The Global Impact of TB

The Missing 3 Million

REACH, TREAT, CURE EVERYONE

Who Are the Missed 3 Million

9 million became ill and 1.5 million died from tuberculosis (TB) in 2013. More than 3 million people with TB were missed and undiagnosed. These include women and children, the poor and malnourished, refugees, migrants, miners, ethnic minorities, homeless and substance users.

Why Are They Missed

No Access: Distance to care, poverty, stigma, limited facilities, financial barriers, conflict
No Diagnosis: undertrained staff, inaccurate tests, lack of equipment
No Documentation: weak reporting, lack of case notification
No Treatment: Drug stockouts and poor links between services

The Solutions:
1. Provide Adequate Funding for TB
2. Increase Access to Care
3. Expand Screening and Diagnosis
4. Improve information flow for quality care

Progress Finding The Missed 3 Million

TB is Curable with a $30 USD six month treatment course
TB Respects No Borders
A $1 USD Investment in preventing TB provides a $30 USD Return to National Economies
1 Person with TB can infect up to 10 People a year