

South Sudan Ministry of Health

Integrated Disease surveillance and response (IDSR)



Epidemiological Bulletin Week 32, 2022 (August 7-13August)

In week 32, 2022, the IDSR reporting timeliness and completeness were 76% and 78% respectively while the timeliness and completeness for EWARN sites were at 87% and 93%

• Of the **58** alerts generated in week 32, 2022; **29.3%** were for malaria (17) and **25.8%** for acute watery diarrhea(15), and **15.5%** for bloody diarrhea (9)

• A total of 10 suspected monkeypox cases were reported since July 2022 with 9 samples collected and tested negative. Country readiness for monkeypox is scored at **41%**

• Confirmed measles outbreak in Juba county as (6) samples tested positive for measles with 57 cases and no death. A reactive vaccination campaign is underway in affected payams

 Ongoing cholera outbreak in Bentiu, Unity has risen to **316** cases but no new deaths with a CFR of **0.31%**) as of the end of week 31

• There are **17,823** COVID-19 confirmed cases, **138** (CFR, **0.77%**) deaths, and **17,335** recoveries by the end of week 32

Hepatitis E virus cases continue to be reported in Bentiu IDP Camp with, 3,083 cases and
 deaths (CFR 0.81%) reported since week 1, 2019

SURVEILLANCE PERFORMANCE



For the Integrated Disease Surveillance (IDSR) network and Early warning alert and response network (EWARN)

IDSR timeliness performance at State level for week 32 & 31 of 2022



| Timelinesss States Ranking | States | Number of reporting sites | No. of HFs Reported on Time in WK 31 | Timeliness Percentage of WK 31 | No. of HFs Reported on Time in WK 30 | Timeliness Percentage of WK 30 |
|-------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| 1st | Warrap | 123 | 116 | 94% | 97 | 79% |
| 2nd | WES | 218 | 190 | 87% | 218 | 100% |
| 3rd | EES | 105 | 88 | 84% | 92 | 88% |
| 4th | Unity | 105 | 88 | 84% | 72 | 69% |
| 5th | NBGZ | 89 | 70 | 79% | 80 | 90% |
| 6th | Lakes | 113 | 88 | 78% | 87 | 77% |
| 7th | Jonglei | 126 | 85 | 67% | 93 | 74% |
| 8th | WBGZ | 80 | 48 | 60% | 64 | 80% |
| 9th | CES | 126 | 74 | 59% | 78 | 62% |
| 10th | Upper Nile | 95 | 44 | 46% | 41 | 43% |
| | South Sudan | 1180 | 891 | 76% | 922 | 78% |

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| <60% | Poor |
|---------|-----------|
| 61%-79% | Fair |
| 80%-99% | Good |
| 100% | Excellent |

The Timeliness of IDSR Reporting (Supported by EWARS Web and Mobile) at the health facility level in week 32 stands at 76% while in week 31 it was at 78% and 4 states were above the target of 80% in week 32.

Reporting Chanllenges in the poorly performed States are; insecurity, internet inaccessible; Turnover of Partners.

IDSR Completeness performance at State level for week 32 & 31 of 2022



| Completeness States Ranking | States | Number of reporting sites | No. of HFs Reported regardless of time in WK 32 | Completeness Percentage of WK 32 | No. of HFs Reported regardless of time in WK 31 | Completeness Percentage of WK 31 |
|--------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| 1st | Lakes | 113 | 113 | 100% | 109 | 96% |
| 2nd | EES | 105 | 104 | 99% 102 | | 97% |
| 3rd | Warrap | 123 | 118 | 96% | 97 | 79% |
| 4th | WES | 218 | 209 | 96% 218 | | 100% |
| 5th | NBGZ | 89 | 80 | 90% 80 | | 90% |
| 6th | Unity | 105 | 92 | 88% | 87 | 83% |
| 7th | WBGZ | 80 | 67 | 84% | 75 | 94% |
| 8th | Upper Nile | 95 | 73 | 77% | 58 | 61% |
| 9th | Jonglei | 126 | 95 | 75% | 94 | 75% |
| 10th | CES | 126 | 75 | 60% | 79 | 63% |
| | South Sudan | 1180 | 1026 | 87% | 999 | 85% |

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Reporting Chanllenges in the poorly performed States includes; insecurity; internet inaccessible; Turnover of Partners, Floods.

Surveillance: EWARS timeliness performance indicator by partner for week 32 and 31 of 2022



| Partner | HFs | Reporting | | Performance | |
|----------------|---------------------------|--|-----------------------|---|-----------------------|
| PARTER | Number of reporting sites | # of reports received on Time in Week 32 | Timeliness of Week 32 | # of reports received on Time in Week 31 | Timeliness of Week 31 |
| IRC | 2 | 2 | 100% | 2 | 100% |
| Medicair | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% |
| ADA | 1 | 1 | 100% | 1 | 100% |
| Medair | 2 | 2 | 100% | 2 | 100% |
| World Relief | 2 | 2 | 100% | 2 | 100% |
| НАА | 8 | 8 | 100% | 8 | 100% |
| HFO | 4 | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% |
| UNH | 2 | 2 | 100% | 2 | 100% |
| TRI-SS | 2 | 2 | 100% | 2 | 100% |
| IOM | 10 | 10 | 100% | 9 | 90% |
| CIDO | 1 | 1 | 100% | 0 | 0% |
| IMC | 24 | 23 | 96% | 22 | 92% |
| SMC | 6 | 5 | 83% | 6 | 100% |
| MSF-E | 6 | 4 | 67% | 4 | 67% |
| UNIDOR | 3 | 2 | 67% | 1 | 33% |
| MC | 2 | 1 | 50% | 2 | 100% |
| MSF-H | 4 | 2 | 50% | 2 | 50% |
| Islamic Relief | 1 | 0 | 0% | 1 | 100% |
| SSHCO | 1 | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% |
| CRADA | 2 | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% |
| TOTAL | 90 | 78 | 87% | 77 | 86% |

The Timeliness of EWARS in partners' supported sites stands at 87% in week 32 while in week 31 it was at 86%.

