



**CREATE**  
*Consortium to Respond Effectively to the AIDS*  *TB Epidemic*

**Turning Evidence into Action**

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# **CREATE is dedicated to finding the most effective ways to diagnose, treat, and prevent TB.**

## **Our global work is essential to:**

- Break the deadly synergy of HIV/TB co-infection
- Prevent MDR and XDR-TB
- Identify cost-effective strategies for the developing world

## **FIND TB**

### **Screen your patients for TB symptoms: cough, fever, weight loss.**

- 1 in 20 HIV+ people have active TB
- TB is the #1 killer of people living with HIV
- Rapid diagnosis of TB in people living with HIV saves lives

## **TREAT TB**

### **Make TB treatment available to your patients.**

- TB drugs can be taken safely with antiretrovirals
- Correct treatment prevents drug resistance (MDR & XDR TB)

## **PREVENT TB**

### **Use Isoniazid Preventive Therapy (IPT) in patients with latent TB.**

- IPT is highly effective in preventing active TB disease
- IPT is a very low-cost treatment
- IPT reduces mortality in HIV+ children by 50%
- IPT is recommended by WHO

### **Contact us to learn more.**

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