



IOM SOUTH SUDAN

WEEKLY EBOLA VIRUS DISEASE PREPAREDNESS UPDATE



INDIVIDUALS SCREENED THIS WEEK PER LOCATION & CUMULATIVE SCREENINGS PER LOCATION

Bazi	Birigo	Bori	Isebi	Kaya	Kerwa	Khorijo	Khor Kaya	Lasu	Okaba	Pure	Salia Musala	Tokori	Yei Airport	Yei SSRRC	Nimule	Nimule Airstrip	Wau	Juba	Nimule River Docking
1,299	1,076	878	0*	3,893	1,876	2,008	2,835	0*	1,081	3,766	3,852	0*	42	88	29,730	0	53	2,971	883
68,567	49,600	32,907	3,946	221,740	91,072	133,152	115,149	2,417	89,341	179,556	143,257	6,242	1,446	2,928	190,706	548	148	24,091	5,914

*No reports were received from Isebi, Lasu and Tokori this week as the security situation in these locations remains a challenge and activities are still suspended

ORIGIN OF ENTRANTS

COUNTRY AND LOCATIONS OF ORIGIN	NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS SURVEYED THIS WEEK	TRENDS COMPARED TO PREVIOUS WEEK
UGA Koboko	876	25.9% ↓
COD Ituri	737	21.8% ↓
UGA Yumbe	515	15.2% ↓
UGA Moyo	220	6.5% ↑
UGA Kampala	215	6.4% ↑
UGA Arua	179	5.3% ↑
COD Haut-Uele	156	4.6% ↑
UGA Other	132	3.9% ↑
UGA Lamwo	120	3.5% ↑
KEN Other	66	1.9% ↓
KEN Nairobi	59	1.7% ↓
UGA Adjumani	56	1.7% ↓
UGA Amuru	44	1.3% ↓
OTHER Other	10	0.3% ↓

*Numbers of surveyed migrants reduced this week, at least partially, due to the suspension of IOM operations in a number of flow monitoring points.

Operational factors, including delayed submission by some FMPs, may affect trends on a week-by-week basis. The trend arrows in the DTM figure refer to the share of respondents from each FMP (as opposed to the absolute numbers) Figures with; ↑ indicate upward trend, ↓ indicate downward trend, = indicate no change. For a more detailed breakdown, contact southsudanDTM@iom.int.

During this reporting week, a total of 3,385 entrants were surveyed. Of these, 64.3% were South Sudanese nationals; 29.43% were from Uganda; 2.5% from Kenya; 2% from Democratic Republic of Congo; and a further 1.8% were from other countries. Entrants' origin information is self-reported.

WEEKLY OVERVIEW

- Lasu and Tokori FMPs remain temporarily inactive due to security concerns. DTM continues to operate 22 additional EVD-dedicated FMPs on the borders with DRC, Uganda and CAR, of which six are operated in cooperation with DTM Uganda on the Ugandan side of the border.
- IOM continued to support IPC/WASH activities at the 15 PoEs (Yei Airstrip, SSRRC, Kaya, Salia Musalla, Morobo, Bazi, Kerwa, Pure, Khorijho, Khor kaya, Bori, Berigo, Nimule river docking, Nimule ground crossing, and Juba International Airport), as well as seven health facilities (Yei state hospital, Kaya PHCC, Rhodoba PHCU, Panyume PHCC, Kerwa PHCC, Khorijho PHCU and Morobo PHCC).
- IOM participated in a joint OCHA-led mission to Lasu on 3rd January and conducted a community Engagement meeting during this mission, reaching a total of 80 individuals (30 men and 50 women, inclusive of two persons with disability).
- IOM continued with EVD screening at the 17 PoEs it supports in Yei River, Jubek, Wau and Torit states. 17 PoEs were operational in this epidemiological week out of the 20 IOM supported PoEs. A total of 56,331 inbound travelers were screened through the 17 PoEs supported by IOM.

