

DAY 11 UPDATES (05th June 2026)

Background

On 15 May 2026, the Uganda Ministry of Health declared an outbreak of Ebola Bundibugyo Virus Disease following the confirmation of an imported case from the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC).

Summary of epidemic situation

As of 05th June 2026, a total of 19 confirmed cases, and 1 probable death had been confirmed in Uganda (Table 1). **Three (3) persons were confirmed with EVD today; these cases include 2 DRC nationals and 1 Ugandan national.**

Table 1: Summary of EVD Outbreak Epidemiological Situation in Uganda

Indicator	Number	Comments
Newly confirmed cases in past 24 hours	03	These comprise 2 DRC nationals and 1 Ugandan
Cumulative confirmed cases	19	14 DRC nationals and 5 Ugandans
Probable cases	02	Deceased DRC National
Total deaths (confirmed cases)	01	CFR = 10.5%
Confirmed cases from DRC	14	
Confirmed cases from Uganda	05	
Health care worker infections	04	

Summary report for the Kampala Metropolitan Area Team

Records review

- A total of 298 screening records at the hospital gate were reviewed today and out of these, no one had temperature above 38 degrees Celsius or reported any fevers. None of these had travel history to DRC in the past month.
- In addition, 150 hospital electronic clinical records were reviewed for the period of April 1 to June 5, 2026 to identify patients with fevers above 38 degrees Celsius and other EVD related symptoms. None of these patients met the EVD case definition.

Challenges

- Patient temperatures were not taken/ recorded in several records.
- Limited number of the teams on the ground as the MakSPH team was withdrawn today which slowed down the review of records.
- We are unable to continue the active case search in Kisubi Hospital tomorrow as the records team does not work over the weekend.

Summary report for the Kikuube District Team

Case 15 (C015) investigation

Today, the team received information from national level that case 15 (C015; a 33-year old female from DRC who entered Uganda through Nsonga Point of Entry (PoE) on 22nd May 2026 at 18:30 hrs. Her temperature was measured twice by the screening team and it was 38.0 °C. After exiting Nsonga PoE, C015 and her mother booked a room at one of the local lodges and spent a night there. The following day, C015 and her mother travelled to Kampala City in a Taxi. While in Kampala, C015 was diagnosed with EVD.

Today the team has identified 4 new contacts associated with C015; These contacts were identified from a lodge at Nsonga A where this case spent a night. The 4 new contacts include a Lodge Manager and 3 other lodge workers. None of the 4 contacts had symptoms of EVD.

Summary of contacts

Four new contacts linked to Case 015 were identified bringing the total number of contacts to 34 as of 05 June 2026; 25 contacts (73.5%) are male. Twenty-five contacts (25) are currently under follow-up in Kikuube District of which 24 (96%) were followed-up today. No contacts developed symptoms, none were lost to follow-up, and three had completed the 21-day monitoring period (Table 1).

Table 1: Summary of contact listing and follow-up status

Indicator	Number	Comments
Total contacts listed	34	06 evacuated to Kampala
Gender:		
Male	25	
Female	09	
Contacts under follow-up in Kikuube District	25	
Contacts followed up today	24 (96%)	
Contacts who developed symptoms	00	None
Contacts lost to follow-up	00	None
New contacts listed today	04	These are associated with C015
Contacts who have completed 21-day follow-up	03	None

Contact follow-up: The team continued to provide supervisory and technical support to the village health teams (VHTs) who are currently monitoring 25 contacts within the community in Kikuube District. Today, the team followed- up 24 (96%) out of 25 contacts in Kikuube District; four (4) were on day 13, twelve (12) were on day 15, and nine (9) were on day 21 (Table 2).

Table 2: Summary of contact by day of follow-up

Day of follow-up	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Number of contacts	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	00	04	00	12	00	00	00	00	00	09

Records review in Kikuube District

Today, the team conducted active case search at Buhuka HCIII and at two the private health facilities at the Nsonga POE in Kikuube District. A total of 67 medical records were reviewed at the 3 health facilities of which 44 (65.7%) were female. There were no suspected EVD cases identified.

Challenges

- Lack of medical records and documentation of clinical presentation of patients at one health facility at Nsonga A PoE which made active case search difficult.
- Lack of documentation of guests at the lodge where C015 spent a night.

Next steps

- To continue with active case search within facilities in Kyangwali Refugee Settlement (Kikuube District).