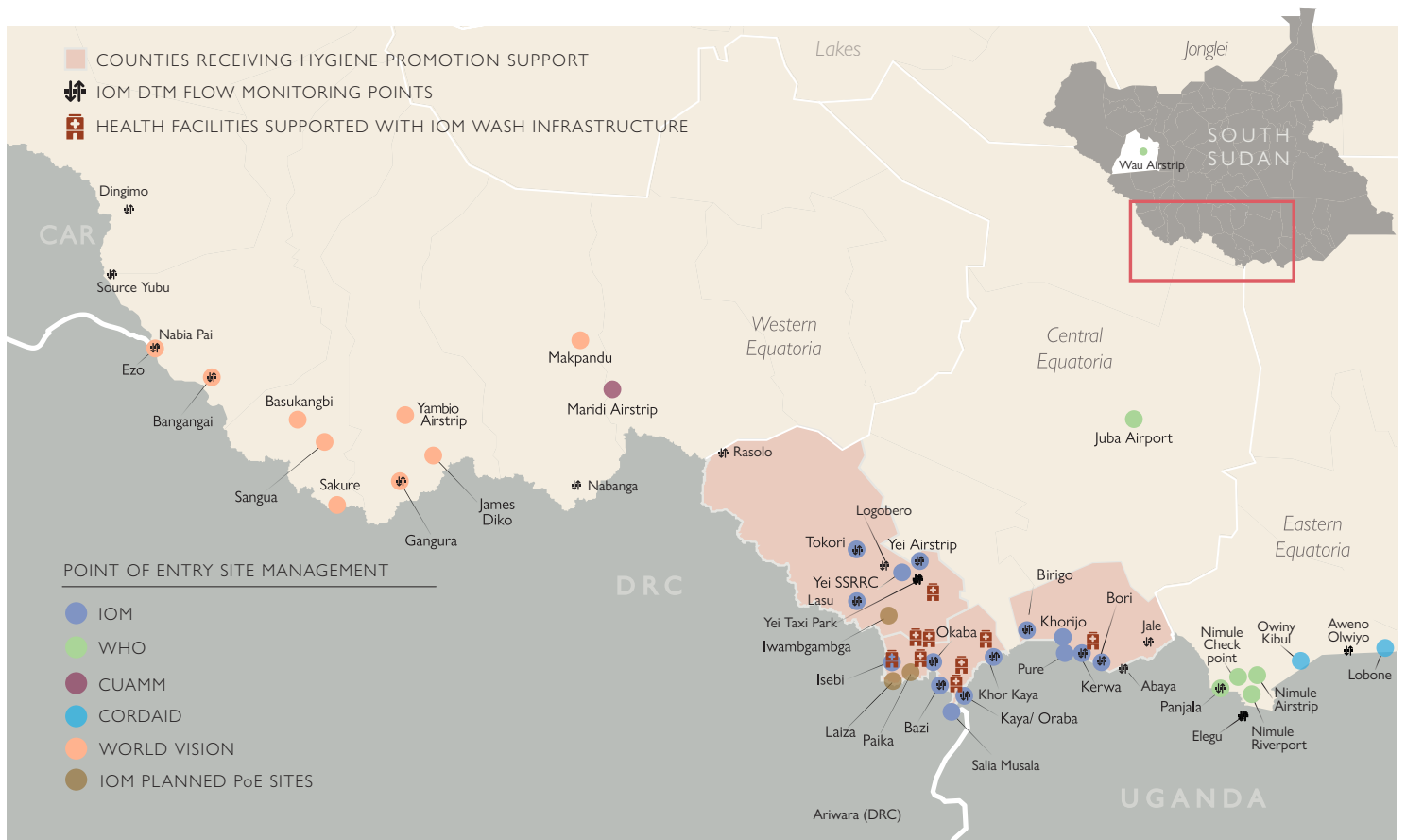




IOM SOUTH SUDAN

WEEKLY EBOLA VIRUS DISEASE PREPAREDNESS UPDATE



INDIVIDUALS SCREENED THIS WEEK PER LOCATION & CUMULATIVE SCREENINGS PER LOCATION

Location	Bazi	Birigo	Bori	Isebi	Kaya	Kerwa	Khorijo	Khor Kaya	Lasu	Okaba	Pure	Salia Musala	Tokori	Yei Airport	Yei SSRRC
Screened This Week	0*	1,222	824	0*	3,874	2,111	1,957	2,670	0*	0*	3,667	3,365	0*	24	83
Cumulative Screenings	60,253	38,827	22,693	3,946	184,084	72,255	111,914	87,412	2,417	77,891	133,780	109,971	6,242	1,222	1,894

*No report were received from Bazi, Isebi, Lasu, Okaba and Tokori this week due to ongoing insecurity

