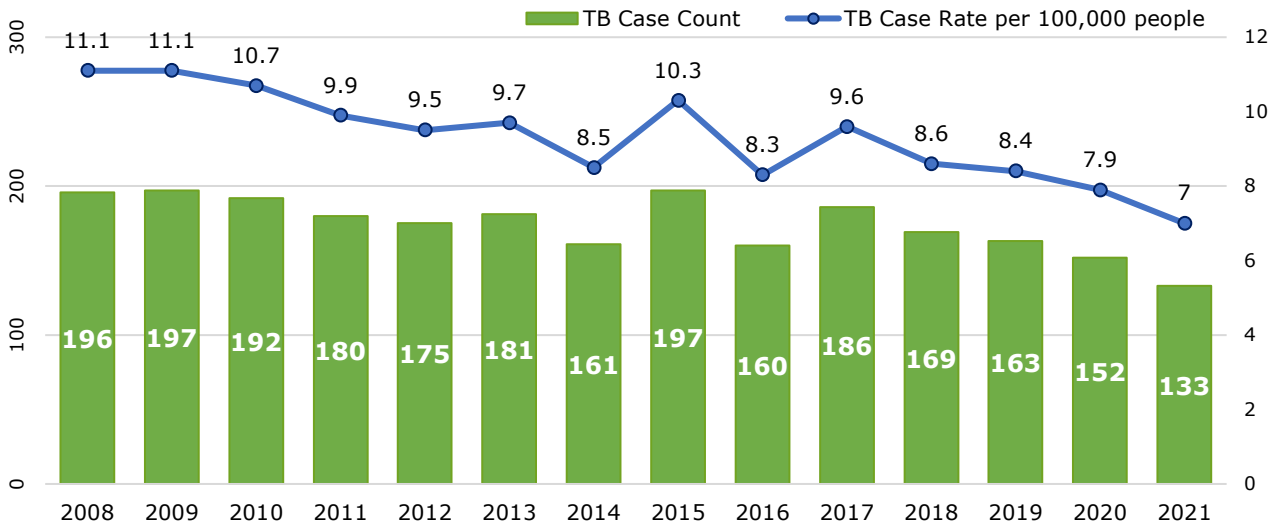
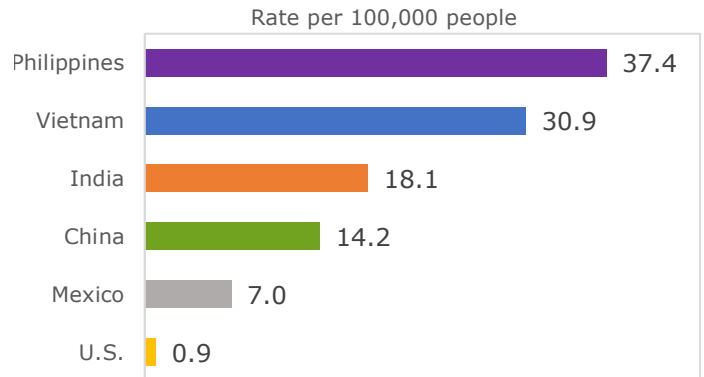
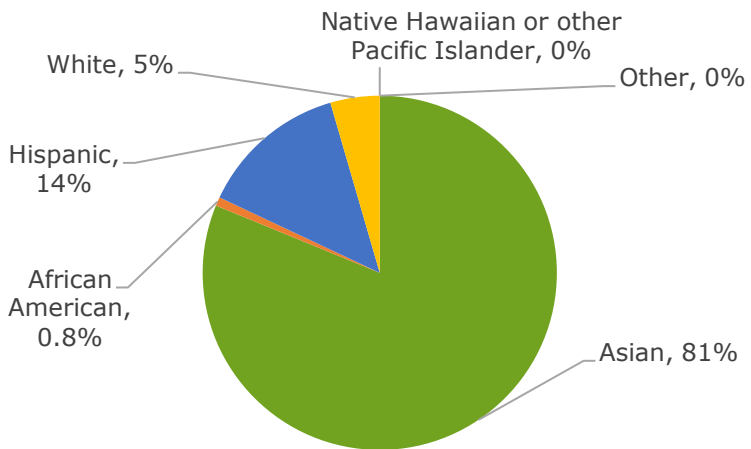


# TUBERCULOSIS

2021 data for Santa Clara County

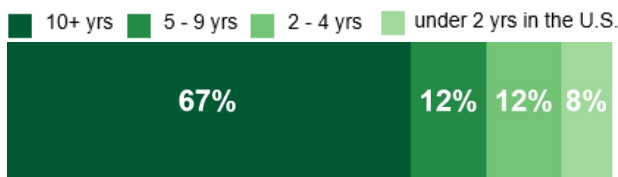


**13% decrease**  
in tuberculosis (TB) cases from 2020 to 2021

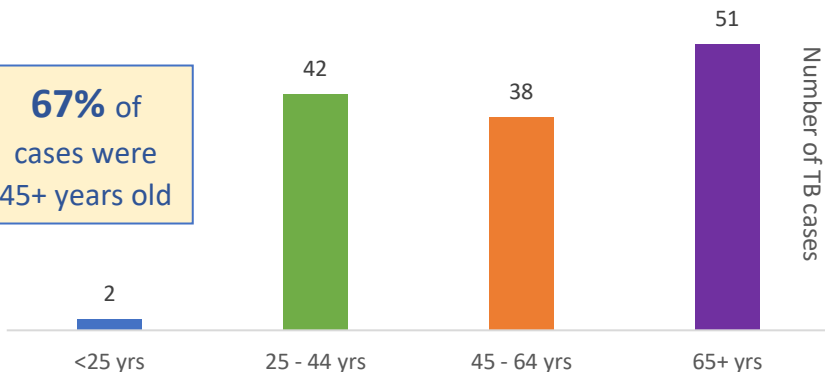


Case rate is highest in those born in the Philippines

**79%** of cases born outside the U.S. have lived here for **5+ years**



**67%** of cases were 45+ years old



## CHARACTERISTICS (N = 133)

- 94%** of newly diagnosed TB cases were screened for HIV
- 47%** had 1+ comorbidities (increased from 43% in 2018)
- 28%** had diabetes mellitus, the most common comorbidity (increased from 20% in 2018)
- 15%** displayed resistance to any of the four first-line drugs

Source: Santa Clara County Public Health Department, California Reportable Diseases Information Exchange (CalREDIE) system, data as of Feb 9, 2022 and are provisional.