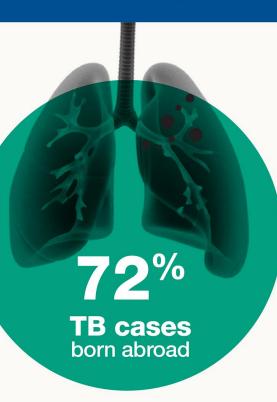
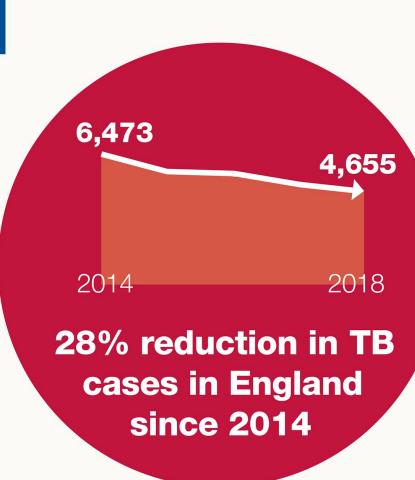
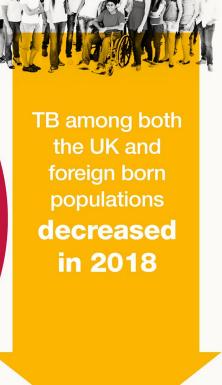
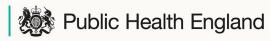
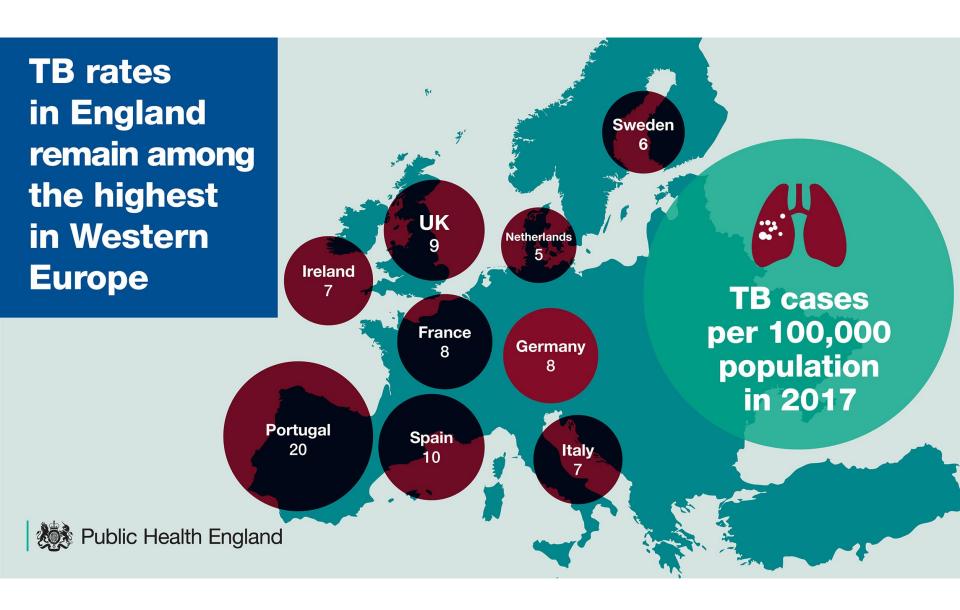
TB in England



