TB patients assisted by PETA and TERJANG and their household contacts

IMPLEMENTERS AND PARTNERS POP TB INDONESIA

ABOUT THE PROJECT

PROBLEM STATEMENT — Not all DR-TB high burden province(s) have established TB patient organizations because POP TB lacks knowledge and capabilities to tap local financing to expand their activities. Lack of advocacy work led by TB affected communities, that were initially established only as peer supporters, for timely and improved quality person centered TB care and prevention for key populations, requires multi sector support. However, achieving this requires organizational and individual capacity building as well as networking. Addressing this also means overcoming stigma and discrimination after receiving a DR-TB diagnosis to resolve ambivalence in starting and/or continuing treatment.

AIM — Achieve TB elimination by 2030 through empowerment and meaningful participation of TB affected communities, including POP TB.

OBJECTIVES

1. To increase community and civil society leadership and participation in the TB response from prioritizing and designing interventions to implement, monitor, and evaluate TB services.

2. Strengthen advocacy for TB affected communities at the national and sub national levels with focus on key stakeholders and decision makers.

STRATEGIC ALIGNMENTS

CONTRIBUTION TO REACHING KEY UN HLM TARGETS BY 2022. Through ACE-TB, Stop TB Partnership Indonesia and POP TB Indonesia aims to promote and support efforts to end stigma and discrimination (structural/social barriers) towards people affected by Tuberculosis. Hence, we are working to transform our TB response to be people-centered, community-based, gender-responsive and based on human rights by 2022.

ALIGNMENT WITH NATIONAL PRIORITIES AND THE TB STRATEGIC PLAN. The project is aligned with Strategy 5 of the Indonesia Nasional Strategic Planning for TB 2020–2024: Increasing the participation of communities, partners, and other multi sectors in the elimination of tuberculosis.
VISION — A strong partnership for a TB free Indonesia.

MISSION

1. Acknowledging our potentials and capabilities, STPI aims to support the government in attaining the targets of national-level TB program.

2. Encourage the harmonization of Indonesia’s TB program based on accountable and transparent mechanisms with measurable outcomes.

3. Strengthen quality TB services, in respective to the NTP standards, and increase public awareness about TB as well as encouraging the public to access available health services proactively.

4. Mobilize support, resources, an initiative from multiple stakeholders at the national and international level for TB control and prevention in Indonesia.

5. Influence policy-making about TB through advocacy efforts to respective significant stakeholders.

POP TB is a national network of TB survivor peer supporters and advocates championing TB CRG in Indonesia.