



Tuberculosis (TB) Awareness and Treatment - ECHO-TV Program

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Physical Description: Webstreaming audiovisual file (20 min): sd., col.

Language: English, Hmong, Khmer, Lao, Somali, Spanish, Vietnamese

Abstract:

Minnesota Department of Health's (MDH) Refugee Health and Tuberculosis Programs are pleased to offer a show about tuberculosis (TB) for the public. This show was produced by the ECHO-TV (Emergency and Community Health Outreach) collaborative.

Developed as an educational and outreach tool for persons at elevated risk for TB, the DVD contains seven versions of a 20-minute show that originally aired on public television in Minnesota in March 2008.

There are seven versions, in the following languages: English, Hmong, Khmer, Lao, Somali, Spanish, and Vietnamese. Each version was taped using bilingual and bicultural hosts and healthcare providers. Content was written by MDH TB Program staff. All non-English programs are subtitled in English.

Although the content of the shows varies slightly, each version has these key messages in common: - People from countries where TB is common should get tested for TB. TB is curable and preventable. - If you have TB it's important that you take all of your medicine and follow the advice of a medical professional. - Anyone can have TB so there is no need to be ashamed if you have the disease.

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Asians/Pacific Islanders, Foreign-born/Immigrant, General Public, Hispanics, Persons With LTBI, Persons With TB

Topic:

Foreign-born/Immigrant, General TB Information

Notes

A limited number of DVDs are available at no cost to organizations in the United States that serve populations at elevated risk for TB. Each DVD contains all seven languages.

How to Access this Material:

HTML: <http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/diseases/tb/echo.html>

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