

Tuberculosis – re-established problem of European population

Abstract

The main objective of this study is to collect data and to provide information about current tuberculosis burden on European population and to capture the most important trends in development of spreading the infection in the European region in the period 1995–2010. A typology of the countries of the European region is performed on the base of main features of tuberculosis morbidity and mortality in the period 2008–2010. Detailed analysis of level of tuberculosis morbidity and mortality for each region was based on available data. The study also presents the plans of major world and European organizations to eliminate spread of tuberculosis.