

# **You are a staff member within the CDC Emergency Operation Center and this morning you have received an email from the Global Disease Detection (GDD) group:**

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\*\*\*\*\*FICTIONAL OUTBREAK FOR TRAINING PURPOSES ONLY\*\*\*\*\*

*At A Glance: INTERNATIONAL IMPORTANCE*

- *Tuberculosis in Thailand*

**Public Health Event:** OF INTERNATIONAL IMPORTANCE **Agent/Disease:** Multi-Drug Resistant Tuberculosis **Country:** Thailand **Location:** **Event ID:** 9999-Z99-2017 **First Rptd to GDDOC:** 8/21/2017 **Source:** CDC Programs: CDC Thailand, CGH/DGHT/GTB; Ministry of Health; **GeoScope:** Medium **Risk:** Medium

**Event Description:** The Global Disease Detection Operations Center (GDDOC) is closely monitoring the outbreak of tuberculosis in Thailand.

The outbreak is currently located within a refugee camp along the Thailand – Myanmar border. Refugees have presented with cough and provided sputum and culture samples for genotyping as well as GPS coordinates the patient's informal settlement locations within the refugee camp. Surveillance activities have intensified as additional cases have been identified.

In 2005 Thailand also experienced a large outbreak of TB and MDR-TB during which the country reported a total of X cases and X deaths.

GDDOC is in touch with CDC SME's and will report updates as they become available.