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EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SITUATION

EVOLUTION OF THE EBOLA EPIDEMIC IN THE PROVINCES OF NORTH KIVU AND ITURI

Tuesday, July 9, 2019

The epidemiological situation of the Ebola Virus Disease dated July 8, 2019 :

- Since the beginning of the epidemic, the cumulative number of cases is **2,428** , of which 2,334 are confirmed and 94 are probable. In total, there were **1,641 deaths (1,547 confirmed and 94 probable)** and **683 people healed**.
- 322 suspected cases under investigation;
- 10 new confirmed cases, including 8 in Beni, 1 in Vuhovi and 1 in Oicha;
- 11 new confirmed case deaths:
 - 5 community deaths, including 3 Beni, 1 in Vuhovi and 1 in Oicha;
 - 6 deaths in CTE / CT, including 3 in Beni, 1 in Mabalako, 1 in Butembo and 1 in Katwa.

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| | | Cas confirmés | Cas probables | TOTAL | Cas confirmés | TOTAL | |
|-----------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------|---------------|-------|-----|
| Nord-Kivu | Alimbongo | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| | Beni | 428 | 9 | 437 | 270 | 279 | 59 |
| | Biena | 15 | 1 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 16 |
| | Butembo | 254 | 0 | 254 | 290 | 290 | 21 |
| | Goma | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| | Kalunguta | 125 | 15 | 140 | 53 | 68 | 27 |
| | Katwa | 608 | 16 | 624 | 423 | 439 | 29 |
| | Kayna | 9 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| | Kyondo | 22 | 2 | 24 | 13 | 15 | 15 |
| | Lubero | 28 | 2 | 30 | 4 | 6 | 9 |
| | Mabalako | 339 | 16 | 355 | 238 | 254 | 15 |
| | Mangurujipa | 18 | 0 | 18 | 10 | 10 | 9 |
| | Masereka | 47 | 6 | 53 | 15 | 21 | 4 |
| | Musienene | 71 | 1 | 72 | 29 | 30 | 41 |
| | Mutwanga | 10 | 0 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 19 |
| | Oicha | 43 | 0 | 43 | 22 | 22 | 11 |
| | Vuhovi | 90 | 13 | 103 | 33 | 46 | 4 |
| Ituri | Ariwara | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | Bunia | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 11 |
| | Komanda | 31 | 9 | 40 | 13 | 22 | 3 |
| | Mambasa | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Mandima | 177 | 4 | 181 | 99 | 103 | 10 |
| | Nyankunde | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| | Rwampara | 8 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| | Tchomia | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| TOTAL | | 2334 | 94 | 2428 | 1547 | 1641 | 322 |

!! \ The data presented in this table are subject to change later, after extensive investigations and after redistribution of cases and deaths in their health areas .

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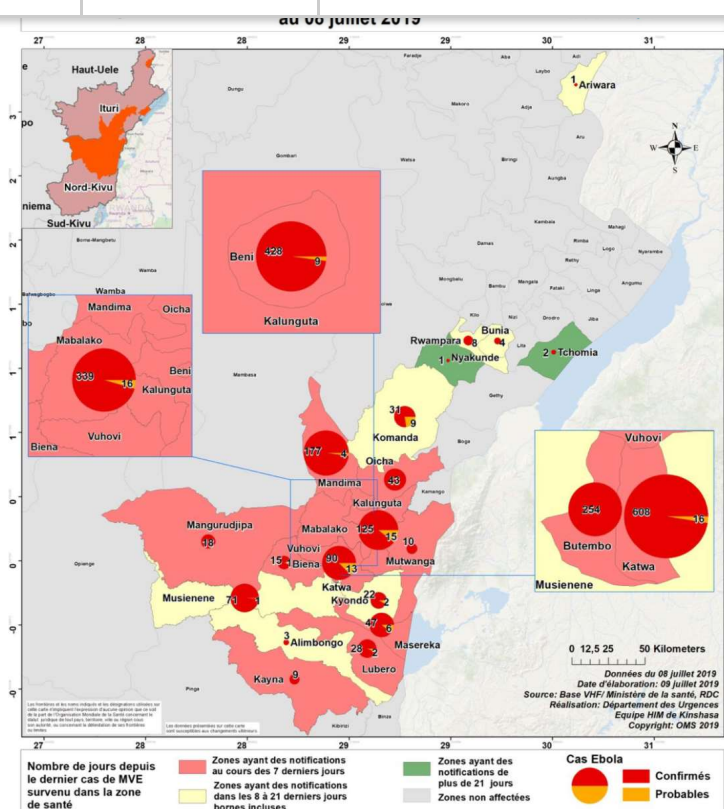
- *In order to prevent the total number of cases from varying (up or down) daily, suspect cases have been placed in a separate category. For example, suspect cases with positive laboratory tests will be added to the confirmed category, while negative ones (non-cases) will be removed from the table.*
- *Deaths occurring at the level of the CTEs are provisionally recorded in the health zones of CTE implantation pending reclassification in the health zone of case notification.*
- *The **probable case** category includes all deaths for which it was not possible to obtain biological samples for laboratory confirmation but where the investigations revealed an epidemiological link with a confirmed or probable case.*
- *A **community death** is any death occurring outside of an Ebola Treatment Center.*

Distribution of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) Cases by Health Zone in the Provinces of Ituri and North Kivu as of 8 July 2019

