Follow-up

194 student nurses included and tested with QFT;

4 individuals tested QFT-positive; of those
1 woman from Ethiopia, 1 contact person of infectious TB patient, 2 with unknown risk

40 students dropped out of the nursing profession within a year; of those 2 were QFT-positive

154 students (152 QFT-negatives, 2 QFT-positive) retested after 1 year

151 students remained negative; 1 QFT-positive reverted to negative, 1 QFT-negative converted to positive, 1 remained positive.

Specificity analysis

14 Students excluded:
13 students from intermediate/high-burden countries (1 QFT positive/12 negative) and one contact person (QFT positive) not fulfilling inclusion criteria for specificity

180 student nurses with very low TB risk (178 QFT-negatives and 2 QFT-positives) comprised specificity group