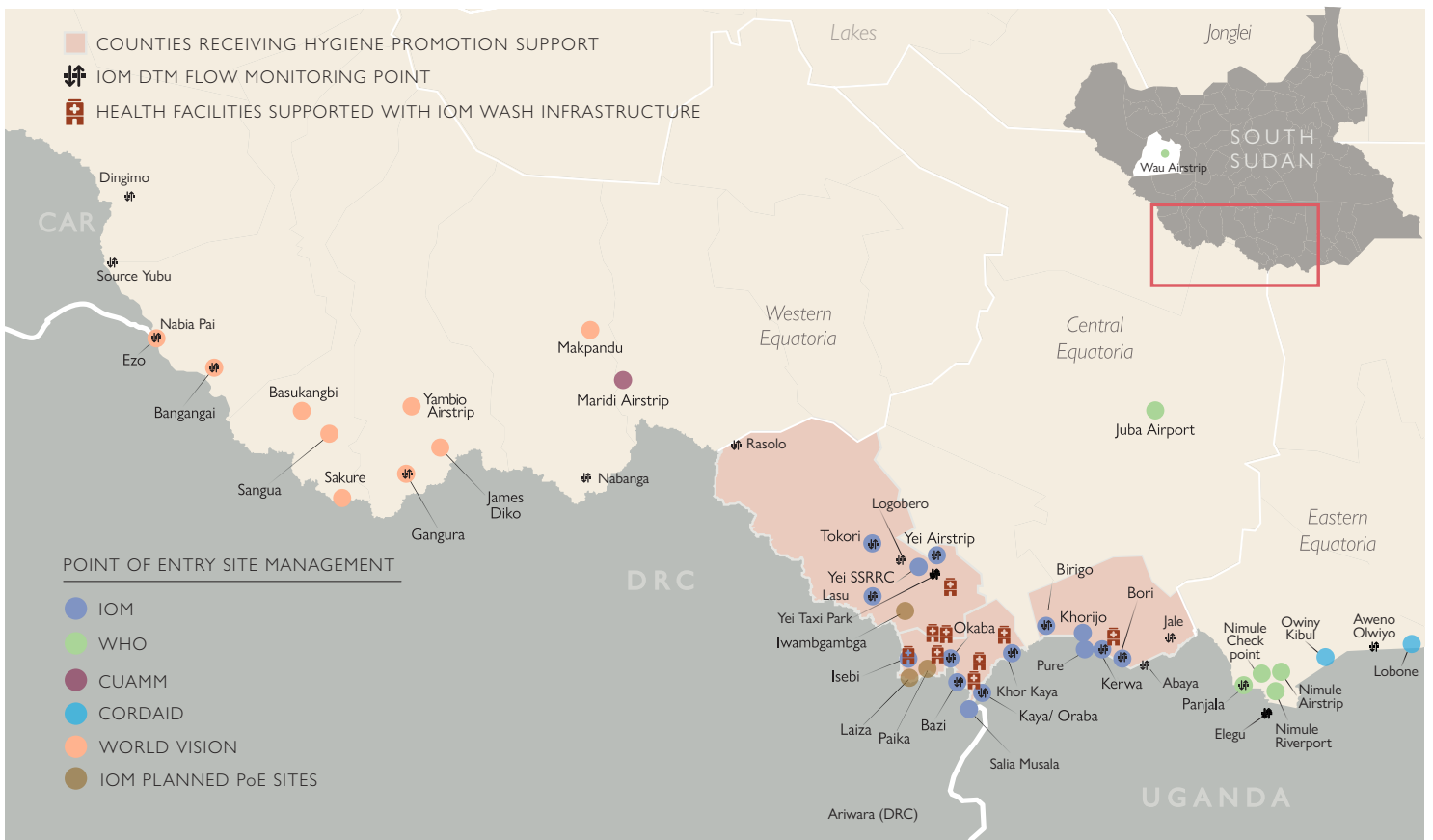




IOM SOUTH SUDAN

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
1,247	1,034	935	185	4,756	2,165	2,651	2,256	31	1,825	3,581	3,238	37	27	73
60,253	36,714	22,045	3,946	175,959	67,938	107,531	81,917	2,417	77,891	126,915	101,530	6,242	1,182	1,706

ORIGIN OF ENTRANTS TO SOUTH SUDAN

COUNTRY & LOCATIONS OF ORIGIN	NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS SURVEYED THIS WEEK	TRENDS COMPARED TO PREVIOUS WEEK
UGA Koboko	2,345	32.8% ↑
COD Ituri	1,648	23% ↓
UGA Yumbe	567	7.9% ↓
UGA Kampala	401	5.6% ↓
UGA Moyo	419	5.9% ↑
UGA Other	294	4.1% ↓
COD Haut-Uele	393	5.5% ↑
UGA Amuru	200	2.8% ↓
KEN Other	214	3% ↓
UGA Adjumani	150	2.1% ↑
KEN Nairobi	104	1.5% ↓
UGA Lamwo	111	1.6% ↓
CAF Haut-Mbomou	119	1.7% ↓
OTHER Other	23	0.3% ↓

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: ↑ upward trend, ↓ downward trend, — no change. For a more detailed breakdown, contact southsudanDTM@iom.int.