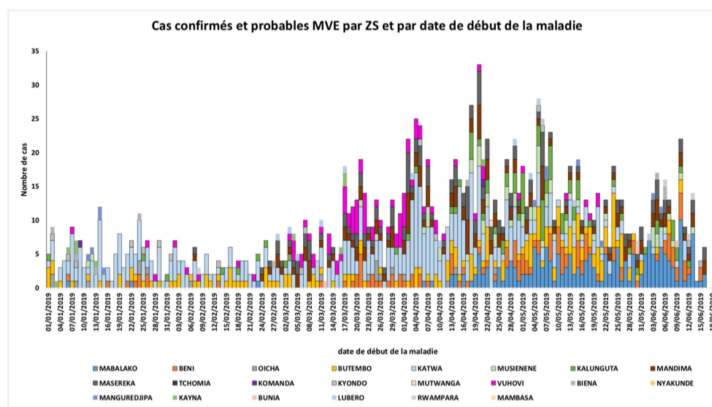
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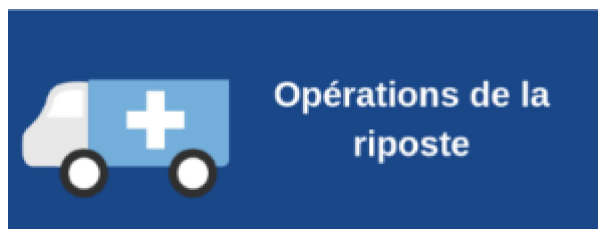
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developing signs of the disease. As a result, Ebola transmission in Kasese District was interrupted. As a reminder, the index case was a 5-year-old boy who had traveled with his mother to the burial of his grandfather who died of Ebola in Aloya, in the health zone of Mabalako.

- Uganda has strengthened its border surveillance system. Thus, all travelers coming from the DRC or having traveled to the DRC during the last 21 days must go through the sanitary control at Entebbe airport and at the various road and maritime entry points of the country.



Nothing to report

FIGURES OF THE RESPONSE



155,800
people vaccinated

- The only vaccine to be used in this outbreak is the rVSV-ZEBOV vaccine, manufactured by the pharmaceutical group Merck, following approval by the Ethics Committee in its decision of 19 May 2018.

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**POINTS DE
CONTRÔLE
SANITAIRE**

73,134,913

People under control

- 80 entry points (PoE) and operational health checkpoints (PoC).



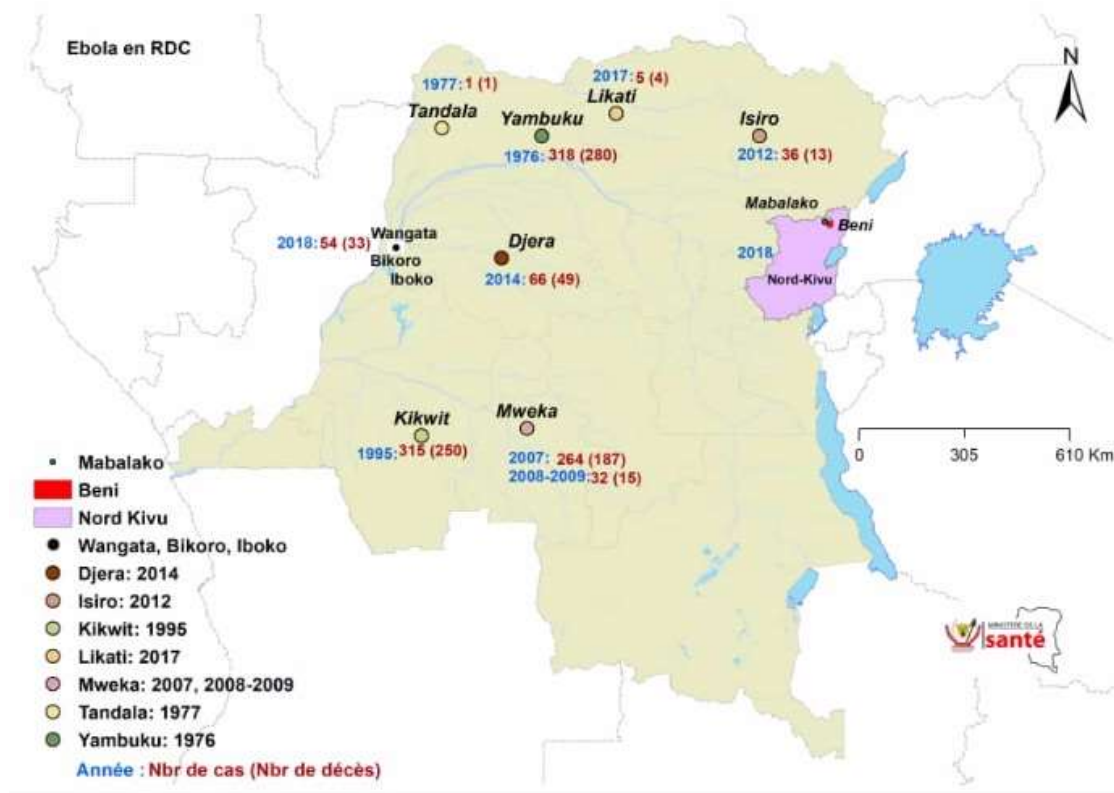
**AGENTS DE
SANTÉ
CONTAMINÉS**

128

**Contaminated health
workers**

- The cumulative number of confirmed / probable cases among health workers is 128 (5% of all confirmed / probable cases) including 40 deaths.

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