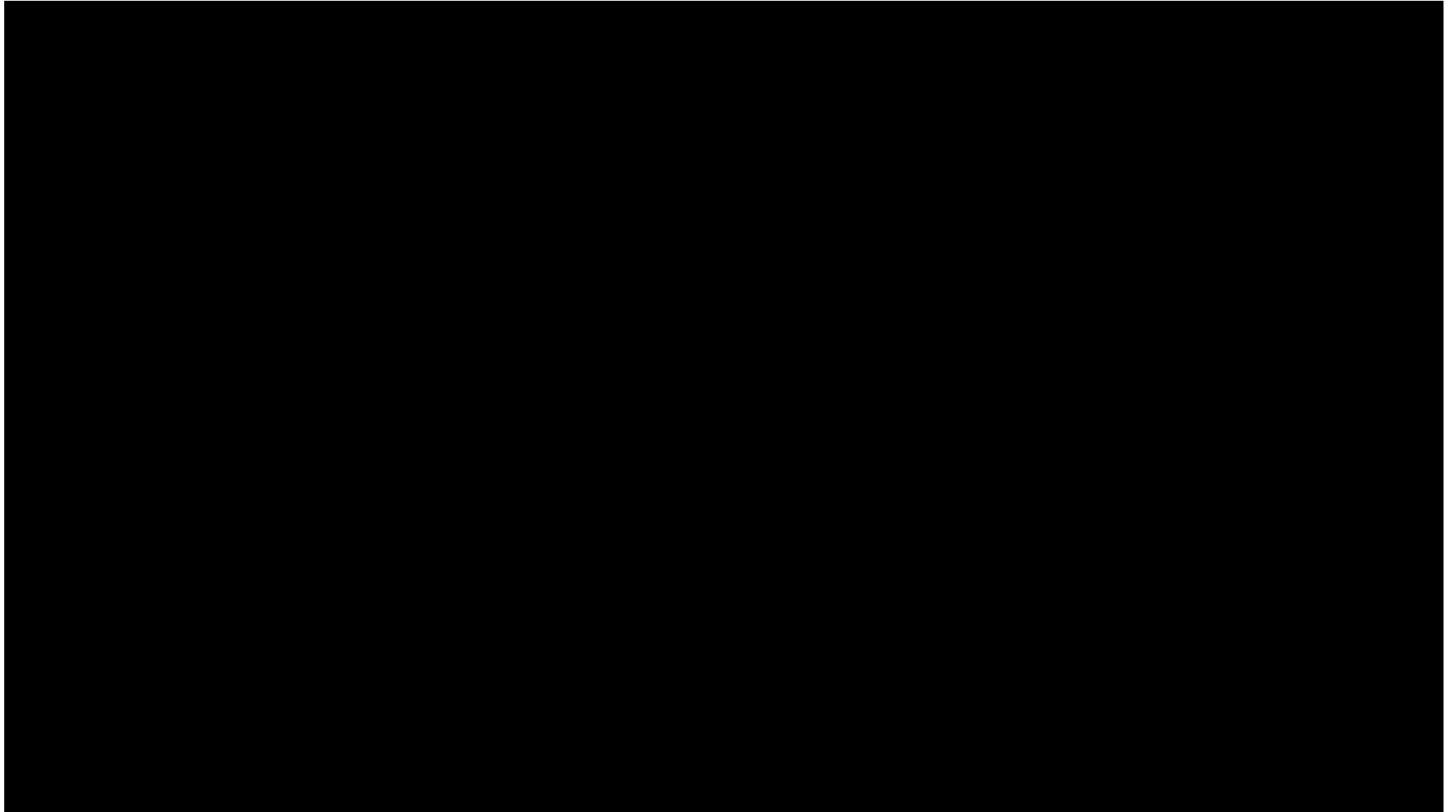


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HELPING BRIDGE THE GAP OF
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Figure 1. For Nurses By Nurses Productions, 2018

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Figure 2. Dr. Robert Robitzeck: Getty Images