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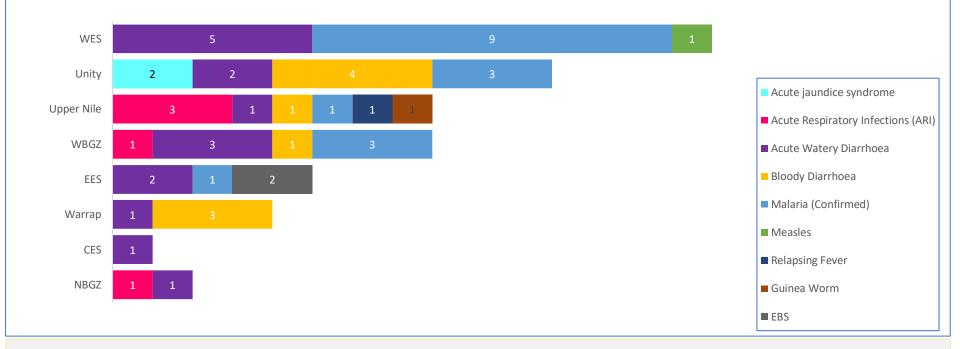
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| НАА | 8 | 8 | 100% | 8 | 100% |
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| IMC | 24 | 24 | 100% | 24 | 100% |
| MSF-H | 4 | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% |
| MSF-E | 6 | 6 | 100% | 6 | 100% |
| IOM | 10 | 10 | 100% | 9 | 90% |
| TRI-SS | 2 | 2 | 100% | 0 | 0% |
| UNIDOR | 3 | 2 | 67% | 1 | 33% |
| MC | 2 | 1 | 50% | 2 | 100% |
| Islamic Relief | 1 | 0 | 0% | 1 | 100% |
| SSHCO | 1 | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% |
| CRADA | | | 0% | 0 | 0% |
| TOTAL | 90 | 84 | 93% | 82 | 91% |

The Completeness of EWARS in partners' supported sites stands at 93% in week 32 and in week 31 it was at 91%.



Alert management including detection; reporting; verification; risk assessment; & risk characterization

Alert by disease and States in week 32 of 2022 [a total of events specific alerts generated by state



This week a total of 58 Alerts were triggered from the EWARS System:

- 1 EBS alerts: the event was reported to SMoH by CSO of Kapoeta South about a child of 6 years old male who was brought to Kapoeta Mission Hospital from Nangoleriate village Kapoeta North county, presenting with Rashes over the body, blister and lesion, headache, fever with the onset date of the rashes on 7/8/2022 (Suspected Monkeypox) and the other one was reported by the Health facility incharge of Ibalany PHCU to WHO field supervisor
- of a female 24 years old who represented with yellow eyes and Urine, high fever, headache, and heart pain with the date of onset as 28/7/202.(Suspected Yellow fever).
- 1 Relapsing Fever alert: this was from Wadakona PHCC in Manyo County of Upper Nile State.
- 1 Measles alerts: from Tambura Hospital of WES in Tambura County
- 2 AJS alert: from MSF-H Bentiu PoC Hospital where there is an ongoing response on AJS in Bentiu Town and in MSF-H Leer PHCC of Leer County.
- 1 Guinea Worm alert: in Bol PHCU of Fashoda County, Upper Nile State

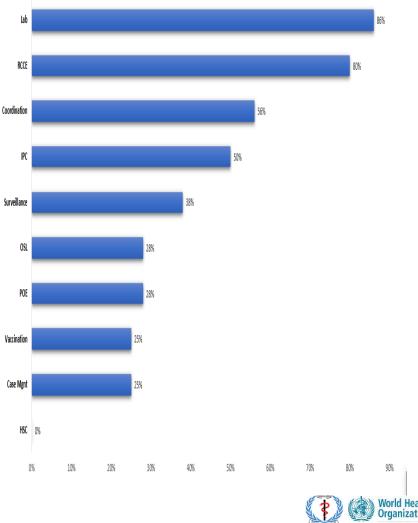
Global monkeypox situation update.

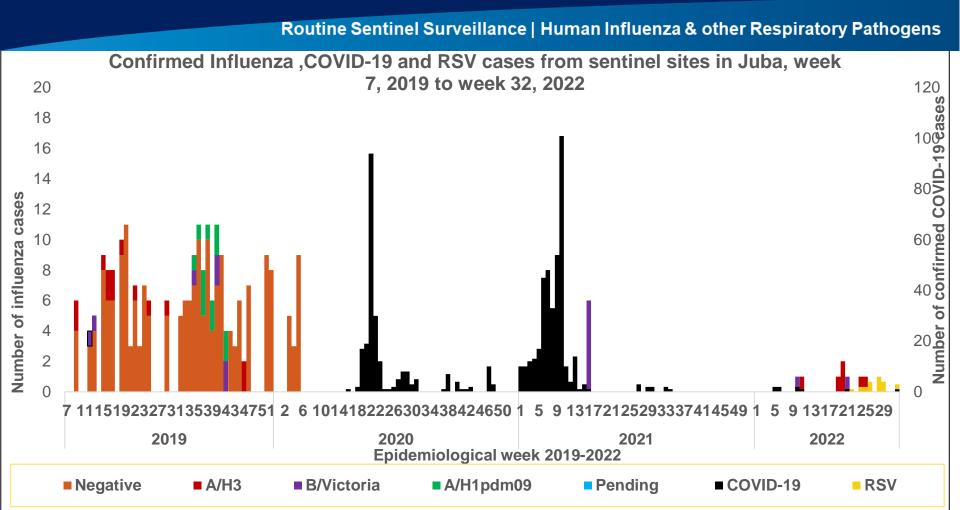
- Declared as PHEIC on 23 July 2022
- Laboratory confirmed cases 27 814 Deaths 11 Countries/ areas/ territories 89
- Most cases reported in the past 4 weeks were notified from the Region of the Americas (60.3%) and the European Region (38.7%).

