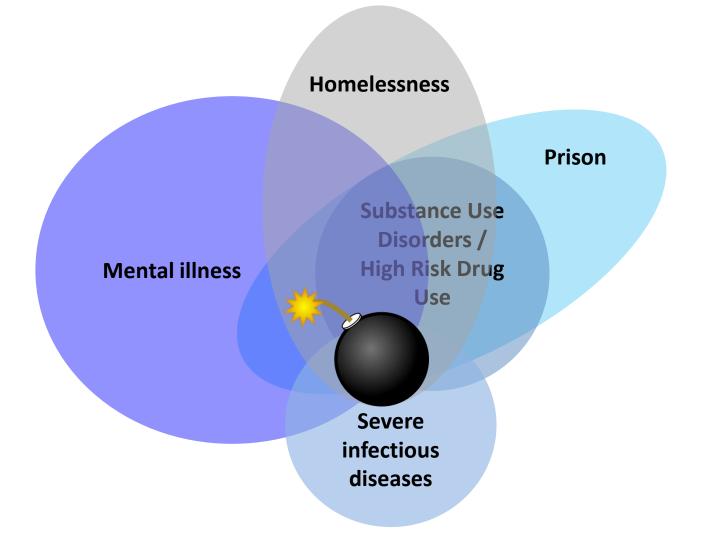




Challenge 1: Incidence

- Physiological effects, environment and risk behaviors
- TB and substance use share common risk factors
 - Immune suppression
 - Malnutrition
 - Smoking
 - Alcohol
 - Prison
 - Homelessness
 - HIV



Challenge 2: Prevalence

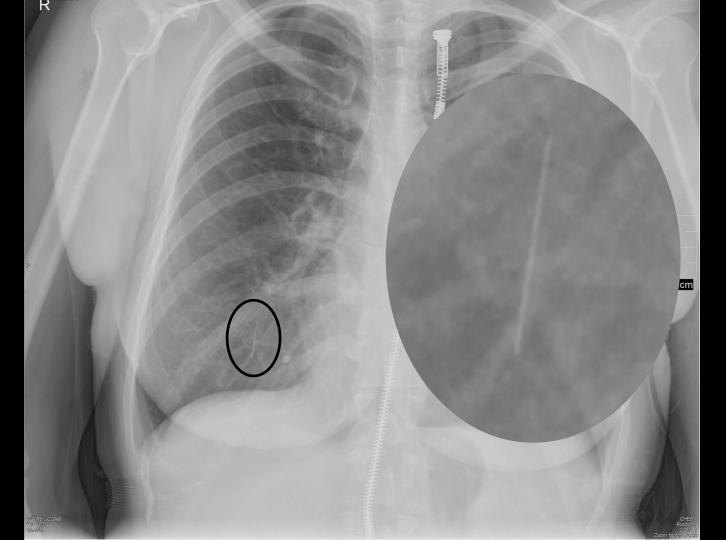
- Symptoms masked / suppressed
- Prolonged infectivity
- Delayed Dx / Health service access / stigma
- Social mixing

• R₀ = outbreaks

Rodrigo T, Caylà JA, García de Olalla P, Galdós-Tangüis H, Jansà JM, Miranda P, Brugal T. Characteristics of tuberculosis patients who generate secondary cases. Int J Tuberc Lung Dis. 1997 Aug; 1(4):352-7.

