

**ICMR-AU Course (No.1/NIRT/2022) on ‘Manage TB’- An Online course for Doctors’
Conducted by- ICMR- National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis, Chennai (25 April to 30
June 2022)**

Under the ICMR/AU - STRC Health Practitioners/Researchers Capacity Building Scheme, a Call for Applications was announced in 2020 for training of African researchers through courses to be conducted by the ICMR Institutes in India in the year 2022.

The virtual course, **‘Manage TB’ - An Online Course for Doctors’** was conducted by the ICMR- National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis, Chennai, from 25 April to 30 June 2022. It was attended by four African researchers from Nigeria, Zambia, and Cameroon.

Manage TB is an online course of 8 weeks duration designed to provide basic information about TB and its management. The course provides an overview of the extent of the TB burden globally and nationally, its pathogenesis, diagnostic modalities, treatment regimens, prevention strategies and efforts towards TB elimination. The course will provide guidance to physicians in their day-to-day practice in diagnosing and treating TB patients according to recommended standards.