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|  |  | **TB-related cost burden (% of annual household income) \*** | | |
| **Country** |  | **Before cash transfers (95% CIs)** †‡ | **After TB-specific cash transfers (95% CIs)** †‡ | **After TB-sensitive cash transfers (95% CIs)** †‡ |
| **DS TB** |  |  |  |  |
| Brazil |  | 15 (12-18) | 0.0 (0.0-2.0) | 13 (10-15) |
| Ecuador |  | 27 (21-32) | 14 (8.6-20) | 24 (19-29) |
| Yemen |  | 41 (36-46) | 0.0 (0.0-3.3) | 28 (25-32) |
| Tanzania |  | 59 (46-73) | 51 (38-63) | 55 (43-67) |
| Ghana |  | 68 (55-80) | 42 (30-55) | 54 (44-64) |
| Colombia |  | 64 (53-75) | 26 (15-38) | 46 (38-55) |
| Mexico |  | 125 (105-145) | 106 (86-126) | 105 (88-121) |
| **DR TB** |  |  |  |  |
| Ecuador |  | 192 (86-299) | 179 (74-286) | 170 (77-265) |

\*Household income refers to average household income in the poorest population quintile. †For interpretability, negative estimates and confidence intervals were reported as 0. ‡To estimate 95% confidence intervals, all mean TB-related costs were assumed to have a standard deviation with a ratio of 1.1 to their value [1], all mean household incomes were assumed to have a standard deviation with a ratio of 0.8 to their value [2,3](36,39), and all mean cash transfers were assumed to have a standard deviation equal to a quarter of maximum minus minimum cash transfers. Probability distributions for all three input parameters were assumed to be normal. This was justified because our analysis was at the national level and we used mean values.

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