TB in Yorkshire and the Humber

664

425

69%
TB cases
born abroad

2011

2016

Overall, there has been a 36% reduction in the number of cases of TB in Yorkshire and the Humber over the past 5 years



Cases
among both
the UK and
foreign born
populations
decreased

2012-2016

Under-served groups are most at risk of TB

Yorkshire and the Humber

TB cases with a social risk factor increased

8.5% of cases

10.3% of cases

Cases with social risk factors:









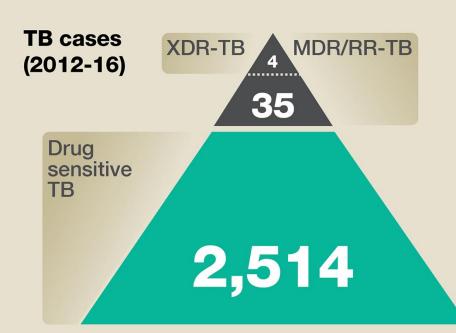
are twice as likely to have infectious TB



are twice as likely to die

Improve TB diagnosis to ...

Reduce the spread of multi-drug resistant TB



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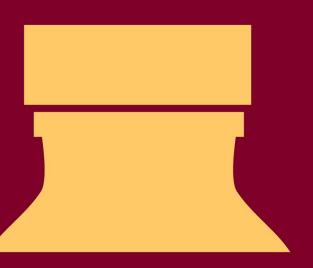


% Yorkshire and the Humber

% England

Percentage of pulmonary TB patients in 2016 experiencing a delay of more than 4 months before starting treatment

MDR/RR-TB cases take longer and cost more to treat



TB is curable with antibiotics

the sooner the illness is diagnosed and treated the better

840/0
of TB patients
complete a six-month
course of treatment



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Patients should complete treatment

to reduce the risk of:

- drug resistant TB
- onward transmission
- relapse of disease
- dying