South Sudan monkeypox update.

- No monkey case detected in South Sudan
- Ten suspect cases reported since July 2022, with 9 samples collected and tested negative in NPHL and regional labs
- Surveillance & lab tools drafts to be finalized.
- Monkeypox webinar conducted to enlighten the surveillance and HCWs in July 2022
- Monkeypox readiness and response plan draft to be ready by next week Monday
- Discussion ongoing between MOH, WHO, and SSPHI to conduct monkeypox training for healthcare workers at National and Subnational levels
- Monkeypox readiness assessment is at **41%**

South Sudan Baseline MPXV readiness capacities Aug,2022





 There are currently Four designated Influenza sentinel surveillance sites in Juba (Juba Teaching Hospital and Al Sabah Children's Hospital Rumbek State Hospital & Juba Military Hospital) that are collecting epidemiological data and samples from ILI/SARI cases.

- By the end of wk. 52 of 2021, a total of 266 ILI/SARI samples have been collected and tested in NPHL, 257 being negative; 6(2%) positive for Influenza B (Victoria); 3 (1%) positive for Influenza A (H3) and zero(0%) positive for Influenza A (H1)pdm09.
- From week 1-to 32,2022; a total of 371 ILI/SARI samples were collected,335 samples tested negative, and Cumulatively, 7 tested positive for covid-19,1 positive for Influenza B (Victoria), and 5 positives for influenza A(H3). 21 RSV was confirmed in Week 32

ACTIVE OUTBREAKS AND PUBLIC HEALTH EVENTS

Brief epidemiological description and public health response for active outbreaks and public health events`

Response| Summary of major ongoing outbreaks in 2022

| | Location | | New | Cumulative | | Interventio | ons | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Aetiological agent | (county/ state) | Date first reported | cases since last bulletin | cases to date (attack rate %) | Case management | Vaccination | Health promotion | IPC/W ASH |
| Ongoing epide | mics | | | | | | | |
| Hepatitis E | Bentiu PoC | 03/01/2019 | 48 | 3046 (0.82%) | Yes | yes | Yes | Yes |
| COVID-19 | 35 counties | 05/4/2020 | 11 | 17,823 (0.77%) | yes | yes | yes | yes |
| Cholera | Bentiu | 20/3/2022 | 02 | 316 (0.32) | yes | yes | yes | yes |
| Anthrax | Gogrial West | 24/1/2022 | 5 | 108 (0.037) | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |
| Meningitis | Northern Bahr Elgazal State | 7/1/2022 | 4 | 328 (0.003) | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |
| Measles | Aweil West | 11/5/2022 | 2 | 65 (0.030) | Yes | yes | Yes | NA |
| Measles | Aweil East | 12/3/2022 | 8 | 60 (0.013) | Yes | yes | Yes | NA |
| Measles | Aweil Center | 24/4/2022 | 1 | 31 (0.32) | Yes | yes | Yes | NA |
| Measles | Juba | 19/7/2022 | 26 | 57(0.66) | yes | Not yet | yes | NA |

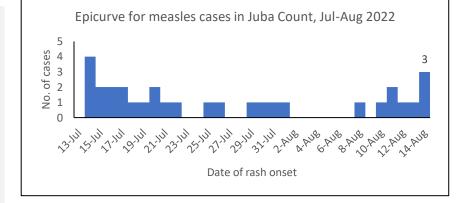
Confirmed Measles Outbreak in Juba County- CES

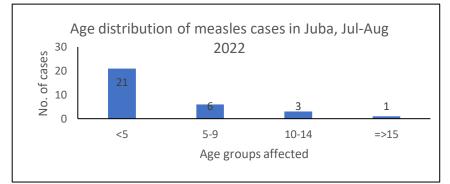
Suspected measles cases started on 14/07/2022 in Juba County

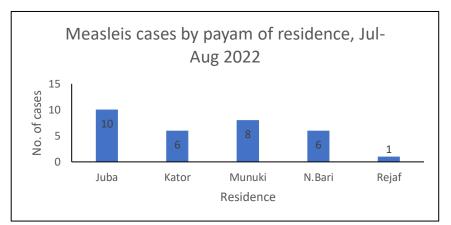
- A total of **31** suspected cases of measles have been reported from Munuki, Juba, N. Bari, Kator and Rejaf Payam. Juba Payam has the most cases (32%) among the five affected payams.
- Age 0-4yrs accounted for the majority, 67.7% (21 cases), of the cases reported
- More than half (54.8%) of the cases are males
- 41.9% (17 cases) of the cases were admitted for inpatient management; no deaths reported so far.

Ongoing response

- Active case search and line listing of cases are ongoing, cases have been referred to the nearest health facilities.
- Case are being managed in different health facilities; this includes provision of supportive management, vitamin A supplementation and treatment of secondary infections
- Plans to conduct reactive vaccination campaigns in the five affected payams are underway; vaccination expected to start soon. WHO, MEDAIR and IOM are leading the campaign.
- Refresher training on measles surveillance and treatment is planned for state RRTs and frontline health workers
- Routine immunization services need to be strengthened







Confirmed Cholera Outbreak in Bentiu, Unity State as of week 31

Descriptive epidemiology

- V. cholerae case confirmed on 14 Apr 2022 in Bentiu.
- **02** new cholera cases (including 01 RDT positive cases) reported from Bentiu IDP camp, Rubkona county
- 316 cholera cases have been reported cumulatively. (55 were cholera RDT positive with 29 testing culture positives); One death with a 0.33% case fatality rate (CFR).
- Overall age group between 0-4 years is mostly affected with 35.7% of the 316 cases reported.
- Females account for 191 (61.1%) and males account for the reported cases 123 (38.9%).
- Gradual reduction is being observed from week 25 up to week 31, however, this must be interpreted with caution
- Vaccinated cases accounted for 103 (32.6 %), unvaccinated accounted for 141 (44.6%) and 72 (22.8%) have unknown vaccination status.