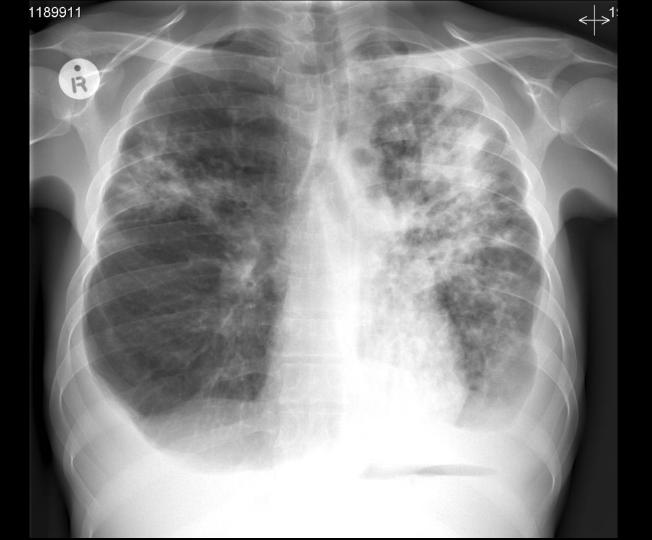




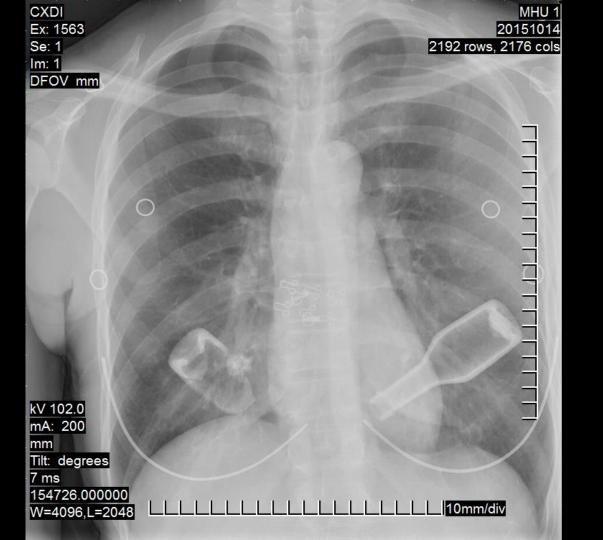




















Thanks to the custody staff at the Metropolitan Police Saville Row Police station in London for providing access to crack smoking paraphernalia







30-year-old male 'crack-cocaine' user presented to A&E with heamoptysis.

Given oral antibiotics for presumed bronchitis and discharged home.

2 weeks later presented with heamoptysis.

CXR and CT revealed a cylindrical density in the lumen of the left mainstem bronchus.

4cm X 1cm glass tube with jagged edges removed by bronchoscopy.

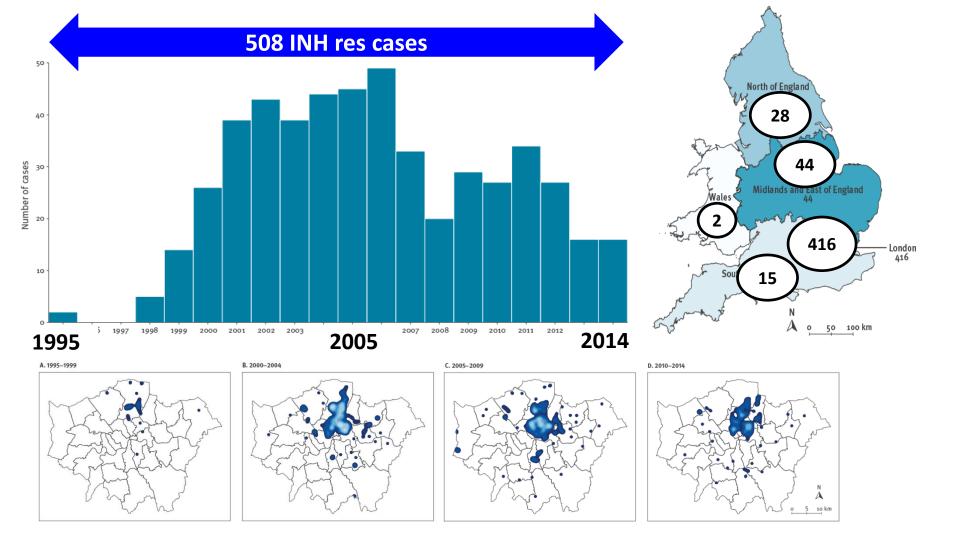
No recollection of aspiration!

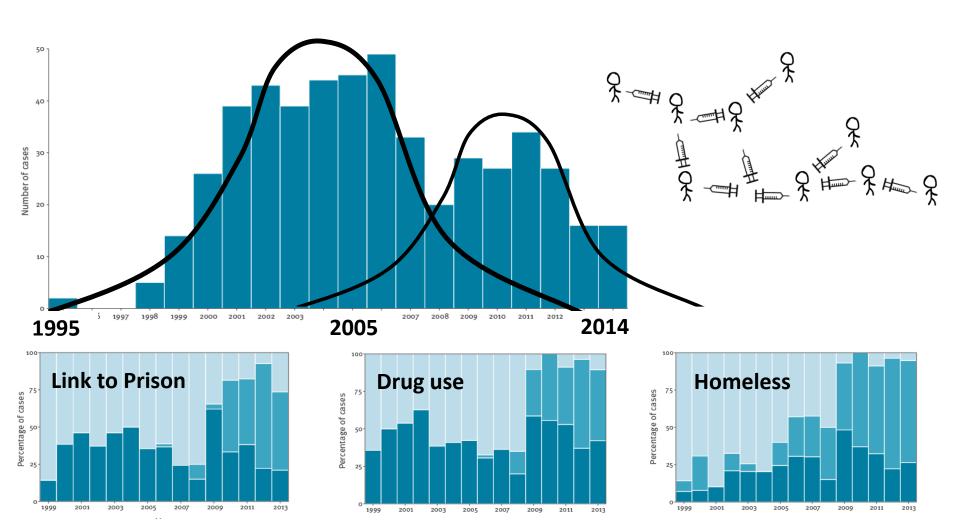
Kovitz KL, Mayse ML, Araujo CE, David O. Self-stenting with a crack pipe: the ultimate in 'managed care'. Respiration. 2004 Jan-Feb;71(1):91.

