

# Germany

## Tuberculosis case notifications, 2006

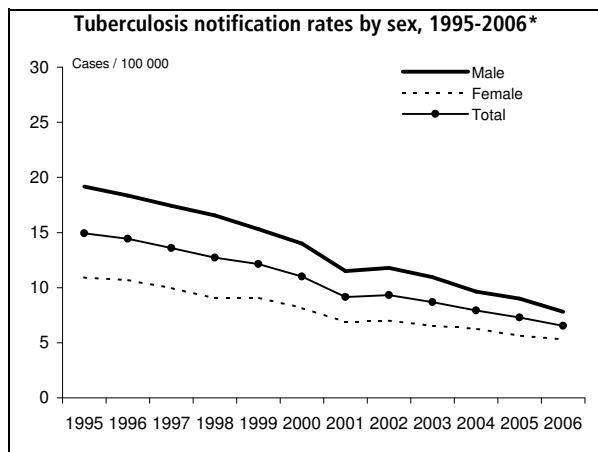
Total number of cases	5 402
Notification rate per 100 000	6.5
Sex ratio (M:F)	1.4
Median age-group, nationals	55-64 years
Median age-group, non-nationals	35-44 years
Foreign born	2 237 (41.4%)
New (never-treated)	4 218 (78.1%)
Culture positive	3 705 (68.6%)
Pulmonary	4 189 (77.5%)
of which sputum smear positive	1 396 (33.3%)
HIV positive TB cases	-
TB deaths per 100 000 (2004)	0.42

## Drug Resistance Surveillance, 2006

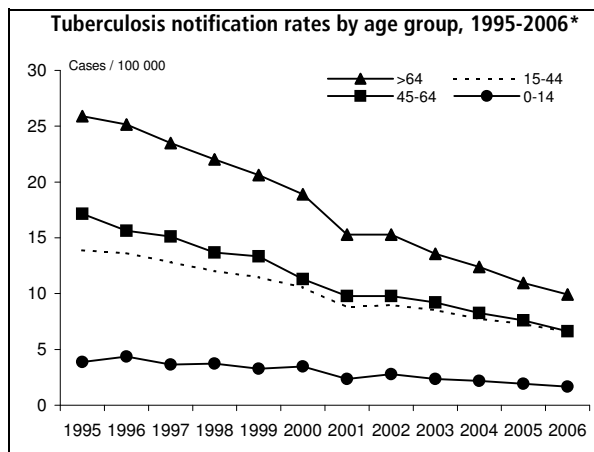
Geographic coverage	National
International proficiency testing	Yes
Case-linked data reporting	Yes
Cases with DST results	3 501
Cases resistant to isoniazid	284 (8.1%)
Cases resistant to rifampicin	83 (2.4%)
MDR cases	78 (2.2%)
Cases resistant to ethambutol	80 (2.3%)
Cases resistant to streptomycin	261 (7.5%)

## Treatment Outcome Monitoring, 2005

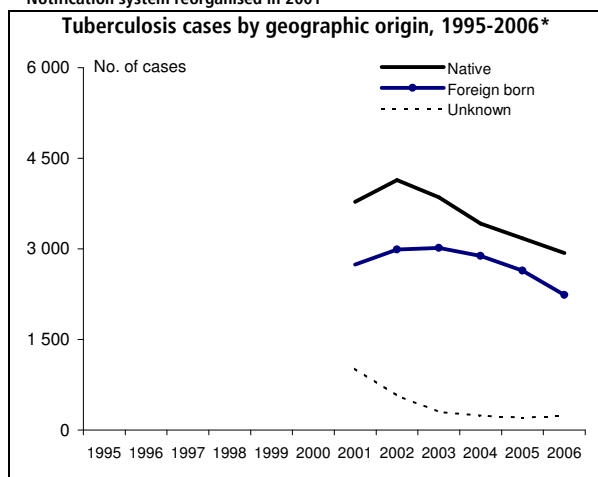
Geographic coverage	National
Outcome cohort	All pulmonary culture positive
Case-linked data reporting	Yes
Included in TOM cohort	3 295
Success	2 252 (68%)
Died	395 (12%)
Failed	4 (0%)
Still on treatment	198 (6%)
Lost to follow up	446 (14%)



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