



Connecting the Dots:

2026 Biennial TB & Newcomer Health Nurse Meeting
Harrisonburg, VA

Wednesday, September 9, 2026

Time	Topic	Speaker
Noon – 1PM	Registration	
1:00 PM	Welcome	Joanna Cirillo
1:10 PM	Introductions & Icebreaker	TB and NCH Teams
2:30 PM	TB Program Update	Lauren Swensson
3:00 PM	Newcomer Health Program Update	Jill Grumbine
3:30 PM	<i>Break</i>	
3:40 PM	TB Epidemiology and Surveillance Updates	Laura Young
4:25 PM	TB Clinical Presentation	Dr. Saritha Gomadam
5:00 PM	Wrap Up and Release	Jill Grumbine & Lauren Swensson

Thursday, September 10, 2026

Time	Topic	Speaker
7:00 AM	<i>Breakfast (Provided by VDH TB and Newcomer Health Programs)</i>	
8:15 AM	Welcome	Jill Grumbine
8:30 AM	Medical Reserve Corps & Newcomer Health Program Partnerships	Alyce Finch
9:15 AM	National TB Program Objectives and Virginia's Progress and Activities	Laura Young
9:45 AM	<i>Break</i>	
10:00 AM	Introduction to VDH Pharmacy Services	Dr. Stephanie Wheawill
10:50 AM	The Refugee Journey	Emily Henrickson, VDSS
Noon – 1 PM	<i>Lunch (Provided by VDH TB and Newcomer Health Programs)</i>	
1:00 PM	Cultural Humility	Ana Cruz, Church World Services
2:30 PM	<i>Group Photo</i>	

2:45 PM	Serving New South African Arrivals: Understanding Needs and Building Support	Caitlin Reinhard, International Rescue Committee
3:30 PM	<i>Break</i>	
3:45 PM	AHIP Updates and Scenarios	Amy Beahm
4:30 PM	Awards	Jill Grumbine and Lauren Swensson
4:45 PM	Wrap Up and Release	Lauren Swensson

Friday, September 11, 2026

Time	Topic	Speaker
7:00 AM	<i>Breakfast (Provided by VDH TB and Newcomer Health Programs)</i>	
8:15 AM	Welcome	Jill Grumbine
8:20 AM	TB in Corrections – TB Program Overview	Amy Beahm
9:00 AM	TB in Corrections – The Federal Perspective	Capt. Tara Rhodes, Federal Bureau of Prisons
10:00 AM	<i>Break & Complete Hotel Check-Out</i>	
10:30 AM	VDSS Benefits Update	Emily Henrickson, VDSS
11:00 AM	TB Survivor Perspective	Darlene Temple
11:30 AM	Wrap Up Activity	TB and NCH Team
12:15 PM	Wrap Up, Evaluations & Release	Jill Grumbine and Lauren Swensson

Don't Forget to Complete Your Evaluations!

