

Tuberculosis Prevention Project

University Research Co., LLC (URC) has been implementing USAID supported four year Georgia Tuberculosis Prevention project (TPP) since September 2011. The project is designed to contribute to achieving the overall USAID/Georgia and Government of Georgia (GoG) objective to reduce the number of all TB cases in the country thereby achieving its Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). The TPP will work on improving clinical services, strengthening National TB Program's capacity to address some of the critical challenges in the treatment of all forms of TB, including MDR-TB, infection control, reducing patient default rates, serving hard-to-reach populations and ensuring an appropriate national TB policy and program response in the evolving Georgian health care system. The main milestones of the first year capture development of TB management guideline and quality standards, trained 420 PHC physicians and nurses, established quality improvement collaboratives, conducted KAP survey, elaborated ACSM strategy and initiated small grants program. The program will enhance its activities in the coming year.

See more: <http://www.tpp.ge>