You have TB infection (a type of TB)

This means you have TB germs in your body, but you don't feel sick. You can't give TB infection to your family or other people.

It is important to take medicine for TB infection now.

By taking your TB medicine, you can prevent TB disease and keep your family healthy!
Poukisa pou w pran medikaman kont Tibèkiloz kounyeya?
Why take TB medicine now?

Paske enfeksyon Tibèkiloz ka vin tounen maladi Tibèkiloz.
TB infection can turn into TB disease.

Maladi Tibèkiloz ka domaje nenpòt pati nan kò a, men an jeneral se poumon yo li afekte. Lè moun gen maladi Tibèkiloz, an jeneral yo santi yo malad.
TB disease can hurt any part of the body, but it usually hurts the lungs. When people have TB disease, they usually feel sick.

Si w vin tonbe malad ak Tibèkiloz, ou ka gen:
If you become sick with TB disease, you might:

- **Lafyèv**  
  Have fever

- **Pèdi pwa**  
  Lose weight

- **Touse**  
  Cough

- **Santi w fatige**  
  Feel tired

- **Transpire lannuit**  
  Sweat at night

Si w tonbe malad ak Tibèkiloz, ou ka transmèt Tibèkiloz la bay fanmi w ak lòt moun tou.
If you become sick with TB disease, you can also give TB to your family or other people.

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