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Tricks of the Trade: Strategies for Pediatric TB Case Management

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1:00-2:30 PM EASTERN

12:00-1:30 PM CENTRAL

11:00-12:30 PM MOUNTAIN

10:00-11:30 AM PACIFIC

A National Web-Based Seminar

Provided By

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DESCRIPTION & OVERALL GOAL

This webinar will discuss practical aspects of the case management of children and adolescents with latent TB infection (LTBI) and TB disease. The webinar will highlight the importance of evaluating and treating children for LTBI and TB disease, factors that influence adherence to TB treatment and strategies for overcoming barriers to improve the effectiveness of treatment.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This webinar is open to health care providers and TB program staff who are involved in the care of pediatric patients at risk for or diagnosed with TB infection or disease.

WHY EDUCATION IS NEEDED

TB disease in children is a public health problem of special significance because it indicates recent transmission. There are many challenges associated with the diagnosis and treatment of TB in this population, which points to the need for education as well as age-appropriate strategies and approaches to help achieve successful outcomes.

OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of this activity, participants should be better able to:

- Understand the utility of a risk assessment tool to identify children and adolescents for targeted TB testing and evaluation
- Implement age-specific approaches for administering TB medications to children
- Utilize strategies for overcoming barriers and achieving adherence

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

1:00 pm	Introduction
1:10 pm	Strategies for Pediatric TB Case Management
2:00 pm	Case Studies
2:20 pm	Questions and Discussion
2:30 pm	Adjourn

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Technical requirements

Internet Browser: Access to high-speed internet using any of the following browsers:

- Microsoft Internet Explorer
- Mozilla Firefox
- Google Chrome

Sound:

- Computer with speakers, earphones, or headset to hear the audio for pre-recorded sessions
- Telephone for participation in live, web-based session

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

There is limited space for the webinar and acceptance will be on a first-come, first-serve basis. Participants at the same location are encouraged to view the webinar as a group. Each site must identify a contact person to register, receive webinar information, submit a sign-in sheet, and share the link to the online evaluation.

Notification of acceptance and additional information will be sent via email.

If you register and are unable to participate, we would appreciate you informing us so that others may be accommodated

Please register at: <http://pediatrictb.eventbrite.com>

CANCELLATION INFORMATION

We reserve the right to modify the activity content, faculty and activities, and to cancel this activity, if necessary. *If you are unable to attend, please inform us as soon as possible so that others may be accommodated.*

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