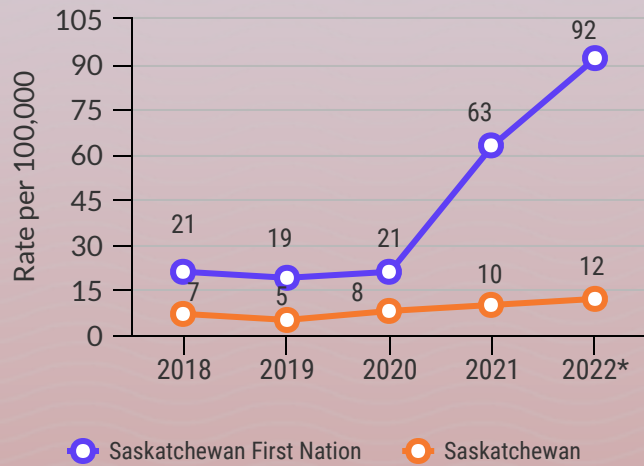




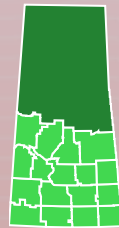
Tuberculosis (TB) is on the rise in Saskatchewan, including in First Nation communities

74 active cases reported in Saskatchewan First Nation communities in 2022* * Preliminary 2022 data, subject to change

TB rates by year, 2018-2022*



TB rates among First Nations were about **8 times higher** than provincial rates in 2022*



Did you know....

45% of active TB cases reported in 2022* were under the age of **15 years**



Compared to 2021, there has been a

74%

increase in pediatric cases in 2022*



What is TB?



TB is a bacteria that is spread through the air from one person to another

Symptoms of TB include:

- > Fever
- > Chills
- > Weakness
- > Weight loss
- > Chest Pains
- > Night sweats
- > Coughing lasting longer than 3 weeks

TB is PREVENTABLE and CURABLE with :

Early Detection



Medical supervision



Antibiotics



Support



If left untreated, TB may result in SEVERE ILLNESS or DEATH.

Yes! We Can End TB