



Community engagement in TB management

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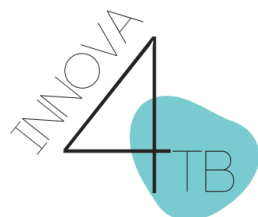


Why I talk about communities?



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Work with bacteria &
metabolomics



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NGO INVOLVEMENT IN TB RESPONSE SYMPOSIUM
СИМПОЗИУМ РОЛЬ НПО В ОТВЕТЕ НА ТУБЕРКУЛЕЗ



Communities want to engage & can contribute:

They know where the “missing cases” are

How to reach out to risk groups

How to improve adherence to treatment

Ready to work with enthusiasm



Engagement of communities means giving them:

- Respect
- Platform
- Training
- Support



What to strive for?

Financial independence of NGO from companies/state

Cooperation of NGO with other actors e g healthcare, but not competition for funding with other actors



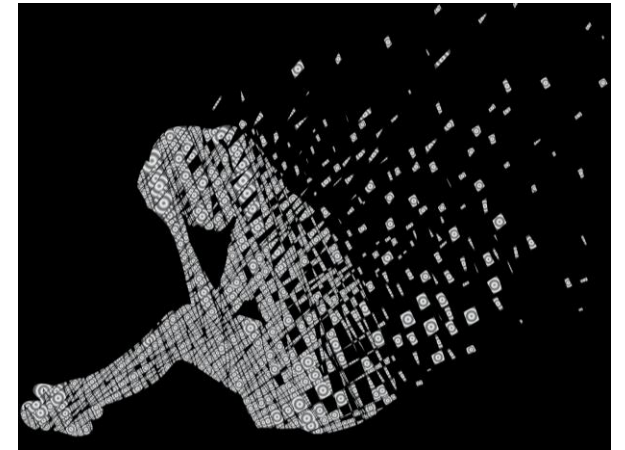
Communities not only strong but also vulnerable