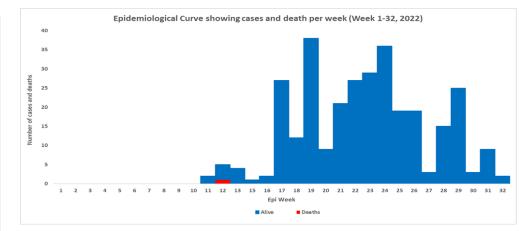


TABLE VACCINATION STATUS OF REPORTED CHOLERA CASES BY AGE CATEGORY, RUBKONA COUNTY, 19 MARCH – 14 August 2022

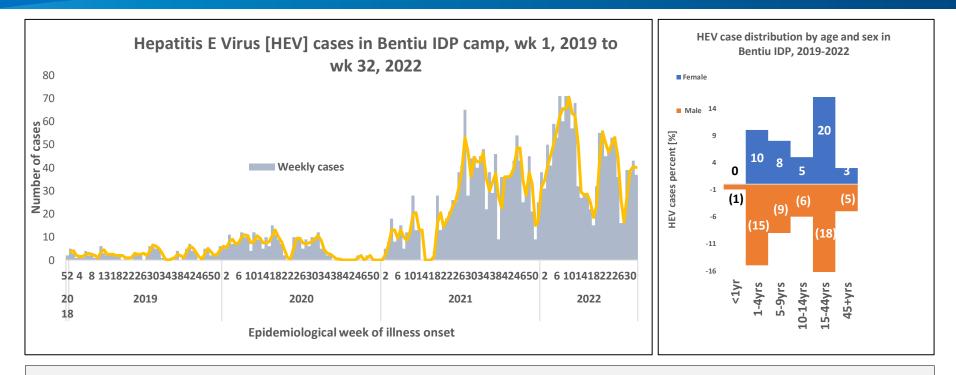
| | | Vaccinated | Not Vaccina | ated | Unk | nown | To | tal |
|-----------|-------|------------|-------------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|
| Age Group | cases | % | Cases | % | Cases | % | Cases | % |
| 0-4 yrs | 25 | 7.9 | 62 | 19.6 | 22 | 7.0 | 109 | 34.5 |
| 5-9 yrs | 6 | 1.9 | 13 | 4.1 | 4 | 1.3 | 23 | 7.3 |
| 10-14 yrs | 17 | 5.4 | 10 | 3.2 | 11 | 3.5 | 38 | 12.0 |
| 15-19 yrs | 2 | 0.6 | 12 | 3.8 | 8 | 2.5 | 22 | 7.0 |
| 20-49 yrs | 36 | 11.4 | 32 | 10.1 | 21 | 6.6 | 89 | 28.2 |
| ≥50 yrs | 17 | 5.4 | 12 | 3.8 | 6 | 1.9 | 35 | 11.1 |
| Total | 103 | 32.6 | 141 | 44.6 | 72 | 22.8 | 316 | 100.0 |



Oral Cholera Vaccines (OCV) 2022.

| S/ | LOCATION | TARGET | POPUL VACCII | | COVE | RAGE |
|----|------------|---------|-----------------|---------|-------|-------|
| N | LOCATION | IAKGET | VACCII | | | |
| | | | | 2nd | 1st | 2nd |
| | | | 1st round | Round | round | Round |
| | Rubkona | | | | | |
| 1 | Phase 1 | 202,627 | 173,170 | 175,044 | 85% | 86% |
| | Rubkona | | | | | |
| 2 | Phase 2 | 31,680 | 25,196 | 32,075 | 80% | 101% |
| 3 | Leer | 75,333 | 64,033 | 35,375 | 85% | 47% |
| 4 | Juba | 633,335 | 400,584 | | 63% | |
| 5 | Yirol East | 118,163 | 111,499 | | 94.4% | |

- Phase 2 OCV Campaigns in Yirol East and Juba are planned for Sept 2022. The vaccine for Juba is expected on 30th Aug.
- A total of 1,181,750 doses of OCV have been received in South Sudan in 2022
- 1,016,976 OCV doses have been administered
- OCV campaigns in other locations are being planned by SMOH in collaboration with partners



Descriptive epidemiology

- The persistent transmission of HEV in Bentiu IDP camp continues with **3,083** cases since the beginning of 2019
- 37 new cases were reported in week 32, bringing the total cases to 3,083 including (25 deaths) giving a CFR of 0.81%
- HEV transmission has reduced from a peak of 60 cases every fortnight by week 8, 2021 to 40 cases every fortnight by week 30, 2022.
- All the cases have been managed as outpatient cases except for seven cases who were admitted
- No death was reported in 2022
- 46% are female and 54% are male. Within the IDP camp, the sector specific attack rates for HEV disease for the period week 1,
 2022 are highest in sectors 3 and 5.



