

Table 1 Frequency of suspected tuberculosis cases by referral laboratory and sex

Laboratory	Females		Males		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Zarifee	828	9.2	1050	11.7	1878	20.9
Pasture	1901	2	2229	2	4130	45.9
Danesh	726	8.1	937	10.4	1663	18.5
Ghazisaeed	581	6	743	8	1324	14.7
Total	4036	4	4959	5	8995	100.0

Data on sex missing for 42 cases.