On 20th September 2022, the Ministry of Health declared an outbreak of Sudan Ebola Virus (SVD) after a case managed at Mubende Regional Referral Hospital (MRRH) in Mubende district was confirmed through testing at the Uganda Virus Research Institute (UVRI). This followed investigations by the National Rapid Response Team of suspicious deaths that had occurred in the district earlier in the month. This is the first time in more than a decade that Uganda reports an outbreak of Sudan ebolavirus.
Today marks 102 days of responding to the EVD outbreak and 30 days since the last confirmed case.

- Within the past 24 hours, there was no new confirmed case or death registered; there was no recovery.
- Case Fatality Ratio (CFR) among confirmed cases still stands 55/142 (39%).
- No active contacts are currently under follow-up.

### Summary of Cases as of 27th December 2022 at 22:00 HRS

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**Table Acronyms:**
- MUB = Mubende
- KYE = Kyeggo, KAS = Kasanda
- KAG = Kagadi
- WAK = Wakiso
- KLA = Kampala
- MSK = Masaka
- JJA = Jinja
- BUN = Bunyangabu
- HCW = Healthcare Worker

### Place analysis of affected persons by district as of 27th December 2022 at 22:00 HRS
Alert Management, POE Surveillance, and Burials summaries as of 27th December 2022 at 22:00 HRS

**Actions to date**

The Ministry of Health (MoH), Districts, and partners in Uganda are implementing several outbreak control interventions in Mubende and other affected districts to contain the disease spread. An overview of key activities is summarized below:

**Response Pillar** | **Key Updates in the past 24 hours**
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Coordination | Regular District Task Force meetings are ongoing in all affected districts
 | The bi-weekly National Task Force meetings will resume on 6th January 2023.
 | Plans for de-escalation of response activities undergoing in all affected districts.
 | Total alerts validated in the past 24 hours were 26 from Mubende, Masaka, KMA, Kassanda and Jinja districts; five met the suspected case definition and four were evacuated.
 | In the past 24 hrs, a total of 46 alerts received from eight CAT #2, #3 districts. All tested NEGATIVE for EVD (SUD)
 | Total of 14,167 individuals were screened at nine Points of Entry (POEs), where seven health alerts were investigated, and none met the EVD suspected case definition.
 | Active case search performed in 27 healthcare facilities of Mubende

Surveillance & Contact tracing

Laboratory

Case Management

Emergency Medical Services (EMS)

Safe & Dignified Burials

WASH and Infection Prevention and Control (IPC)

Risk Communication & Public Awareness

**Table Acronyms:** MUB=Mubende, KYE=Kyegegwa, FPC= Fort Portal City, KAS=Kassanda, KAG=Kagadi, KMA = Kampala Metropolitan (Kampala + Wakiso), BUN = Bunyangabu, KAK = Kakumiro, NAK = Nakasongola, LUW = Lwero, MTN = Mityana, MTM = Mimoona, NTG = Ntungamo, MSK = Masaka, JJA = Jinja
Response Pillar | Key Updates in the past 24 hours
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Team Masaka issued 750 EVD posters, 30 flip charts and 200 FAQs. | Team Kassanda addressed church congregations in three different places of worship and disseminated basic facts on EVD prevention and control measures, roles and responsibilities of community members in the fight against Ebola, and not to stigmatize survivors; 850 Christians were reached.  
KCCA distributed 100 EVD booklets of FAQs, 1,000 leaflets, and 100 EVD posters. | Team Kassanda also held community dialogues with various groups that included: community members, cultural leaders and sub county task forces, and Local Councils in Myanzi and Kijuna sub-counties, reaching 158 people with EVD messages.  
Team Jinja distributed 110 EVD Materials after sensitization of Boda-boda riders & saloon operators from Bubugo Village in Butagaya Subcounty. | KCCA engaged passengers, drivers and touts at the New Taxi Park and Namayiba Bus Park in Central Division, Kampala.  
Team Lyantonde engaged 15 commercial sex workers ad 17 traditional healers on EVD preparedness. | Team Jinja re-orientated village task force (VTF) members from 42 villages in Buwenge Town council and Namagera Town council reaching 126 people.  
Mental Health & Psychosocial Social Support | SURVIVOR FOLLOW-UP: Six survivors were visited; all male clients were encouraged to adhere to consistent use of condoms. Four families of EVD victims were visited and followed up.

### Key messages to the public
- People in the community should call an alert hotline or go to a health facility if they have symptoms (e.g., fever, headache, weakness, vomiting, bloody diarrhoea or urine, bleeding from body openings).
- Hotline numbers are: **0800200043** for Mubende and Kassanda; **0800299000** for Kampala Metropolitan Area, **0800300043** for Masaka, **0800355411** for Kagadi all toll-free, **0800300046** for Jinja, and **0787437139** for Bunyangabu (not toll-free).
- Free alert SMS on 6767 starting with the ‘ALERT’ key word; Free alert SMS to U-report on 8500
- Community should not fear people who have been discharged from the ETU and returned home.