HEV response update

- 1. Multisectoral joint cholera and HEV response coordination at the state level; biweekly coordination forum comprising health, WASH, and other clusters
- 2. Surveillance enhanced through the provision of refresher training, distribution of case definition, and other reporting tools
- 3. Weekly analytics of the outbreak data to monitor trends and inform decision making
- 4. Case management for symptomatic cases provided by the PHCCs; severe cases are referred to MSP PoC Hospital
- 5. The HEV vaccination campaign was conducted in Bentiu IDP Camp; the first round with a coverage of 91% and the second round with a coverage of 82% among those aged 16-40 years (incl. pregnant women); the third round is expected to be conducted in October 2022
- 6. Risk communication and awareness are enhanced through household health promoters/hygiene promoters; radio talk shows and messaging. Cholera and HEV messages were disseminated.
- 7. Enhanced access to safe drinking water, sanitation facilities such as latrines, mass clean-up campaigns, regular water quality testing, and monitoring

HEV response challenges

- 1. Lack of long-term investment to improve the WASH situation in the camp
- 2. Lack of meaningful behavioral changes among the population
- 3. Frequent population movements between the IDP and host communities; host community was not vaccinated
- 4. Upcoming flooding season will likely worsen the WASH situation



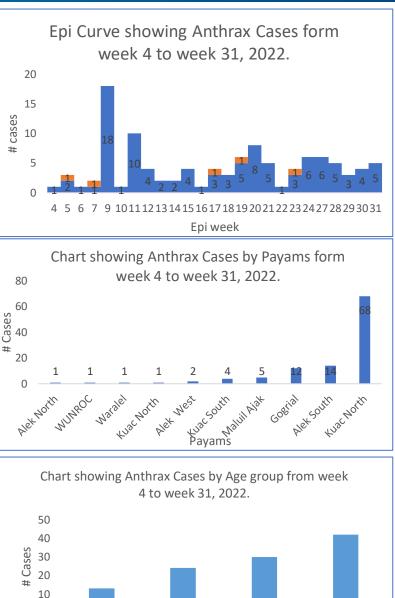
Confirmed Anthrax Cases in Gogrial West County- Warrap State



- Suspected anthrax cases were detected at the Kuajok hospital, and a retrospective review of the facility registers revealed over cases in the past two months.
- On 18th May 2022, a national team composed of MOH, MOAF, WHO, ICAP, and FAO visited the state to conduct an in-depth epidemiological investigation and response. The team visited Kuajok hospital, Gogrial PHCC, and Alak PHCC to review register books. The team also visited 24 villages where Anthrax suspected cases come from
- Five new cases were reported in week 31, 2022 bringing the total number of cases linelisted to 108 cases and 5 deaths, case fatality rate (CFR 4.7%).
- All cases are from one County of Gogrial West. 62.9% of the cases are from Kuac North Payam. 61% of the cases are among females and 39% among Males.
- Out of the 18 samples collected, 8 tested positive by PCR.
- A total of 10 animal samples were collected by the animal health experts and 3 soil samples for further analysis.

Ongoing response

- Animal and soil samples collected to confirm infection among the animals and in soil samples
- Active case search and line listing of cases in the affected county and the surrounding.
- Case management is underway at Kuajok hospital.
- Discussions are underway with the Ministry of Animal Resources and Fisheries to conduct an immunization campaign among animals to eliminate the source of infection
- Risk communications and community engagements activities are ongoing through local radios to reduce the risk of exposure
- Ongoing multisectoral coordination meetings at state and national level.



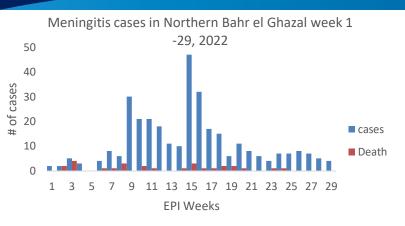
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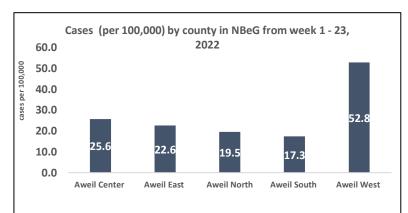
Age Group

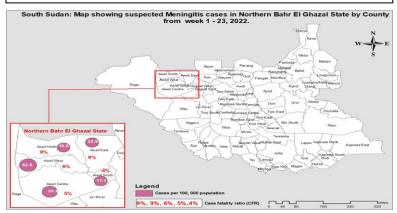
5 - 9 Yrs

15+ Yrs

10 - 14 Yrs







Suspected Meningitis in Northern Bahr el Ghazal State as of week 29, 2022

- 328 suspect cases, with 23 deaths (CFR 7.0%%) reported from 5 counties in NBeG from week 1-23, 2022
- Spike in suspect cases reported in weeks 9, and 15, 2022.
- Most cases reported among 15+ yrs (43%) and <1 4 yrs (24%)
- Most deaths (CFR 57%) have occurred in infants (<1yr). The risk of death reduces with increasing age
- Aweil North reported the highest CFR of 10% which is the threshold
- Aweil West and Aweil center reported the highest cumulative attack rates during the reporting period and surpassed the alert threshold.
- A total of 36 samples were shipped to NPHL and then to the National Institute of Communicable Diseases in South Africa for PCR, of the 25 samples; 5 were positive for *Neisseria meningitidis*, (3 serogroup X) and 6 *Streptococcus pneumonia* and one *H. Influenzae. 17 samples tested negative by PCR and no growth by culture. And 7 are still pending*
- Last MenAfriVac vaccination in March 2016 attained admin. coverage of 92.3%.
 South Sudan has not introduced the pneumococcal vaccine (PCV) into routine immunization

Response Activities

- WHO AFRO deployed a technical officer to Aweil to provide technical support and develop a road map for updating preparedness plans.
- Meningitis Training of Trainers was conducted on 8th and 9th August, all state surveillance officers, clinicians, and public health officers at the PHEOC were trained on surveillance, case management, data management
- Case identification, investigation, and management underway in Aweil Civil hospital by MSF France
- 3,000 vials of ceftriaxone from ICG and 1,000 vials of ceftriaxone were distributed to NBGZ state-affected counties
- WHO supporting capacities for molecular testing of bacterial meningitis in South Sudan through the National Institute of Communicable Diseases