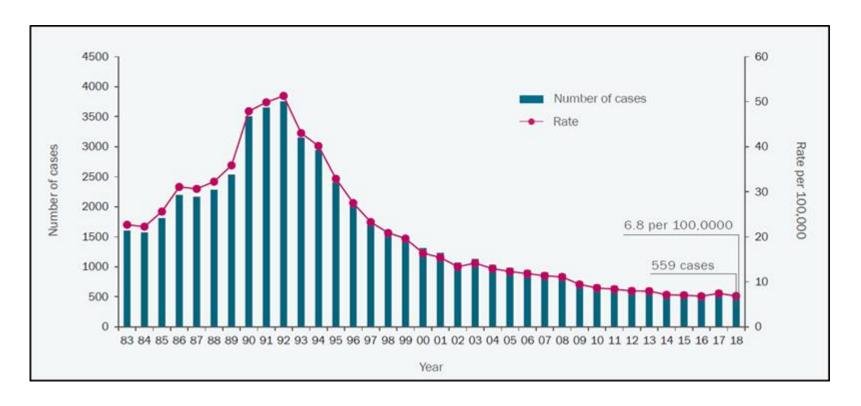
TB and Crack

- 2.4 times more likely to be infectious at diagnosed
- Increased risk not due to diagnostic delays
 - Crack users had the shortest diagnostic delays, potentially attributable to rapidly progressive, debilitating disease
 - Crack users were also more likely to seek treatment at an emergency department rather than primary care services

Story A, Bothamley G, Hayward A. Crack cocaine and infectious tuberculosis. Emerg Infect Dis. 2008 Sep;14(9):1466-9.







Crack more than tripled the number of cocaine users in the city between 1986-1988. According to New York State statistics, there were 182,000 regular cocaine users in New York City in 1986. That number grew to an estimated total of 600,000 predominantly crack users by 1988 NYT Feb 20th 1989

Challenge 3: Taking drugs

- Adherence
- Resistance
- Opiates and opioid dependency

methadone is metabolised by CYP 2B6

rifampicin is a potent CYP 2B6 inducer

Sharma SK, Mohan A. Multidrug-resistant tuberculosis: a menace that threatens to destabilize tuberculosis control. Chest. 2006 Jul; 130(1):261-72.



Drug and Alcohol Dependence

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The optimization of methadone dosing whilst treating with rifampicin: A pharmacokinetic modeling study

Raj K.S. Badhan a A M, Rosalind Gittins b, Dina Al Zabit a

OST

- Escalation to 150-160mg required BD?!
- De-escalation
- Interactions common with other CYP 2B6 inducers
 - Efavirenz
 - Nevirapine
 - Ritonavir
- Buprenorphine levels affected by inducers e.g. rifampicin via CYP 3A4

Challenge 4: Cure?

- Chronic lung disease
- Relapse
- Recovery

Solutions

- Awareness
- LTBI 1HP
- ACF
- Integrated care OST / DOT
- Residential model Olallo House

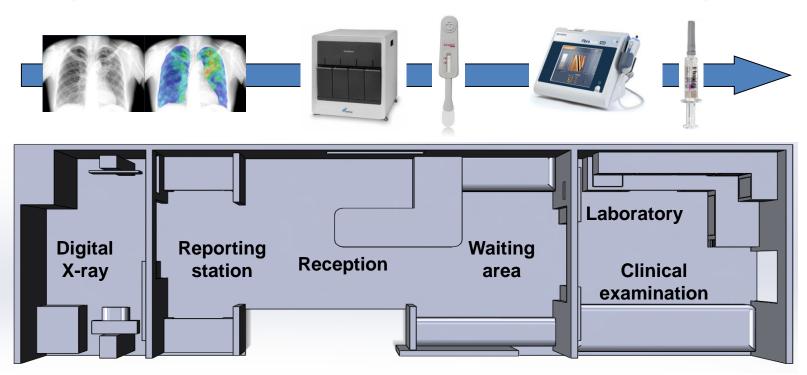
High prevalence of latent tuberculosis and bloodborne virus infection in a homeless population

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Euston flood: Homeless hostel and mosque swamped in water





