


CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

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## 2019 Chicago Tuberculosis Conference

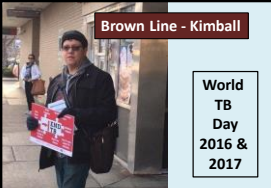
In Commemoration of World TB Day  
March 19, 2019

Conference planning by the Chicago Department of Public Health Tuberculosis Program  
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## World TB Day – March 24

- Commemorates the day in 1882 on which German physician **Dr. Robert Koch** (1843-1910) first reported *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* to be the causative agent of tuberculosis
- A day to educate about and raise awareness of the global epidemic of TB

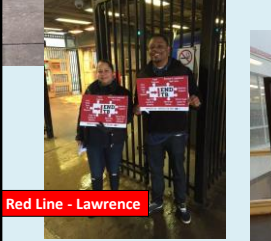





Brown Line - Kimball



Red Line - Cermak

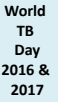


Red Line - Lawrence



Red Line - 95th

World TB Day 2016 & 2017



## World TB Day 2019

- Theme: **It's Time → End TB**
- It's time to
  - Educate providers—public health can't do it alone
  - Test for and treat latent TB infection
  - Speak up/advocate
  - End stigma