Response | Summary of major controlled outbreaks in 2020 and 2021



| | | | | | | Interventions | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| Aetiological agent | Location (county) | Date first reported | New cases since last bulletin | Cumulative cases to date (attack rate %) | Case management | Vaccination | Health promotion | WASH | | | | |
| Controlled epide | mics | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Measles | Pibor | 27/1/2020 | NR | 355 (0.0028) | Yes | Yes | ; | Yes | | | | |
| Measles | Wau | 5/1/2020 | NR | 39 (0.051) | Yes | Yes | 5 | Yes | | | | |
| Measles | Ibba | 25/1/2020 | NR | 55 (0.36) | Yes | Yes | | Yes | | | | |
| Rubella | Tambura | 11/1/2021 | NR | 23 (0.13) | Yes | No | | Yes | | | | |
| Rubella | Nagero | 01/03/ 20201 | NR | 5 (0.25) | Yes | No | I | Yes | | | | |
| cVDPV2 | 25 counties | 11/06/2020 18/09/2020 | NA | 59 | Yes | Yes | | Yes | | | | |
| Measles | Torit | 8/2/2022 | NR | 1 (0.023) | Yes | Yes | 5 | Yes | | | | |
| Measles/ Rubella | Maban- Doro Camp | 5/01/2022 | NR | 20 (0. 124) | Yes | Yes | 5 | Yes | | | | |
| Measles/ Rubella | Tambura | 20/02/2022 | NR | 5 (0.4) | Yes | Yes | 5 | Yes | | | | |
| Rubella | Gogrial West | | NR | 76(0.13) | Yes | No | | Yes | | | | |



COVID-19 Virus Situation Summary

Situation update as of 15 August, 2022

• Globally, as of 4:42pm CEST, 22

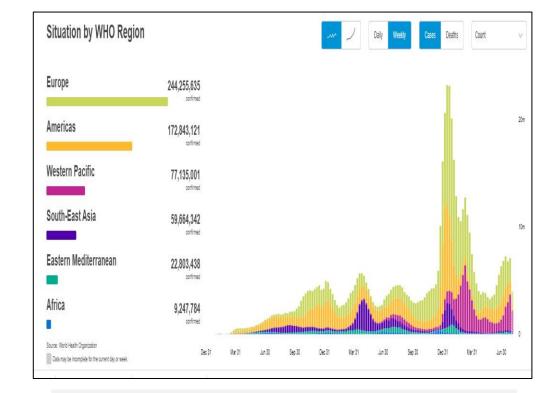
August 2022, there have

been **593,269,262 confirmed cases** of COVID-19,

including **6,446,547 deaths**, reported to WHO. As of **17 August 2022**, a total of **12,409,086,286 vaccine**

doses have been administered.

 In Africa, as of 22 August 2022 there have been 9,269,451 confirmed cases of COVID-19, including 174,235 deaths reported to WHO



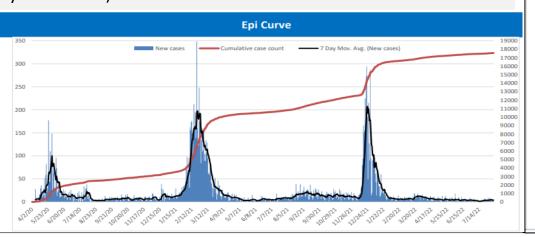
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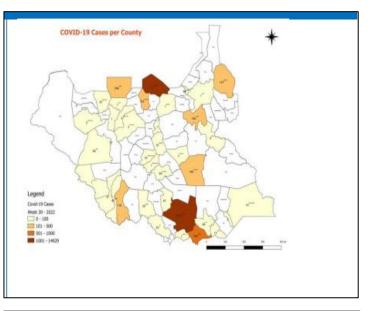


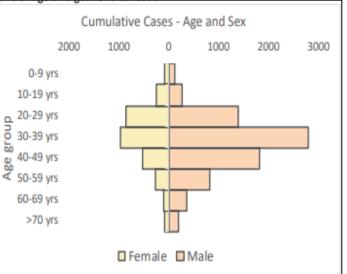
COVID-19 Response in South Sudan as of week 32, 2022



- 17,852 confirmed cases with 138 deaths, 17,513 recoveries, and 201 active cases 0.77% case fatality rate (CFR)293 healthcare workers were confirmed as cases –
- 29 new confirmed cases during the week with pre-travel screening (58.6%) and alerts (41.4%) accounting for all the cases –
- **569** imported cases (0 new cases this week) mostly from South Sudanese returnees **(391)**, Uganda (55), and Kenya (22) –
- Zero admitted to the Infectious Disease Unit (IDU) in Juba during the week Seven-day moving averages for case count and positivity rate were 4.1 cases and 1.3% at the end of Week 32 compared to 3.4 cases and 0.7% at the end of Week 31 respectively
- 2,395 in-bound travelers tested at JIA to date (9 tested positive, a yield of 0.4%)