Community activists can disconnect / withdraw

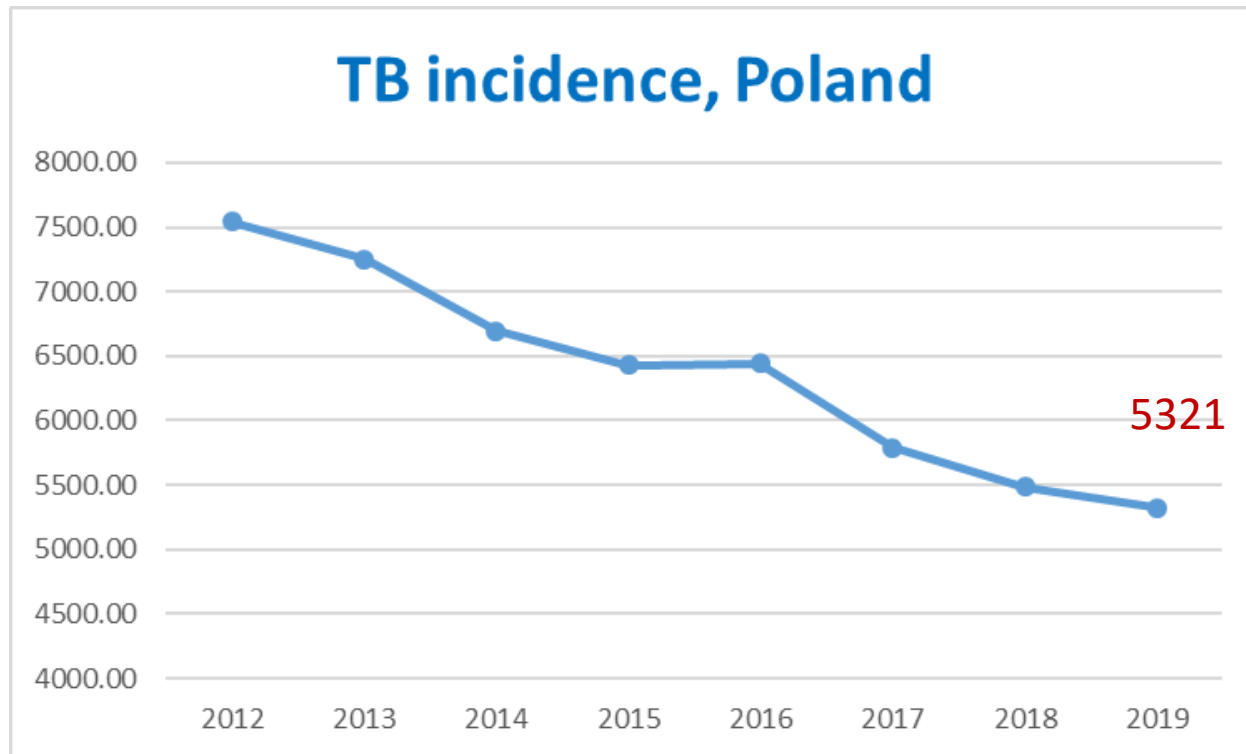
They can have ups & downs, & burnouts

This must be treated with understanding -

they are living on the edge

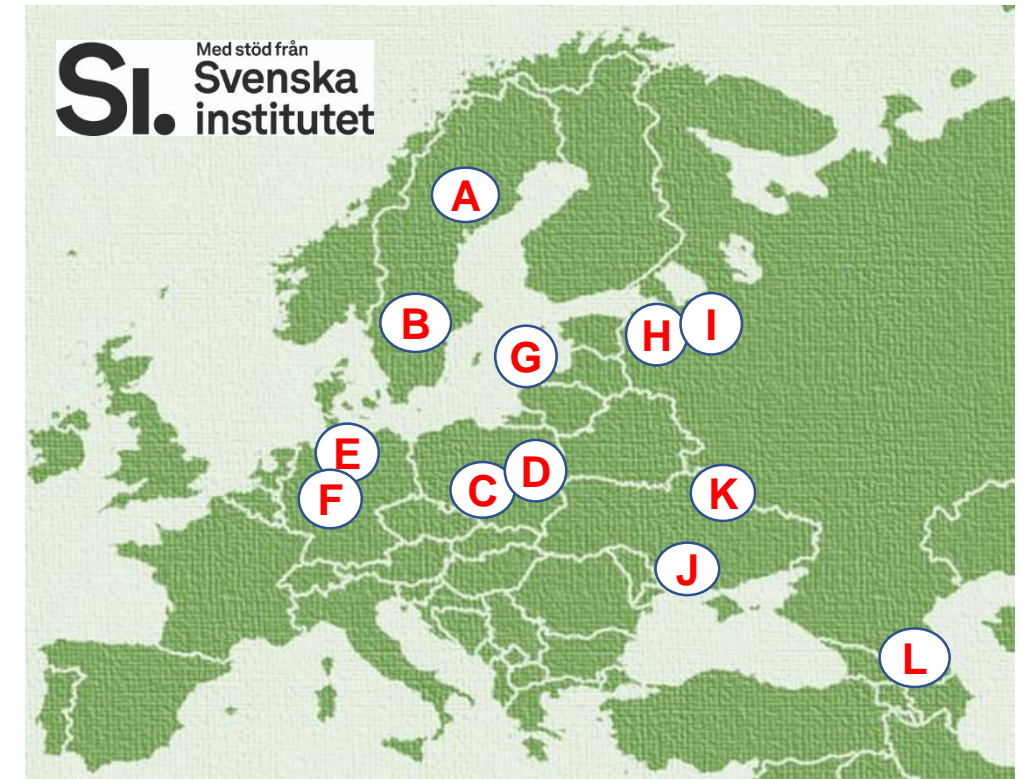


Example 1



www.igichp.edu.pl/wp-content/uploads/2020/06/biuletyn_2020.pdf

Work & Health



C - Jagiellonian University Medical College
D - Krakow Municipality
L - TBpeople

Example 2

Support of treatment adherence

100%LIFE

CHERKASY

Cherkasy



Melitopol

Quality of care in Ukraine



Thank you!

