

GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Please discuss the following issues as a group, with each member participating in the discussion. You may not reach a consensus on each issue, but all ideas are valuable.

- A. What health issues affect this community? Which of these is of the greatest concern to you? Where does this health issue fit in relation to other social concerns?
- B. What about TB? Is TB currently a health concern in this community? Which people in this community are at the highest risk for TB? Would you say TB is more or less important than other health and social concerns?
- C. Where do community members usually go to get diagnosed with TB? What difficulties do community members face when seeking TB diagnosis?
- D. How supportive is the community towards patients who get diagnosed with TB?
- E. Do you support patients to complete their TB treatment? If yes, what are the common enablers for TB treatment completion that you have come across in your work? What are the common barriers?
- F. Have you been involved in educating communities about TB control and prevention? If so, how does your community receive this message? How can we make TB preventive therapy more acceptable to the community?
- G. Have you been involved in giving TB preventive therapy? If yes, are there any barriers to uptake of TB preventive therapy among your patients? What are the treatment completion rates for TB preventive therapy? What are the main barriers to completion of TB preventive therapy.
- H. Are there barriers to provision of TB care services to this community? If yes, what are they?