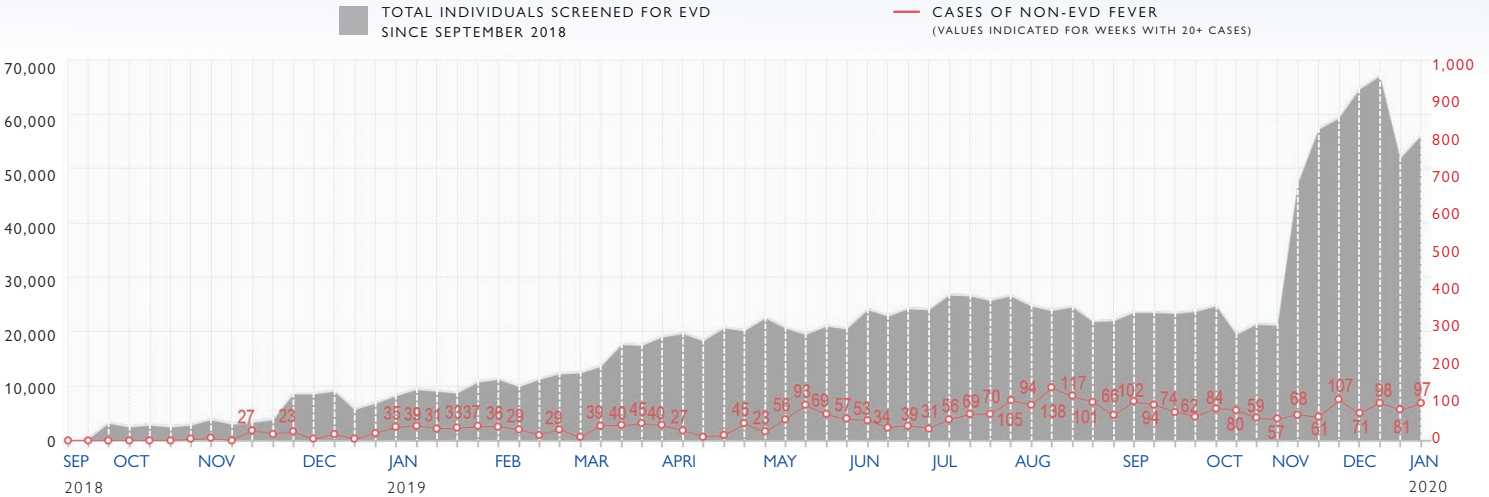

INDIVIDUALS SCREENED THIS WEEK: 56,331


SUSPECTED / CONFIRMED EVD CASES: 0


HEALTH FACILITIES SUPPORTED THROUGH WASH ASSISTANCE THIS WEEK: 9 (7 ACTIVE & 2 TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED)


INDIVIDUALS REACHED WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION TO DATE: 318,939

WEEKLY SCREENING



HEALTH UPDATES

The number of inbound travelers who underwent secondary screening increased from 81 in the epidemiological week 52 of year 2019 to 97 (19.75%) in epidemiological week 1 of year 2020. 26.8% (26) inbound travelers were found with malaria, 4.1% (4) had upper respiratory tract infection, 3.1% (3) pneumonia, 3.1% (3) typhoid, 8.3% (8) pending outcome, and 54.6% (53) recorded a normal temperature after subsequent taking according to the standard operating procedures. The cumulative number of inbound travelers stands at 1,181,483, with no alert reported.

In order to strengthen EVD surveillance and IPC in health facilities near the PoEs, IOM supports four health centers (Lasu, Khorijo, Kerwa and Kaya). In this reporting week, 212 individuals were reached with EVD information, 308 individuals were consulted in the outpatient department, and 28 people screened for EVD in the supported health facilities.

DTM UPDATES

Eighteen FMPs, including five run in cooperation with DTM Uganda and thirteen operated from within South Sudan, submitted data on time for the weekly update. Aside from the two FMPs which have been temporarily deactivated for security reasons (Lasu and Tokori), Nabanga, Panjala, Rasolo and Source Yubu FMPs failed to submit data on time.

Based on data submitted by Monday 6th January 2020, 3,385 individuals were surveyed in groups on arrival to South Sudan during the reporting period. The main regions of departure were Koboko (25.9% of respondents) in Uganda and Ituri (21.8%) in DRC, while the main reported counties of destination were Morobo (43.1%) and Kajo-Keji (19.1%). Most respondents reported South Sudanese nationality (64.3%), followed by Ugandan (29.4%).

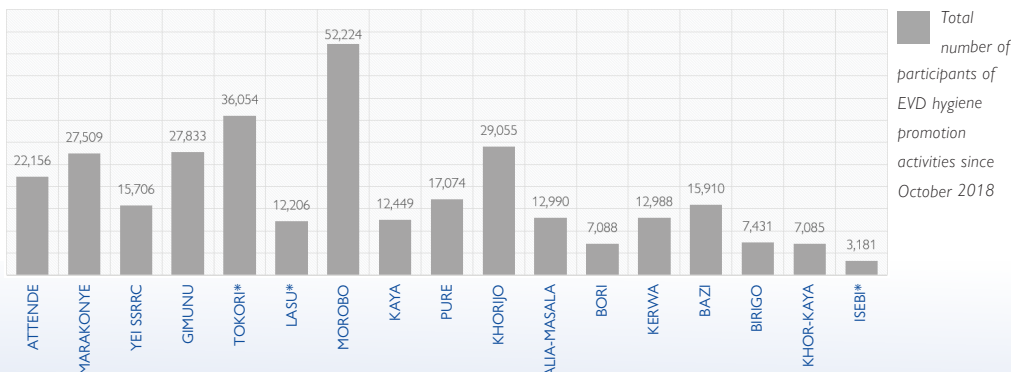


DTM Tracking at Yei Airstip PoE. © IOM 2019 / Ruman FESTO

WASH UPDATES

During the reporting week, IOM social mobilizers continued with EVD awareness and hygiene promotion activities to the communities in and around all 14 locations (Attende, Marakonye, Yei SSRRC, Gimunu, Morobo, Kaya, Pure, Khorijo, Salia-Masala, Bori, Kerwa, Bazi, Birigo, Khor-Kaya, Isebi*). Hygiene promotion sessions were conducted at nine churches, four water points, two markets, and 183 households, reaching approximately 3,908 individuals (751 men, 781 women, 1,142 boys, 1,234 girls) during this reporting week.

INDIVIDUALS REACHED WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION ACTIVITIES



*Hygiene promotion activities are still suspended at Isebi, Lasu and Tokori following a security incident on 27th October 2019

SECURITY AND ACCESS CHALLENGES

- Insecurity has affected access to some PoEs, especially Tokori, Lasu and Isebi. Due to the uncertain security situation in the counties of Lujulu and Otego, IOM activities in the three PoEs of Isebi, Lasu and Tokori remain suspended.
- Road access to Khorijo and Bori is being limited by the worsening condition of roads, as a result of continuous rain. This has interrupted social mobilization activities in the community.

COORDINATION NOTES

- IOM continues to actively participate in the various EVD meetings, including the Strategic Advisory Group (SAG), National Task-force (NTF), Technical Working Groups (TWGs), and State Task Forces (STFs).
- IOM also participate in other weekly state and county coordination meetings with OCHA, partners, and other stakeholders.