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WHAT IS TUBERCULOSIS?



Tuberculosis (TB) is caused by a type of bacteria



It spreads through the air when infected people cough, sneeze or spit

Common symptoms of TB



Prolonged cough (with blood at times)



Chest pain



Weakness



Weight loss



Fever



Night sweats

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TUBERCULOSIS MAINLY AFFECTS THE LUNGS

but can also impact other
parts of the body

TUBERCULOSIS IS CURABLE!



Contact your healthcare
provider if you:

show symptoms

belong to a high-risk group
(immunocompromised,
undernourished, children)

are a close contact of
a TB patient

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