IN NEW YORK CITY, 2019

566 Number of TB cases verified in NYC in 2019

6.9 NYC citywide TB rate per 100,000 people

2% INCREASE in the number of TB cases from 2018-2019

PATIENT CHARACTERISTICS

60% of TB cases occurred among males

62% of TB cases occurred among people who were 45 years of age or older

70 Number of countries of birth represented among patients with TB disease

100% Proportion of neighborhoods with at least one TB case

15 Number of neighborhoods with a TB rate higher than the 2019 NYC citywide rate

1. Defined by United Hospital Fund neighborhood designation (n=42). 2. Rates are per 100,000.

NYC HEALTH DEPARTMENT TB SERVICES AND KEY ACTIVITIES

The NYC Health Department performs a range of TB services and activities in collaboration with local health care providers, laboratories, community partners and others. Health Department services are provided free of charge to ALL PATIENTS, regardless of the patient’s immigration status, insurance status or ability to pay. For a list of Health Department chest clinics, see page 37.