



UPDATE ON THE EBOLA VIRUS DISEASE IN DRC
No. 7 – 3 September 2014

1. Update

- Number of confirmed cases: 58 (+5)
 - Laboratory-confirmed cases: 13
 - Probable cases: 22 (+3)
 - Suspected cases: 23 (+2)
- Number of deaths: 31 (53.44% mortality rate), including 6 health professionals. The increase from 13 to 31 deaths can be explained by including people who had died before the outbreak of the epidemics was announced on 24 August 2014.
- Number of ill health professionals: 9
- Number of hospitalized people (in isolation): 12
 - Lokolia: 8
 - Watshikengo: 3
 - HGR Boende: 1
- Total number of contacts: 291 (+106)
- Number of contacts seen to date: 285 (+108), i.e. 96% of the total
- Number of samples analyzed: 18 (+3) out of 20 taken
- Samples resulted positive: 13
- Number of alert cases on 30 August 2014 : 1 case in Kinshasa (false alert) and 1 case in Rungu, in Haut-Uélé (Orientale Province) out of which one sample is yet to be analyzed
- 1 alert case in Kinsenso (Kinshasa) on 2 September, under investigation
- 1 alert case from Kenge in the Bandundu province on 2 September

2. Coordination

- No plan to delay the re-opening of schools, expected on 8 September in Djera and Boende
- Expected timeframe for combating the disease : 45 days (as announced by the Government)

3. Security and logistics

- Repairing of the Boende-Lokolia-Watshikengo-Mokoto road (Gouvernement)
- *See attached table*

4. Response

4.1. Ongoing

- Briefing for journalists made by the Communication Commission in Kinshasa

4.2. Planned

- Organize an inspection along the river to identify the landing sites for boats so as to allow proper screening
- Rehabilitation of the HGR Kinkole in Kinshasa to receive any possible patient detected in the capital (MSF)
- *See attached table*

5. Gaps

- Strengthen awareness-raising in Boende and Lokolia.
- Deploy an epidemiologist in Monkoto to enhance surveillance
- Transport of drilling material from Boende to Lokolia.
- *See attached table*

6. Financement

- CERF funding request ongoing

No.	ORGANISATIONS	REPONSE	QUANTITES
1	CDC Atlanta	Epidémiologistes	4
2	CICR	Cargo (fret)	
3	GOUVERNEMENT, OMS et UNICEF	Primes du personnel	Concertations entre les partenaires et budget en cours d'élaboration par le GVT
4	CRRDC	Mégaphones	10
5	ECHOFLIGHT	Cargo (fret)	
6	GOUVERNEMENT	Aménagement de la route Boende-Lokolia-Watshikengo-Mokoto	Gouvernement à travers l'Office des Routes
		Epidémiologistes	1
		Essence	3000
		Gasoil	3000
		Hors-bords	2
		Logisticiens	2
		Mégaphones	40
		Pick-up	1
		Pirogues	1
		Psychologues	2
		SAE 40	100
		Thuraya	4
		Unités pour Thuraya	1000
		Vélos	50
		VSAT	1
7	MONUSCO	Camions	2
		Camions-citernes	1
		Cargo (fret)	
		Chaises pliables	50
		Land Cruiser	2
		Lits pliables	100
		Logisticiens	1
		Pick-up	1
		Réfrigérateurs	2
		Sacs de couchage	50
		Sceaux de 50 litres	100
		Tables	10
		Tentes individuelles	25
		Eau potable	18000 litres d'eau en bouteilles
		Installation et gestion du campement	
9	MONUSCO et UNHAS	Kinshasa-Mbandaka-Boende	2 rotations/semaine
		Mbandaka-Boende	4 rotations/semaine
10	MSF	Cargo (fret)	
		Infirmiers	
		Médecins	
		Logisticiens	
		Radios	
		Véhicules	2
11	OMS	Epidémiologistes	1
		Logisticiens	1
		Motos	15
		Thuraya	2
		Vélos	50
12	PAM	Biscuits	500 kg
		Logisticiens	1
		Thuraya	2

		Vivres	18 tonnes
13	PNUD	Hors-bords	2
		VSAT	2
14	UNHAS	Cargo (fret)	
15	UNICEF	Anthropologues	1
		Bâches de 50m x 4m	100
		Began	1
		Bladders	3
		Générateurs	2
		Gilets de sauvetage	20
		Hors-bords	
		Logisticiens	1
		Mégaphones	100 avec piles
		Motos	25
		Nutrition	Disponible en cas de nécessité
		Pick-up	2
		Pirogues	2
		Sacs mortuaires	30
		Tentes	10
		Tentes individuelles	20 (+ si nécessaire)
		Thuraya	2
		Unités pour Thuraya	2000
		Vélos	50
		VSAT	1