

Infectious Diseases Research Institute



**Speaker Profile** 

Speaker	Dr. Cynthia Chee Bin Eng
Designation	Visiting Consultant, TBCU
Title	TB – A Forgotten Plague
Abstract	TB has afflicted man for centuries. Although currently eclipsed by COVID-19, it remains a public health threat globally and locally. The talk will share some insights from molecular genotyping of MTC isolates in Singapore, and discuss challenges in TB control.
Biography	Dr Chee is an adult respiratory physician. She worked in TB control for more than 20 years and was involved in the setting up and implementation of the Ministry of Health Singapore TB Elimination Programme (STEP) from 1996 to 2019. She served as Director, Singapore TB Control Unit and the STEP from January 2018 to August 2019.
Research interests	Clinical and public health aspects of TB

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