

TB Trainings offered by the Michigan Department of Community Health & American Lung Association of the Midland States

The Tuberculin Skin Testing Workshop	Tuberculosis Case Management	Contact Investigations for Tuberculosis	Directly Observed Therapy Seminars
<p>This workshop is recommended for health care personnel to strengthen their skills in administering, reading and recording the Mantoux Tuberculin Skin Test. In addition to a detailed presentation and practicum on Mantoux skin testing, this workshop covers all aspects of TB including; history, transmission, pathogenesis, epidemiology, diagnosis, treatment and prevention.</p> <p>A train the trainer course is available for those who want to teach this workshop.</p> <p>No commercial support is being received for this event. The planners and presenters have no potential conflict of interest.</p> <p>Certification: 3.4 contact hours Recertification: 1.8 contact hours</p> <p>For more information call: Gail Denkins (517) 335-8165 Julie McCallum (616) 583-0647</p>	<p>This course is recommended for public health personnel to strengthen their skills in the case management of TB. Participants should be actively involved in a local TB control program. Topics addressed in this training include the fundamentals of TB and case management, the role of the TB nurse case manager, elements and activities of the case management process, importance of directly observed therapy, legal and ethical issues and program evaluation.</p> <p>4.8 contact hours</p> <p>For more information call: Gail Denkins (517) 335-8165 Julie McCallum (616) 583-0647</p>	<p>This training is recommended for public health personnel to strengthen their skills in conducting contact investigations. Participants should be actively involved in a local TB control program. Topics addressed in this course include an overview of TB, the purpose and importance of a contact investigation, when an investigation should be done and how it is prioritized, interviewing strategies, the steps involved in contact investigations and common barriers to contact investigations.</p> <p>8.1 contact hours</p> <p>For more information call: Gail Denkins (517) 335-8165 Julie McCallum (616) 583-0647</p>	<p>In addition to basic information regarding DOT, these courses include information on the drugs and drug regimens used, operational elements of a DOT program, and field safety issues. These seminars are recommended for public health personnel involved in a local TB control program.</p> <p>No commercial support is being received for this event. The planners and presenters have no potential conflict of interest.</p> <p>Course (4 hrs): 3.4 contact hrs Workshop (1.5 hrs): 1.5 contact hrs</p> <p>For more information call: Gail Denkins (517) 335-8165 Julie McCallum (616) 583-0647</p>

These continuing nursing education activities were approved by the Michigan Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.