PATIENTS SCREENED (n = 1454) BETWEEN APRIL 2004 and JANUARY 2007

SELECTED (n=724)

NEW CASES PREVIOUSLY UNTREATED (n=493)

• SPUTUM PROCESSING
• DRUG SUSCEPTIBILITY TESTING

FIRST LINE TREATMENT-FAILURES (n=231)

REJECTED (n=730)

NEW CASES (643)
1. PRIOR ANTITUBERCULAR THERAPY (24%)
2. MORE THAN 5 DOSES OF ANTI TUBERCULAR THERAPY BEFORE SAMPLING (41%)
3. RESIDENCY (9)
4. REFUSED (22%)
5. OTHERS (4%)

FIRST LINE TREATMENT-FAILURES (87)
1. PRIOR ANTITUBERCULAR THERAPY (26%)
2. INTERRUPTION IN TREATMENT FOR MORE THAN 2 WEEKS (47%)
3. RESIDENCY (6%)
4. REFUSED (7%)
5. OTHERS (14%)