During this reporting week, a total of 7,150 entrants were surveyed. Of these, 62.8% were South Sudanese nationals; 28.6% were from Uganda; 3.9% from Kenya; 2.4% from Democratic Republic of Congo; and a further 2.3% were from other countries. Entrants' origin information is self-reported.

WEEKLY OVERVIEW

DTM

- DTM continues to operate 24 FMPs at the borders with DRC, Uganda and CAR, of which six run in cooperation with DTM Uganda on the Ugandan side of the border

WASH

- Conducted community leadership/key informants training for 25 individuals in the 2 locations of Kaya and Salia Musalia
- Conducted Round 3 IPC/WASH Assessments for Yei hospital and Lasu PHCC

HEALTH

- IOM continue to support and conduct active screening in the following 15 Points of Entry (PoEs) sites:
 - Yei SSRRC and Yei Airstrip within Yei Town
 - Lasu and Tokori in Otogo County
 - Kaya, Bazi, Salia Musala, Okaba, Kor Kaya along Busia Uganda Border
 - Isebi in Morobo County
 - Pure, Kerwa, Khorijo, Bori in Kajokeji and
 - Birigo in Lainya County



INDIVIDUALS SCREENED THIS WEEK: **24,042**



SUSPECTED/ CONFIRMED EVD CASES: **0**

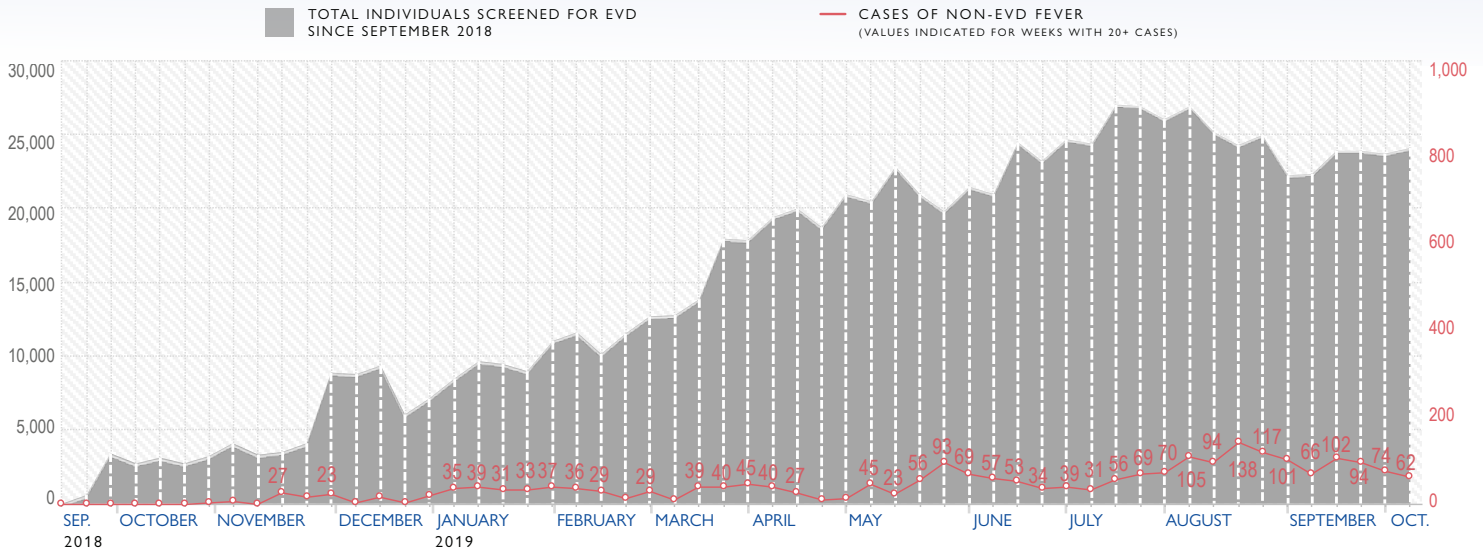


INDIVIDUALS REACHED TO-DATE WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION: **247,742**



HEALTH FACILITIES SUPPORTED THROUGH WASH ASSISTANCE: **9**

WEEKLY EVD SCREENING



HEALTH UPDATES

A total of 24,042 travelers were screened for EVD exposure and symptoms from all 15 IOM PoE EVD screening sites bringing the cumulative total screened to 873,354 inbound travelers to South Sudan. Compared to previous reporting week, week 41 recorded an increase of 836 (3.6%) in total screened.

