

SOCIOMETRICS PROJECT No. 116

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR LOW TUBERCULOSIS MORBIDITY JURISDICTIONS PROJECT

The California Department of Health Services, Tuberculosis (TB) Control Branch has identified Low Morbidity Jurisdictions as a priority area for strategic planning, policy, and program development. California has designated 42+ jurisdictions as Low Morbidity Jurisdictions (LMJs). The objectives of this project, which was funded by the American Lung Association of California, were to: 1) characterize and describe the current situation regarding TB control efforts in a representative sample of the LMJs; 2) identify innovative strategies for service provision that might provide models for TB control programs in LMJs; and, 3) develop a five-year strategic plan that would guide the TB Control Branch in seeking expanded resources, allocating funds, and providing technical assistance in TB control for LMJs.

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