

Table 24. Tuberculosis Cases and Clusters by Cluster Size¹: United States, 2012–2014

Cluster Size	Clusters		Cases ²	
	No.	(%) ³	No.	(%) ⁴
Total	1,494	(100.0)	4,544	(100.0)
2 case cluster	968	64.8	1936	42.6
3 case cluster	262	17.5	786	17.3
4 case cluster	113	7.6	452	9.9
5 case cluster	55	3.7	275	6.1
6 case cluster	24	1.6	144	3.2
7 case cluster	16	1.1	112	2.5
8 case cluster	11	0.7	88	1.9
9 case cluster	10	0.7	90	2.0
≥10 case cluster	35	2.3	661	14.5

¹ Clusters have two or more cases with matching spoligotype and 24-locus mycobacterial interspersed repetitive unit-variable number tandem repeat type (GENType) within a county during the specified 3-year time period.

² Cases with matching spoligotype and 24-locus mycobacterial interspersed repetitive unit-variable number tandem repeat type (GENType) are members of a cluster within a county during the specified 3-year time period.

³ Denominator is total number of clusters

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See Surveillance Slide #35.