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DTBE's TB emergency drug stockpile - Isoniazid

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To: CDC NCHHSTP DTE TB Project Directors <DDIDNCHHSTPTBProjectDirectors@cdc.gov>

Dear TB and Laboratory Cooperative Agreement Recipients,

DTBE's TB emergency drug stockpile is operational and accepting requests.

In addition to following the below instructions, please also email your request letter to Neela Goswami at nef7@cdc.gov.

<u>DRUG</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>EXPIRATION</u>	<u>CURRENT INVENTORY</u>
Isoniazid	300mg, 30s	5/31/2026	1,578 bottles

Prioritization:

To try to ensure equitable distribution among all recipients, DTBE will approve requests based on the following criteria:

Isoniazid (INH)

- Directly funded recipients with <150 cases: 50 bottles of INH for 1st request
- Directly funded recipients with ≥150 cases: 100 bottles of INH for 1st request
- All directly funded recipients with additional requests: 50 bottles of INH (additional requests can be submitted every 90 days from submission date of previous request)

How to submit your request:

If you are interested, please:

- Submit a stockpile request that addresses the items below.**
- The stockpile request should be uploaded into GrantSolutions as a grant message.**
- Stockpile request letters should be addressed to their DTBE Project Officer and signed by the PI/PD.
- Email your request letter to your DTBE Project Officer and Neela Goswami at nef7@cdc.gov

Stockpile requests must address:

1. **TB disease burden** – Number of TB cases as reported through the National TB Surveillance System [2023 report date].

· Jurisdictions requesting TB drugs must also provide assurance that drugs will be used in treating TB patients and that it has sufficient patient volume for the drugs to be used by their expiration date.

2. **Program performance** – Please provide Completion of Treatment [COT] percentage as reported through the latest frozen data in National TB Indicators Project [2021 COT data].

· Programs with at least 85% completion of therapy for patients with newly diagnosed TB disease for whom 12 months or less of treatment is indicated will be given priority for expiring TB drugs.

· After meeting the prioritization requirements, requests will be processed on a first come, first served basis.

3. **Contact information** – To ensure secure receipt and storage of TB drugs, please provide point of contact information [Name, Telephone number, E-mail] and shipping address.

4. **Quantity requested** – Provide number of bottles requested.

5. **Contact** – Please contact your DTBE Project Officer and Neela Goswami if you have questions.

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