



**Table 1**  
**Distribution of Singapore residents with tuberculosis by site of disease, 1960 – 2008**

| Year                          | New Cases  |             | Total      |
|-------------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
|                               | Lung       | Other Sites |            |
| 1960                          | 4,985      | 72          | 5,057      |
| 1970                          | 3,135      | 157         | 3,292      |
| 1980                          | 2,253      | 164         | 2,417      |
| 1987                          | 1,346      | 92          | 1,438      |
| 1988                          | 1,374      | 104         | 1,478      |
| 1989                          | 1,350      | 102         | 1,452      |
| 1990                          | 1,243      | 123         | 1,366      |
| 1991                          | 1,410      | 121         | 1,531      |
| 1992                          | 1,380      | 130         | 1,510      |
| 1993                          | 1,471      | 105         | 1,576      |
| 1994                          | 1,322      | 112         | 1,434      |
| 1995                          | 1,448      | 116         | 1,564      |
| 1996                          | 1,591      | 105         | 1,696      |
| 1997                          | 1,577      | 135         | 1,712      |
| 1998                          | 1,655      | 155         | 1,810      |
| 1999                          | 1,405      | 138         | 1,543      |
| 2000                          | 1,359      | 159         | 1,518      |
| 2001                          | 1,278      | 196         | 1,474      |
| 2002                          | 1,271      | 154         | 1,425      |
| 2003                          | 1,230      | 173         | 1,403      |
| 2004                          | 1,176      | 184         | 1,360      |
| 2005                          | 1,142      | 174         | 1,316      |
| 2006                          | 1,071      | 185         | 1256       |
| 2007                          | 1074       | 182         | 1256       |
| <b>2008</b>                   |            |             |            |
| <b>(Jan-June preliminary)</b> | <b>587</b> | <b>113</b>  | <b>700</b> |

**Table 2**

**Age-gender distribution of reported tuberculosis (new case) among Singapore residents, 2008 (January – June preliminary)**

| Age (Yrs)    | Male       | Female     | Total      |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 0 – 4        | 0          | 2          | 2          |
| 5 – 9        | 0          | 0          | 0          |
| 10 – 14      | 0          | 0          | 0          |
| 15 – 19      | 15         | 6          | 21         |
| 20 – 29      | 32         | 33         | 65         |
| 30 – 39      | 48         | 34         | 82         |
| 40 – 49      | 91         | 21         | 112        |
| 50 – 59      | 106        | 34         | 140        |
| 60 – 69      | 74         | 31         | 105        |
| 70 – 79      | 80         | 25         | 105        |
| 80 +         | 52         | 16         | 68         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>498</b> | <b>202</b> | <b>700</b> |

**Table 3**

**Ethnic-gender distribution of reported tuberculosis (new case) among Singapore residents, 2008 (January - June preliminary)**

| Ethnic group | Male       | Female     | Total      |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Chinese      | 359        | 121        | 480        |
| Malay        | 95         | 48         | 143        |
| Indian       | 35         | 17         | 52         |
| Others       | 9          | 16         | 25         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>498</b> | <b>202</b> | <b>700</b> |

**Table 4**  
**Singapore residents with relapsed tuberculosis by gender,**  
**2004 – 2008**

| Age (Years)              | No. of relapses |           |            |           |            |           |            |           |                                 |           |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|---------------------------------|-----------|
|                          | 2004            |           | 2005       |           | 2006       |           | 2007       |           | 2008<br>(Jan - Jun preliminary) |           |
|                          | Male            | Female    | Male       | Female    | Male       | Female    | Male       | Female    | Male                            | Female    |
| 0 – 9                    | 0               | 0         | 0          | 0         | 0          | 0         | 0          | 0         | 0                               | 0         |
| 10 – 19                  | 0               | 0         | 1          | 1         | 0          | 1         | 3          | 0         | 0                               | 0         |
| 20 – 29                  | 2               | 2         | 4          | 1         | 2          | 0         | 2          | 5         | 3                               | 1         |
| 30 – 39                  | 4               | 0         | 6          | 5         | 2          | 5         | 9          | 1         | 3                               | 3         |
| 40 – 49                  | 15              | 3         | 12         | 4         | 16         | 6         | 13         | 3         | 8                               | 3         |
| 50 – 59                  | 26              | 6         | 19         | 4         | 17         | 1         | 19         | 2         | 9                               | 2         |
| 60 – 69                  | 39              | 4         | 24         | 6         | 33         | 4         | 27         | 6         | 13                              | 4         |
| 70 +                     | 55              | 12        | 42         | 10        | 44         | 6         | 44         | 4         | 30                              | 3         |
| <b>Total</b>             | <b>141</b>      | <b>27</b> | <b>108</b> | <b>31</b> | <b>114</b> | <b>23</b> | <b>117</b> | <b>21</b> | <b>66</b>                       | <b>16</b> |
| <b>Male &amp; Female</b> | <b>168</b>      |           | <b>139</b> |           | <b>137</b> |           | <b>138</b> |           | <b>82</b>                       |           |