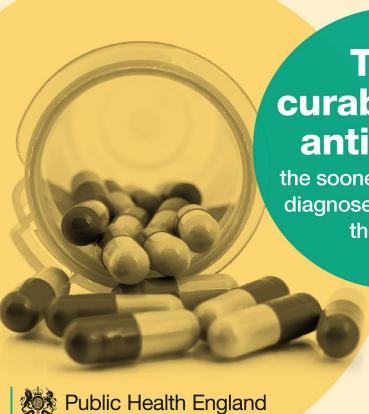








TB is curable



TB is curable with antibiotics

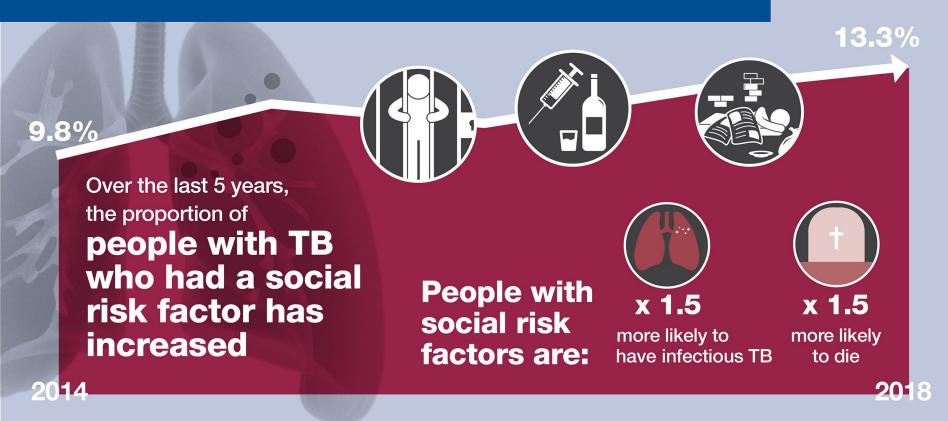
the sooner the illness is diagnosed and treated the better

86%
of TB patients
completed a course
of treatment in 2017

Completing treatment reduces the risk of:

- drug resistant TB
- onward transmission
- disease
- dying

Under-served groups are most at risk of TB

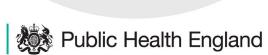


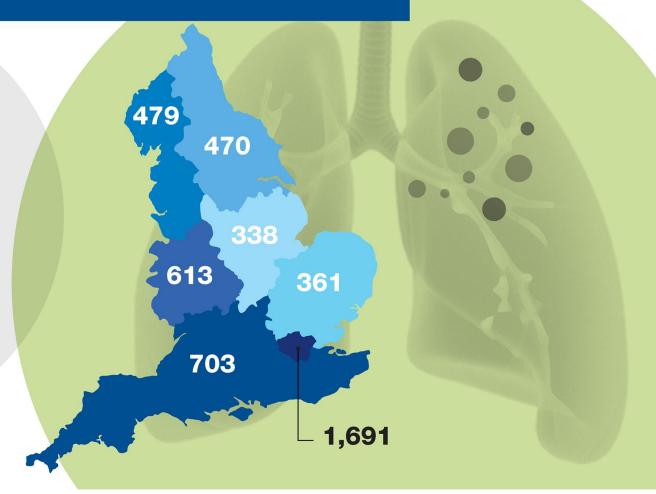


Number of TB cases in England in 2018



- South England
- West Midlands
- North West
- North East, Yorkshire & the Humber
- East of England
- East Midlands





Improve TB diagnosis to...



Reduce delays

in access, diagnosis and care

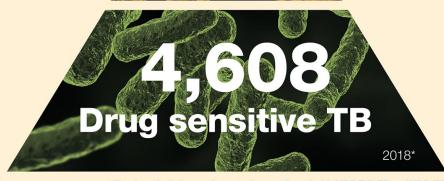


Percentage of pulmonary TB patients in 2018 experiencing a delay of more than 4 months before starting treatment





43
MDR/RR-TB
(excluding XDR-TB)



* Numbers include people treated or confirmed with MDR/RR-TB and XDR-TB



Improve access and diagnosis



Quality diagnostics



Quality treatment and care



Contact tracing



Workforce strategy



Collaborative TB Strategy for England, 2015-2020



Vaccination



Surveillance and monitoring



Latent TB screening



Tackle TB in underserved populations



Reduce drug resistance