**EVD TASKFORCE MEETING**

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<td>Strengthen Multi-Sectoral Preparedness for EVD</td>
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<td>16th October 2018</td>
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<td>Hon Minister of Health</td>
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<td>Malick Gai, Lisa Carter, Ifeanyi Udenweze</td>
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<td>MoH, WHO, UNICEF, USAID, UNHCR, WFP, CDC, SSRC, DFID, World Bank, MSF-S, WVSS, UNMISS, UNOCHA, IOM, SCI, HC, SPLA, CUAMM, ECHO, MEDAIR</td>
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**Agenda:**
- Self-Introduction and Communication from the Chair – Hon Minister for Health
- Review of action points from previous meeting
- Update on EVD outbreak situation in DRC
- Updates on preparedness status in South Sudan
- Way forward

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• UNMISS to follow-up on movement of UN staff in and out of DRC - UNMISS  
• MoH to appoint Principal Investigator for EBZ vaccination processes - MoH  
• Vaccine & Therapeutic TWG to meet for further discussion on vaccine timelines/protocol - V-TWG  
• Follow-up on airlines that do not distribute border entry forms to passengers - MoH  
• Follow-up on adequate screening and documentation at Juba International Airport - BH & PoE TWG  
• HC to map frontline health workers for EBZ vaccination in Nimule, Yambio and Ye-HC  
• MoH to develop a letter for the tent distribution – MoH  
• Follow-up on RRT training in Rumbek-WHO |
| - Expand the selection criteria for identifying teams for SDB – Done, training on-going  
- Build the capacity of State RRTs to be able to respond to alerts - States’ RRT training on-going.  
- Secretariat to identify national focal persons to give updates from the State Task Force meetings – Secretariat – 4 persons identified |
| - Matthew Tut ([tut1988@yahoo.com](mailto:tut1988@yahoo.com), 0922202028, 0916010382) MoH  
- Malick Gai ([gaim@who.int](mailto:gaim@who.int), 0921647852, 0916664265) WHO  
- Ifeanyi Udenweze ([ifeanyiudenweze@yahoo.com](mailto:ifeanyiudenweze@yahoo.com), 0924599692) WHO |
| - HC to give timeline of the phase one isolation centers – Not done, HC to discuss NTF during the next meeting  
- Vaccine TWG to give timelines for the implementation of the EVD vaccination of frontline health workers – On-going  
- Laboratory TWG to revisit the list of required items in the laboratory – Done, procurement in-process by WHO. |
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### Way Forward

- **Update on EVD preparedness in South Sudan 20/09/18.** *(For more info, refer to the ppt. presentation)*
- **Update by WHO on alert from Rumbek**
- **Update on Gumbo alert**
  Update on the Rumbek response to the EVD alert.

**CDC Update:**

- Training of PHEOC management ongoing

**4. Way Forward**

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- **IDSR and RRT trainings have been scheduled as follows:**
  - Yei: 16th - 26th Oct: RRT & IDSR back to back. Ongoing
  - Juba: 22nd - 26th Oct NRRT
  - Wau: 22nd - 26th Oct & 29th Oct - 2nd Nov IDSR & RRT back to back
  - Bor: 22nd - 26th Oct & 29th Oct - 2nd Nov IDSR & RRT back to back
  - Malakal: 22nd - 26th Oct & 29th Oct - 2nd Nov IDSR & RRT back to back
  - Torit: 24th - 28th Oct & 3rd - 7th Nov IDSR & RRT back to back
  - Yambio: 22nd - 26th Oct & 29th Oct - 2nd Nov IDSR & RRT

- **The next meeting will be on Tuesday 23rd October, 2018 at the PHEOC.**