	Costs
Bronchoscopy costs (total)	6679
Technical Fee	4000
Professional Fee	2000
TB Universal PCR	211
Fungal Universal PCR	468
pmNGS tests	2200

Table 1. Estimated costs at baseline. Sources: Microbiology List Prices (Dr. Rama Yakubu) based on 2024 costs. Bronchoscopy technical and professional estimated costs kindly provided by Dr. Nirav Bhakta and based on 2022 prices. For bronchoscopy, only Fungal and TB Universal PCR costs are included; although multiple other uPCRs, PCRs, and cultures may be sent; so bronchoscopy-associated testing costs are likely an underestimate.

	pmNGS	
	test	Bronchoscopy
Cost per unit	2200	6679
Prevented per month (low est)	5	0.5
Prevented per month (high est)	6	2
Costs saved per month (low est)	11000	3339.5
Costs saved per month (high est)	13200	13358
Costs saved per year (low est)	132000	40074
Costs saved per year (high est)	158400	160296

Total costs saved per year (low	
est)	172074
Total costs saved per year (high	
est)	318696
Total costs saved (mid estimate)	245385

Table 2. Estimated cost savings per month. Abbreviation: est = estimate. Bronchoscopy costs are inclusive of technical, professional, and one universal PCR cost.