

# Notes

## **Brunei Darussalam**

Treatment outcomes are for laboratory-confirmed cases, and for nationals only. Non-nationals are deported to their country of origin after two weeks of treatment or conversion to smear-negative status.

## **Cambodia**

The latest estimate of the incidence of TB does not take into account the results from a recent disease prevalence survey.

## **China**

The NTP notes that age and sex data are incomplete. Relapse notifications include both smear-positive cases and smear-negative/-unknown cases.

## **China, Hong Kong SAR**

Patients' outcomes are assessed at 12 months after diagnosis.

## **Guam**

Of 9 smear-negative, culture-negative cases, and 3 cases with smear and culture not done, all 12 completed treatment.

## **Malaysia**

Age and sex data are for all new cases.

## **Palau**

DOTS coverage was not reported, but assumed to be same as in the previous report.

## **Singapore**

All data refer to TB cases notified among resident population.

## **Tokelau**

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the tuberculosis epidemic and evaluates surveillance,  
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