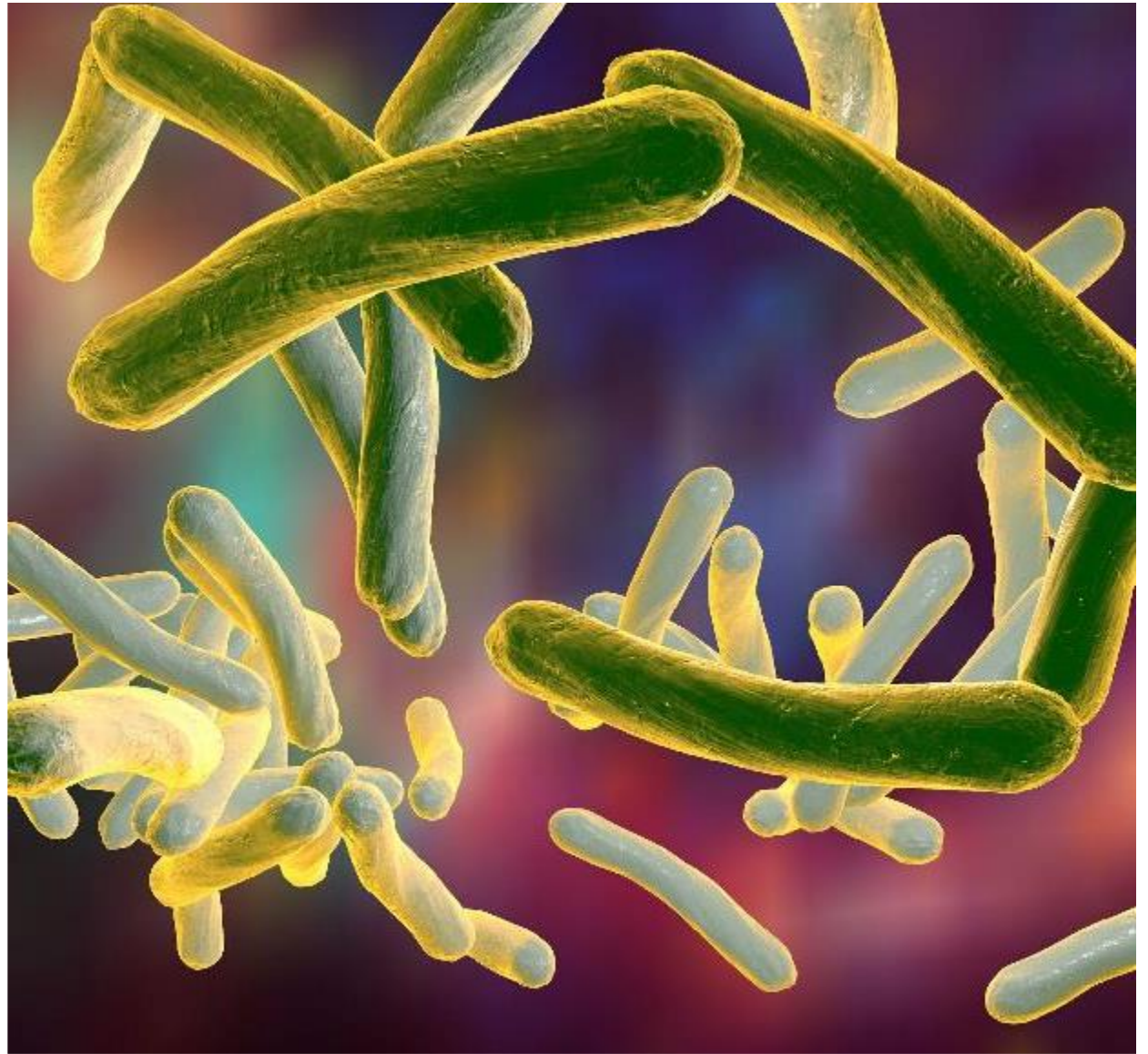
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Figure 3. New York Digital Library, 2018

FAST FACTS: Mycobacterium Tuberculi

- Primarily a pulmonary disease
- Spread by droplets in the air
- Multidrug-resistant Therapy
- Disease Containment



TUBERCULOSIS: FAST FACTS

- **Racial and ethnic minorities are disproportionately affected by TB disease.**
- **Medical comorbidities are more common among patients with TB from racial or ethnic minority groups.**
- **Globally, TB incidence is falling at about 2% per year.**
- **In 2017, a total of 9,105 TB cases were reported in the United States, and fall from previous years.**
- **In 2017 TB killed over 10 million people worldwide.**

Note: Adapted from the World Health Organization: Global Tuberculosis Report 2019.

UNITED NATIONS GENERALLY ASSEMBLY



Figure 8. United Nations Assembly, World Health Organization, Sept 2018

THE PLAQUE OF POVERTY & HEALTH DISPARITIES



Figure 10. Man With Tuberculosis, New York Digital Public Library, 2018

A HEALTH DISPARITY MOVEMENT

The National Institutes of Health defines health disparities as “differences that exist among specific population groups in the United States in the attainment of full health potential that can be measured by differences in incidence, prevalence, mortality, burden of disease, and other adverse health conditions.

THE ROLE OF NURSING RESEARCH

- **Commit to Research that Closes gaps on diagnosis, treatment and prevention.**
- **Commit to Funding for Diverse Research**
- **Commit to Research that is Equitable, Rights-based, &**
- **Commit to Build Inclusive Leadership that is Committed to target high risk populations.**
- **Commit to Research that Accelerates development of new tools to end disparities**

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