

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC HEALTH & SANITATION



Division of Leprosy, Tuberculosis and Lung Disease (DLTLD)

Drug Resistant TB Treatment Regimen

| Pattern of drug resistance | Regimen | Duration of treatment |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| H (± S) | R/Z/E/LFX | 9 months |
| H, E, Z (± S) | 3Km/Lfx/R/Z 15 Lfx/R/Z | 18 months |
| H and Z | 3Km/Lfx/R/Z 15 Lfx/R/Z | 18 months |
| H and E | 3Km/Lfx/R/Z 15 Lfx/R/Z | 18 months |
| R | 8 Km/Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z 12 Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z | 20 months |
| R and INH (MDR TB) | 8 Km/Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z 12 Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z | 20 months |
| R and E (± S) | 8 Km/Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z 12 Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z | 20months |
| R and Z (± S) | 8 Km/Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z 12 Pto/Lfx/Cs/Z | 20 months |

- > Give Quinolones as a single dose once a day.
- ➤ Give Prothionamide, Cycloserine and PAS, in divided doses

Dose of Cycloserine & Pyridoxine

| Cycloserine dose | Recommended Pyridoxine |
|------------------|------------------------|
| 250 mg daily | 50mg daily |
| 500 mg daily | 100 mg daily |
| 750 mg daily | 150 mg daily |
| 1000 mg daily | 200 mg daily |

- ➤ Use PAS to replace Cycloserine or Prothionamide where patient cannot tolerate them
- ➤ Use Capreomycin: 1. In pregnancy
 - 2. To replace Kanamycin in case of ototoxicity

