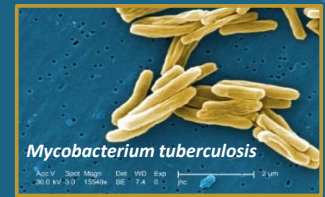


Mecklenburg County Tuberculosis Reports

2014 - 2016 Demographic and Clinical Data



A total of 32 TB cases were reported in Mecklenburg during 2016, for a case rate of 3.1 per 100,000. While both TB reports and case rate for 2016 were higher than the previous two years, overall case reporting in the county remain at an all time low.

2014 - 2016 Mecklenburg Verified Tuberculosis (TB) Case Reports						
	2014		2015		2016	
	Total Reports = 22 Rate = 2.2 per 100,000		Total Reports = 25 Rate = 2.5 per 100,000		Total Reports = 32 Rate = 3.1 per 100,000	
Gender	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%
Male	10	34%	11	44%	15	47%
Female	12	66%	14	56%	17	53%
Racial Categories (includes Hispanics)						
White	6	27%	6	24%	9	28%
Black/African American	9	41%	9	36%	14	44%
Asian or Pacific Islander	6	27%	9	36%	8	25%
American Indian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other/Unknown	1	5%	1	4%	1	3%
Ethnicity (Hispanic/Latino)						
Non-Hispanic	17	77%	20	80%	23	72%
Hispanic	5	23%	5	20%	9	28%
Country of Origin						
U.S. Native	7	32%	7	28%	14	44%
Foreign-Born	15	68%	18	72%	18	56%
Age Groups						
0 - 14 yrs	4	18%	1	4%	2	6%
15- 24 yrs	2	9%	1	4%	4	13%
25- 44 yrs	9	41%	10	40%	8	25%
45 - 64 yrs	5	23%	9	36%	12	38%
65 yrs and above	2	9%	4	16%	6	19%
Behavioral and Occupational Risk Categories (Within the Past Year)						
Injected Drugs	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Non-Injecting Drug Use	3	7%	1	4%	4	13%
Excessive Alcohol Use	3	7%	2	8%	3	9%
Homeless	3	7%	2	8%	2	6%
Resident of Long-Term Care Facility	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Clinical Data (Site of Disease)						
Pulmonary	14	64%	14	56%	17	53%
Extra Pulmonary	6	27%	6	24%	9	28%
Both	2	9%	5	20%	6	19%

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