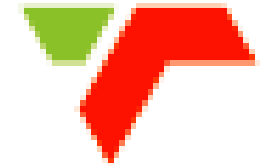




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## TUBERCULOSIS

What is it?

- TB is the most common opportunistic infection in people living with HIV/AIDS.
- However, TB also affects many people who do not have HIV/Aids.
- It is preventable and curable.
- It is spread through the air when someone infected with TB coughs or sneezes.
- It is not a curse, and it is not hereditary – anyone can get TB.
- If left untreated, TB can be fatal.
- South Africa has the highest TB infection rate in the world.