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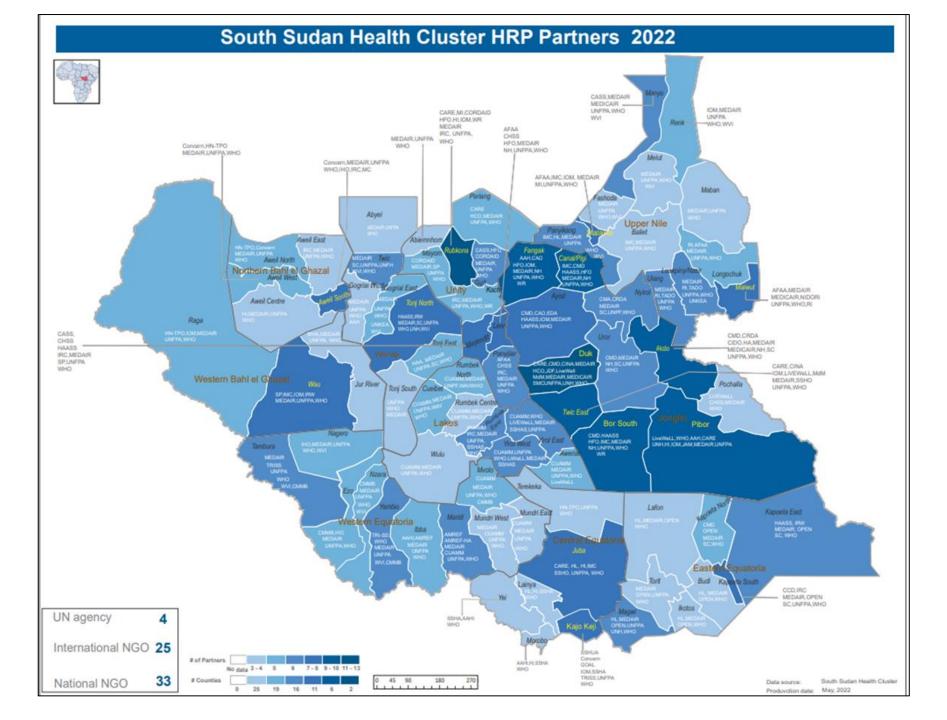
OVERALL CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Conclusions

- The overall performance of IDSR and EWARN reporting sites in week 32, 2022 is below the target of 80% for the IDSR sites
- HEV transmission has reduced from a peak of 60 cases every fortnight by week
 8, 2021 to 37cases every fortnight by week 32, 2022
- Confirmed Measles outbreak in Juba as 6 cases tested IgM positive plans underway to conduct reactive vaccination campaign by WHO, IOM and Medair
- Ongoing Cholera outbreak in Bentiu, Unity with 316 cases and one death CFR
 0.31%
- Active meningitis cases in Northern Bahr El Ghazal state with 328 suspect cases and 23 deaths (CFR 9%)

Recommendations

- Partners to continue supporting County Health Departments (CHD) & State Ministries of Health on timely IDSR/EWARN reporting
- Health facilities to conduct an initial investigation on suspected cases of epidemicprone diseases and collect samples
- Support the multicluster HEV response strategy in Bentiu IDP camp and the ongoing cholera outbreak
- Strengthen surveillance for Meningitis in NBGZ and Anthrax in Warrap states
- Enhance COVID-19 surveillance, investigate ARI/ILI/SARI cases, and optimize SARS-COV2 Ag-RDT use
- Implement the accelerated COVID-19 vaccine absorption plan to attain 70% coverage by July 2022
- Conduct reactive measles vaccination campaign in counties with confirmed outbreaks and advocate for enhanced routine immunization through PIRI



IDSR timeliness & completeness performance at county level for week 32 and 31 of 2022 (1)



| STATE | COUNTY | Number of reporting sites | No. of HFs Reported on Time in WK 32 | Timeliness Percentage of WK32 | No. of HFs Reported regardless of time in WK 32 | Completene ss Percentage of WK 32 | No. of HFs Reported regardless of time in WK 31 | | | | | No. of | | No. of HFs | | No. of HFs | |
|-------|------------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|---|--|---|------|-------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Lakes | Cueibet | 15 | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | 15 | | | | Number of | Reported | Timeliness Percentag | | Completenes | Reported regardless of | Completenes |
| | | | | | | | | 100% | STATE | COUNTY | reporting sites | on Time in WK 32 | e of WK 32 | s of time in 32 | s Percentage of WK 32 | time in WK 31 | s Percentage of WK 31 |
| Lakes | Rumbek North | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | Unity | Abiemnhom | 4 | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% |
| Lakes | Wulu | 14 | 14 | 100% | 14 | 100% | 14 | 100% | Unity | Koch | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% |
| Lakes | Rumbek East | 24 | 24 | 100% | 24 | 100% | 24 | 100% | Unity | Mayom | 13 | 13 | 100% | 13 | 100% | 13 | 100% |
| Lakes | Awerial | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 5 | 71% | | Pariang | 12 | 12 | 100% | 10 | 100% | 13 | 100% |
| Lakes | Rumbek Centre | 23 | 23 | 100% | 23 | 100% | 21 | | Unity | Fanang | 12 | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% |
| Labor | | 10 | 10 | 4000/ | 40 | 10000 | 42 | 91% | WES | Nzara | 21 | 21 | 100% | 21 | 100% | 21 | 100% |
| Lakes | Yirol West | 12 | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% | WES | Nagero | 10 | 10 | 100% | 10 | 100% | 10 | 100% |
| Lakes | Yirol East | 11 | 11 | 100% | 11 | 100% | 11 | 100% | WES | Mundri | 21 | 21 | 100% | 21 | 100% | 21 | 100% |
| NBGZ | Aweil North | 15 | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | | West | | | | | | | |
| NBGZ | Aweil West | 20 | 20 | 100% | 20 | 100% | 20 | | WES | Maridi | 26 | 26 | 100% | 26 | 100% | 26 | 100% |
| | | | | | | | | 100% | WES | Mundri East | 19 | 19 | 100% | 19 | 100% | 19 | 100% |
| CES | Yei | 18 | 17 | 94% | 17 | 94% | 17 | 94% | | _ | | | | | | | |
| CES | Kajo Keji | 28 | 26 | 93% | 26 | 93% | 28 | 100% | WES | Ezo | 32 | 32 | 100% | 32 | 100% | 32 | 100% |
| CES | Morobo | 9 | 8 | 89% | 8 | 89% | 9 | 100% | WES | Yambio | 42 | 41 | 98% | 41 | 98% | 42 | 100% |
| WBGZ | Jur River | 40 | 34 | 85% | 34 | 85% | 40 | 100% | | | | | | | | | |
| NBGZ | Aweil East | 26 | 22 | 85% | 22 | 85% | 17 | 65% | WES | Tambura | 28 | 26 | 93% | 26 | 93% | 26 | 93% |
| NBGZ | Aweil Centre | 13 | 11 | 85% | 11 | 85% | 13 | 100% | WES | Mvolo | 11 | 10 | 91% | 10 | 91% | 10 | 91% |
| NBGZ | Aweil South | 15 | 12 | 80% | 12 | 80% | 15 | 100% | Unity | Leer | 16 | 14 | 88% | 14 | 88% | 13 | 81% |
| WEGT | | 0.1 | | 7701 | | | | 100% | Unity | Panyijiar Mayendit | 16 14 | 13 11 | 81% 79% | 13 11 | 81% 79% | 11 11 | 69% 79% |
| WBGZ | Wau | 31 | 24 | 77% | 24 | 77% | 24 | 77% | | - | | | | | | | |
| CES | Lainya | 16 | 10 | 63% | 10 | 63% | 11 | 69% | Unity | Guit | 7 | 5 | 71% | 5 | 71% | 5 | 71% |
| WBGZ | Raja | 15 | 9 | 60% | 9 | 60% | 11 | 73% | Unity | Rubkona | 20 | 13 | 65% | 13 | 65% | 11 | 55% |
| CES | Terekeka | 20 | 11 | 55% | 11 | 55% | 11 | 55% | | | | | | | | | |
| CES | Juba | 46 | 3 | 7% | 3 | 7% | 3 | 7% | WES | lbba | 11 | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% | 11 | 100% |

