

### AFRICA CDC WEEKLY BRIEF

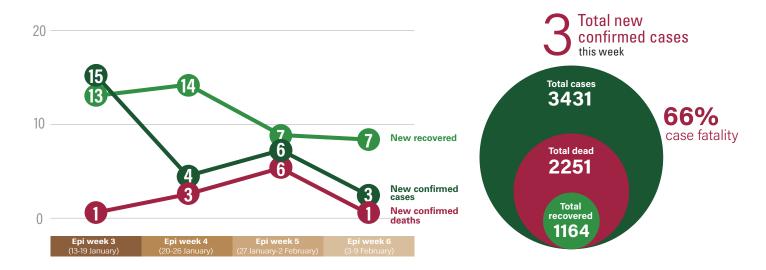


# Ebola Virus Disease Outbreak in the Democratic Republic of Congo

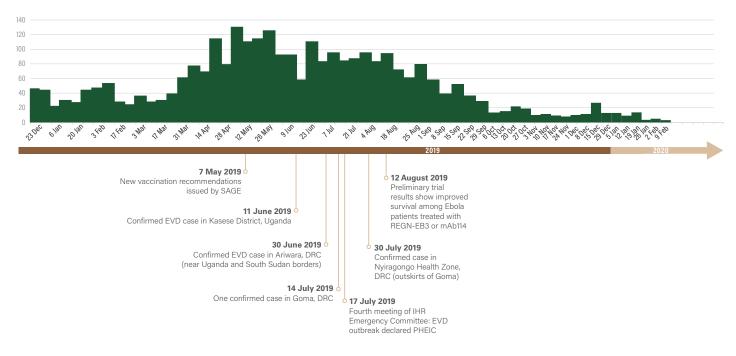
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#### 1. Ebola virus disease outbreak overview



## 2. Epidemic curve for confirmed and probable cases by date of onset 10th Ebola outbreak, DRC, 2018–2019



IHR = International Health Regulations; SAGE = Strategic Advisory Group of Experts; PHEIC = Public Health Emergency of International Concern.

### 3. Affected areas **South Sudan** lturi . **North Kivu** Rwanda **Democratic Republic** of Congo Burundi South Kivu

### 5. Update on deployment of Africa CDC experts by site

- The Regional Collaborating Centres continued to support information sharing and preparedness by Member States in the Central, Eastern and Southern Africa regions.
- Africa CDC experts supported tracing of 1050 contacts and investigation of 459 alerts, including active casefinding for 416 suspected cases.
- · Africa CDC teams visited 8 health care facilities and trained 14 health care workers in infection prevention and risk communication. They accompanied 5 health care workers to ensure compliance with infection prevention measures.
- Africa CDC-supported laboratories received and tested 270 samples.
- There were reports of security incidences in Makeke and along Mangina-Beni road resulting the the abduction and release of some people and the death of seven people. As a result laboratories in those areas were closed and their samples sent to other laboratories.

### 4. Africa CDC response activities this week



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