

TUBERCULOSIS MORBIDITY IN FEMALES OF REPRODUCTIVE AGE IN UKRAINE

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Summary

Conducted study on tuberculosis morbidity in Ukraine oblast for 2000–2005 years demonstrated that tuberculosis morbidity had been increasing each year (+8 % a year). Especially the critical situation appeared in Kherson (+89,7 %), Kirovograd (+72,8 %), Ternopil (+54,6 %) oblast, Crimean autonomic republic (+54 %), Mykolayiv (+53 %), Donetsk (+51,6 %) oblast, where morbidity during the last years raised for more than 50 %. Among the diseased the reproductive age females (15–49 years old) dominated (66,9 %). Among them there were 52 % of females of 20–34 years of age. Impressive rates of tuberculosis epidemic among females of reproductive age for the last 5 years were registered in Crimean autonomic republic (+65,1 %), Kherson (+60 %), Zhytomyr (+59,5 %), Kharkiv (+58,1 %) and Kirovograd (+54,1 %) oblast. Unstable epidemic situation is in 21 out of 27 oblast of Ukraine.