IDSR timeliness & completeness performance at county level for week 32 and 31 of 2022 (2)



| STATE | | Number of reporting sites | on Time | ge of | No. of HFs Reported regardles s of time | ge of WK | No. of HFs Reporte d regardle ss of time in | Completen ess Percentag e of WK | STATE | COUNTY | Number of reporting sites | | Timelines s Percentag e of WK 32 | Reported regardles | s Percentage | | f Completenes s Percentage of WK 31 |
|------------|------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|-------|---|------------|---|--|------------|-------------------|---------------------------|----|--|--------------------|--------------|----|---|
| Jonglei | Pibor | 7 | in WK 32 7 | WK 32 | <u>in WK 32</u> 7 | 32 100% | <u>WK 31</u> 5 | 31 71% | Warrap | Gogrial West | 31 | 31 | 100% | 31 | 100% | 27 | 87% |
| | | | | | | | | | Warrap | Tonj East | 12 | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% | 10 | 83% |
| Jonglei | Pochalla | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | Warrap | Tonj South | 12 | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% | 12 | 100% |
| Jonglei | Duk | 15 | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | Upper Nile | Baliet | 4 | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% | 4 | 100% |
| EES EES | Magwi | 17 | 17 | 100% | 17 | 100% | 17 | 100% | Upper Nile | Makal | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% |
| | Ikotos Lopa | 19 | 19 | 100% | 19 | 100% | 19 | 100% | Upper Nile | Panyikang | 3 | 3 | 100% | 3 | 100% | 3 | 100% |
| EES | Lafon | 15 | 15 | 100% | 15 | 100% | 14 | 93% | Upper Nile | Akoka | 5 | 5 | 100% | 5 | 100% | 5 | 100% |
| EES | Torit | 11 | 11 | 100% | 11 | 100% | 11 | 100% | Warrap | Twic | 26 | 25 | 96% | 25 | 96% | 17 | 65% |
| EES | Kapoeta South | 9 | 9 | 100% | 9 | 100% | 8 | 89% | | | | | | | | | |
| EES | Kapoeta East | 7 | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | 7 | 100% | Warrap | Tonj North | 19 | 18 | 95% | 18 | 95% | 18 | 95% |
| EES | Kapoeta North | 10 | 10 | 100% | 10 | 100% | 10 | 100% | Warrap | Abyei | 9 | 8 | 89% | 8 | 89% | 5 | 56% |
| EES | Budi | 17 | 16 | 94% | 16 | 94% | 12 | 71% | Upper Nile | Longechuk | 9 | 8 | 89% | 8 | 89% | 5 | 56% |
| longloi | | 11 | 9 | 82% | 9 | 82% | 9 | 82% | Upper Nile | Manyo | 11 | 9 | 82% | 9 | 82% | 10 | 91% |
| Jonglei | Twic East | | | | _ | | | | Upper Nile | Maiwut | 5 | 4 | 80% | 4 | 80% | 3 | 60% |
| Jonglei | Nyirol | 10 | 8 | 80% | 8 | 80% | 8 | 80% | Upper Nile | Maban Luakpiny | 17 | 13 | 76% | 13 | 76% | 6 | 35% |
| Jonglei | Canal Pigi | 12 | 9 | 75% | 9 | 75% | 9 | 75% | Upper Nile | Nasir | 12 | 8 | 67% | 8 | 67% | 3 | 25% |
| Jonglei | Fangak | 19 | 14 | 74% | 14 | 74% | 14 | 74% | Upper Nile | Melut | 8 | 5 | 63% | 5 | 63% | 2 | 25% |
| Jonglei | Bor | 35 | 21 | 60% | 21 | 60% | 21 | 60% | Warrap | Gogrial East | 15 | 9 | 60% | 9 | 60% | 8 | 53% |
| Jonglei | Akobo | 14 | 4 | 29% | 4 | 29% | 2 | 14% | Upper Nile | Fashoda | 16 | 4 | 25% | 4 | 25% | 6 | 38% |
| Jonglei | Uror | 8 | 1 | 13% | 1 | 13% | 1 | 13% | Upper Nile | Ulang | 14 | 2 | 14% | 2 | 14% | 2 | 14% |
| Jonglei | Ayod | 15 | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% | 3 | 20% | Upper Nile | Renk | 11 | 1 | 9% | 1 | 9% | 2 | 18% |

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