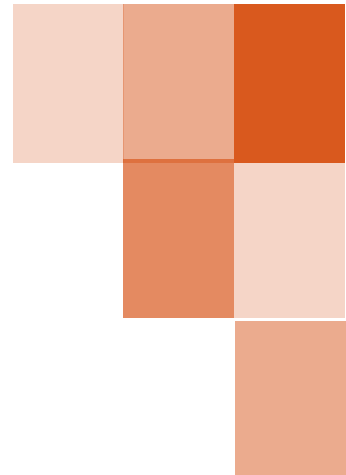


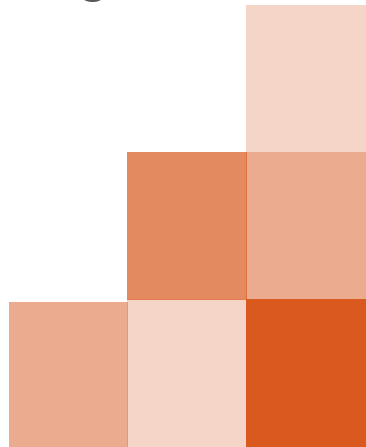
# INNOVATIONS AND CHANGES POST COVID SFDPH TB CLINIC



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# Innovations and Enhancements

- Established Telehealth
  - Provider Visits
    - Active TB
    - LTBI
    - Follow-Up
    - Initial Consults
  - Nursing Visits
  
- Maximize VDOT Contract
  
- Provided COVID testing in TB Clinic
  
- Increase in Field Nursing Visits
  
- Continuity of Operations (COOP) planning



# POST-COVID OPPORTUNITIES

- Recognition of the capacity TB trained staff (CI and IC)
- Lab Equipment Purchased for COVID testing can be used to run WGS
- Better understating of I and Q housing has led to dialogue about enhancing TB Housing in SF
- A lens into Health Inequities
  - Overlap between COVID/TB cases in high density areas



# QUESTIONS



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