ORIGIN OF ENTRANTS TO SOUTH SUDAN

Country & Locations of Origin	Number of Individuals Surveyed This Week	Trends Compared to Previous Week
UGA Koboko	2,058	44.7% ↓
COD Ituri	614	13.3% ↓
UGA Yumbe	445	9.7% ↓
UGA Moyo	252	5.5% ↓
COD Haut-Uele	195	4.2% ↓
UGA Other	242	5.3% ↓
UGA Kampala	168	3.7% ↓
UGA Amuru	155	3.4% ↓
KEN Other	114	2.5% ↓
UGA Adjumani	115	2.5% ↓
CAF Haut-Mbomou	69	1.5% ↓
UGA Arua	95	2.1% ↓
KEN Nairobi	71	1.5% ↓
OTHER Other	9	0.2% ↓

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 4,602 entrants were surveyed. Of these, 60.9% were South Sudanese nationals; 31% were from Uganda; 2.9% from Democratic Republic of Congo, 2.3% from Kenya; and a further 2.8% were from other countries. Entrants' origin information is self-reported.

WEEKLY OVERVIEW

- Following the incident in Isebi, Morobo county on 27 October, IOM suspended all the Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) preparedness activities at five Points of Entry (PoEs) – Isebi, Okaba, Bazi, Lasu and Tokori – and operations; EVD screening, flow monitoring points, IPC/WASH activities, support to health facilities, risk communication and social mobilization
- IOM continue to support and conduct active screening in the following 10 PoEs sites:
 - Yei SSRRC and Yei Airstrip within Yei Town
 - Kaya, Salia Musala, Kor Kaya along Busia Uganda Border
 - Pure, Kerwa, Khorijo, Bori in Kajokeji and
 - Birigo in Lainya County
- DTM conducted a monitoring and evaluation mission in Gangura, south of Yambio, where enumerator performance was evaluated and necessary equipment was replenished
- IOM received the USAID monitoring and evaluation visit at six IOM operating PoEs in Morobo and Kajokeji



INDIVIDUALS SCREENED THIS WEEK: **19,797**



SUSPECTED / CONFIRMED EVD CASES: **0**



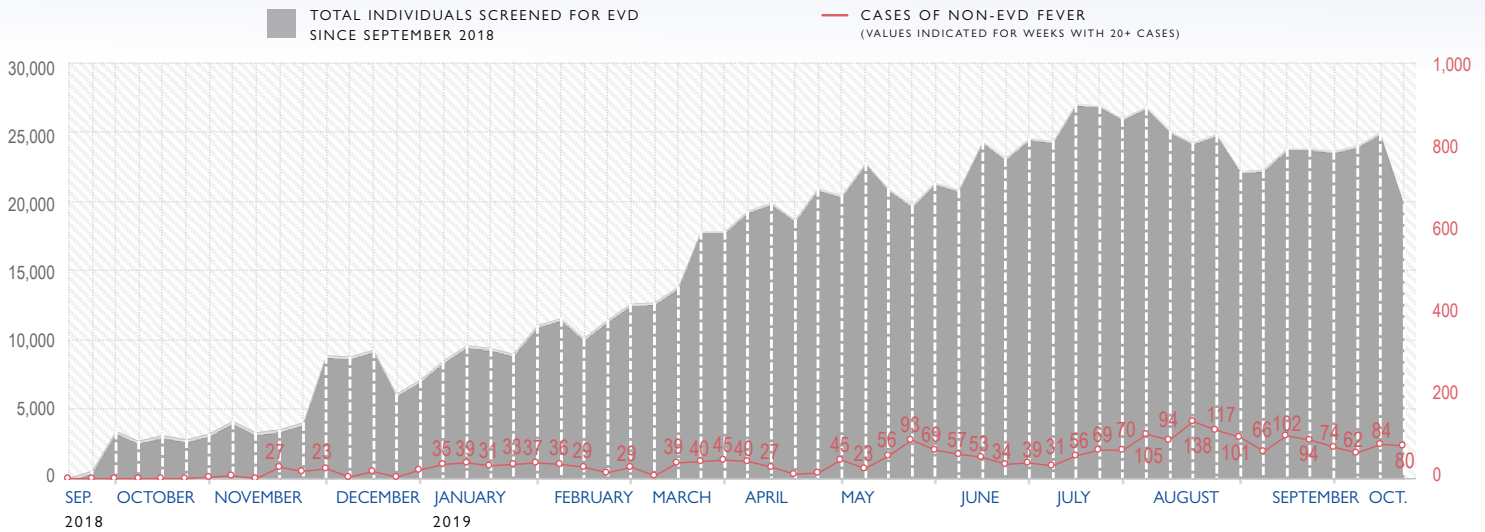
INDIVIDUALS REACHED WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION TODATE: **288,845**



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



WEEKLY SCREENING



HEALTH UPDATES

A total of 19,797 travelers were screened for EVD exposure and symptoms from 10 out of the 15 IOM PoE EVD screening sites bringing the cumulative total screened to 915,801 inbound travelers to South Sudan. Compared to previous reporting week, week 44 recorded decrease of 5,285(21%) in total screened. This is due to the suspension of screening activities at the 5 PoE locations as stated above.