There was a total of 62 inbound travelers who underwent secondary screening all with non-EVD fever. Of the 62 cases, 30 (48%) had their temperature return to normal after subsequent measurements in the secondary screening areas. The remaining 32 were referred for treatment at the nearby health facilities for malaria, 20 (63%) and for Respiratory Tract infection 10 (31%) while 2 (6%) were diagnosed with other conditions.

There were no alert cases reported.

WASH UPDATES

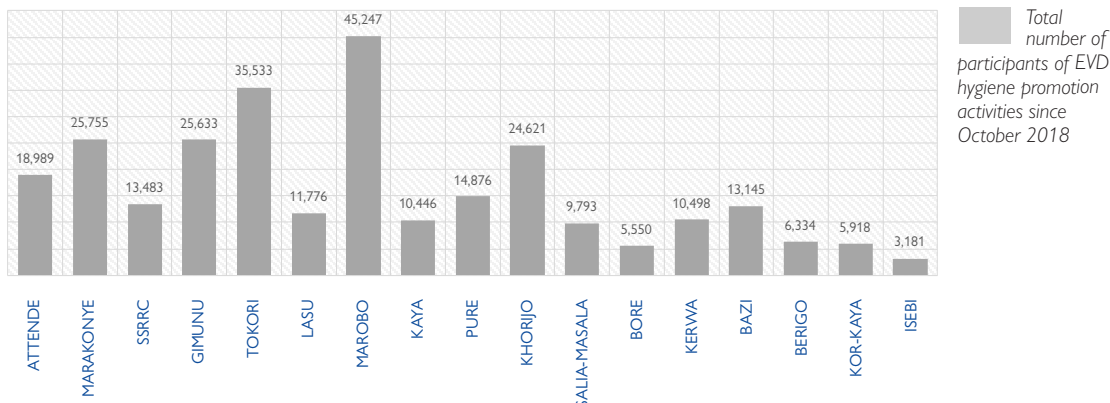
During the reporting week, IOM social mobilizers continued with EVD awareness and hygiene promotion activities to the communities in and around all the 17 locations (Yei SSRRC screening point, Pure, Morobo, Khorijo, Kaya, Gimunu, Tokori, Marakonye, Lasu, Attende, Salia-Musala, Busia (Kor-Kaya), Kerwa, Bori, Bazi, Berigo and Isebi).

Hygiene promotion sessions at schools, markets and water points, reaching approximately 4,769 individuals (1,398 Men, 1,539 Women, 990 boys, 842 girls) during this reporting week.



Training of journalists in Yei town © IOM 2019 / Mary ALAI

INDIVIDUALS REACHED WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION ACTIVITIES



DTM UPDATES

All 24 EVD-focused FMPs, including six run in cooperation with DTM Uganda, submitted data on time for the weekly update. Based on data submitted by Monday 21 October, 7,150 individuals were surveyed in groups on arrival to South Sudan during the reporting period. The main regions of departure were Koboko in Uganda (32.8% of respondents) and Ituri in DRC (23.0%), while the main reported counties of destination were Morobo (53.9%) and Juba (13.2%). Most respondents reported South Sudanese nationality (62.8%), followed by Ugandan (28.6%).

SECURITY AND ACCESS CHALLENGES

- The security situation in the proposed locations for the new PoEs at Libogo, Tore and senema still remain fragile, however the team on ground is monitoring it closely with hopes of establishing the PoE screening points at the earliest opportunity
- On 5th October, two tents at Isebi PoE were blown off by wind after pegs were removed by unknown persons. Similarly, tarpaulins on latrines were also removed

COORDINATION NOTES

- IOM facilitated an EVD training for 15 journalists from local radio stations in Yei which involved the orientation on basic facts about Ebola Virus Disease and how the journalists can report on EVD during the pre-introductory and outbreak stages while maintaining their own safety
- Participated in humanitarian risk assessment coordination meeting organized by OCHA in central Kajo Keji on 16th of October 2019
- IOM continues to actively participate in the various EVD meetings including SAG, NTF, TWGs and STF
- IOM also participate in other weekly state and county coordination meetings with OCHA, partners and other stakeholders