There was a total of 80 inbound travelers who underwent secondary screening all with non-EVD fever. Of the 80 cases, 53 (66%) had their temperature return to normal after subsequent measurements in the secondary screening areas. The remaining 27 were referred for treatment at the nearby health facilities for malaria, 19 (70%) and for Respiratory Tract infection 4 (15%) while 1 (3.7%) were diagnosed with other conditions. There were no alert cases reported.

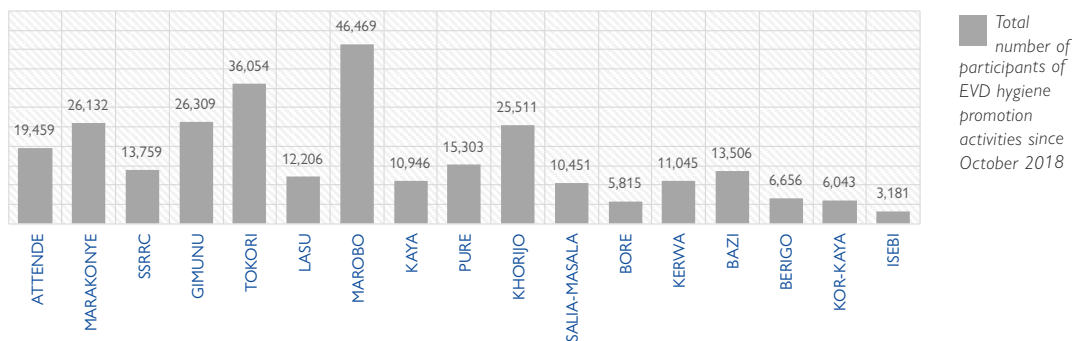


IOM South Sudan Chief of Mission meeting with EVD staff and volunteers in Yei © IOM 2019 / Lucy ACHAN

WASH UPDATES

During the reporting week, IOM continued with EVD awareness and hygiene promotion activities to the communities in and around 12 locations (Yei SSRRC screening point, Pure, Khorijo, Kaya, Gimunu, Marakonye, Attende, Salia-Musala, Busia (Kor-Kaya), Kerwa, Bori, Berigo). Hygiene promotion sessions at schools, markets and water points, reaching approximately 2,820 individuals (695 men, 944 women, 511 boys, 670 girls) during this reporting week. Hygiene promotion activities were suspended at 5 locations (Lasu, Tokori, Bazi, Okaba and Isebi), including support to Lasu PHCC, Kirikwa PHCU, Morobo PHCC, and Rhodoba PHCC due to the incident that occurred on 27 October in Isebi. Compared to last week (5,450), beneficiaries of the hygiene promotion decreased this week by 50%.

INDIVIDUALS REACHED WITH HYGIENE PROMOTION ACTIVITIES



DTM UPDATES

Twenty out of 24 FMPs (including the six operated in cooperation with DTM Uganda) submitted data for 27 October – 2 November. In one case data uploads were not possible in time and in four cases data was only partial or completely lacking due to security concerns causing a temporary halt to data collection efforts. Based on data submitted by Monday 4 November 2019, 4,602 individuals were surveyed on arrival to South Sudan during the reporting period. The main regions of departure were Koboko in Uganda (44.7% of respondents) and Ituri in DRC (13.3%), while the main reported counties of destination were Morobo (54.4%) and Juba (13.2%). Most respondents reported South Sudanese nationality (60.8%), followed by Ugandan (31.1%).

SECURITY AND ACCESS CHALLENGES

- Due to escalation of security situation in the counties of Lujulu and Otogo, IOM suspended all activities in the 5 PoEs of Isebi, Bazi, Okaba, Lasu and Tokori until further notice
- Road access to Lasu, Khorijo and Bori is being limited by worsening condition of the roads due to continuous rain. As a result, this has interrupted social mobilization activities in the community and delay in submission of reports from Lasu
- DTM discontinued flow monitoring operations temporarily at Bazi, Lasu, Okaba and Tokori FMPs due to security concerns
- Patchy mobile network coverage rendered communication challenging for certain areas
- Monitoring and Evaluation missions had to be limited due to access limitations

COORDINATION NOTES

- IOM team in Yei coordinated a visit by the IOM South Sudan chief of Mission to Yei to provide support to the team and meet the IOM staff and volunteers following the incident in Isebi
- IOM together with UNMISS and the South Sudan Ministry of Foreign Affairs conducted a two-day training of Immigration officials in Yei. IOM provide the facilitators from MMU and WASH units. The Deputy governor of Yei River State who officiated at the opening and closing of the training was grateful to the organizers and requested for support from partners to help upgrade the Airstrip in Yei to an International Airport as it is currently receiving flights from Uganda and Entebbe
- IOM continues to actively participate in the various EVD meetings including SAG, NTF, TWGs and STF and other weekly state and county coordination meetings with OCHA and other stakeholders