Kampala Cholera Situation Report

Date: Monday 28th January, 2019

1. Summary Statistics

No	Summary of cases	Total Number
	Total Cholera suspects- Cummulative since start of outbreak on 2nd January 2019	43 ^{#1}
1	New case(s) suspected	00
1	New cases(s) confirmed	00
2	cummulative confirmed cases	18
	New Deaths	00
3	New deaths in Suspected	00
3 4	New deaths in Confirmed	00
5	Cumulative cases (Suspected & confirmed cases)	43
5 6	Cumulative cases (Suspected & confirmed cases)	43
0	Health Facilities	00
	Community	02
7	Total number of cases on admission	01
8	Cummulative cases discharged	34
9	Cummulative Runaways from isolation (CTC)	06 #2
10	Number of contacts listed	88
11	Total contacts that completed 9 day follow-up	
12	Contacts under follow-up	77
13	Total number of contacts followed up today	11
14	Current admissions of Health Care Workers	00
13	Cummulative cases of Health Care Workers	00
14	Cummulative deaths of Health Care Workers	00
15	Specimens collected and sent to CPHL today	00
16	Cumulative specimens collected	31
17	Cummulative cases with lab. confirmation (acute)	00
	Cummulative cases with lab. confirmation (convalescent)	18
18	Date of admission of last confirmed case	14/01/2019
19	Date of discharge of last confirmed case	20/01/2019
20	Confirmed cases that have died	1 (Died from the community)

^{#1} The identified areas are Naguru - Kasende Nakawa, Kasanga Makindye, Kalambi Bulaga Wakiso, Banda Zone B3, Luzira Kamwanyi, Ndeba-Kironde, Katagwe Kamila Subconty Luwero District, Kisenyi Zone in Central Division, Lusaka Zone, Bukasa and Namuwongo in Mankidye, Mulimira – Bukoto and Mbuya Zone5 in Nakawa, Kireka B and Namboole Kito in Kiira Municipality Wakiso District, kabowa in Lubaga

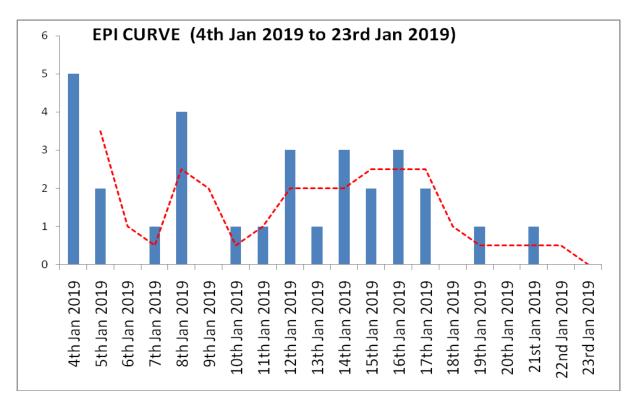
^{#2} Five from CTC and 1 from the community on referral, went to bury dead husband instead

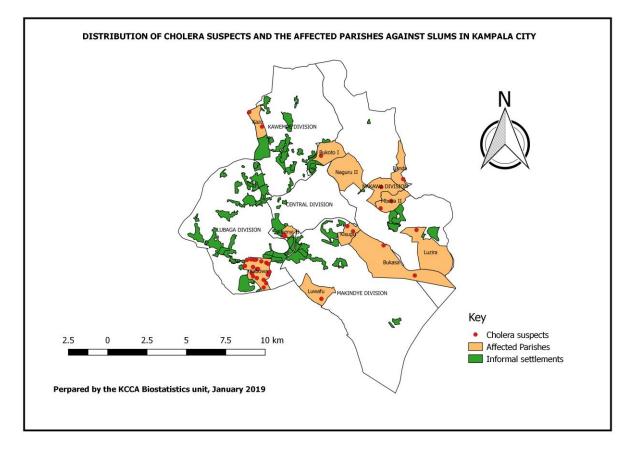
Summary: As of Monday 28th January 2019, there is no new admission at the isolation unit.

Currently there is one person still admitted at the isolation unit in Naguru Hospital scheduled to

be discharged tomorrow.

The Epi curve below shows a decline in the number of suspected cholera cases as response efforts are intensified and sustained.





2. Highlight of Interventions carried out throughout the outbreak

Area	Activity	Status	Responsible person
ordinat ion	 The state minister of health for primary health care Hon Dr. Joyce Moriku Kaducu released a press statement on 25th Jan 2019 to update the public on the Cholera outbreak in Kampala capital city. 	Completed	МоН
	 KCCA team attended the NTF meeting today Wednesday 24th January 2019. NFT has taken up cholera response as a National response to support efforts of KCCA. One of the action points at the meeting was that partners were requested to support the approved KCCA Cholera response plan and budget. 		EPI/ Surveillance Focal Person
	• Makindye team formed a rapid response team. A mini work plan for 6 six weeks was drafted.		Makindye team
	 A cholera stake holders meeting was held on Tuesday 22nd January 2019 at KCCA Mayor's palour and the following action points were made: The approved cholera response budget shared with all partners Red Cross committed to deliver IEC materials to division offices. Water Aid pledged to support media engagements, community dialogues, and house to house sensitizations. 		EPI/ Surveillance Focal Person

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	 AMREF will continue to support Kawempe division and is planning to expand its scope of work to other divisions. Uniformed forces have often been neglected and have 		
	 requested to be included in Cholera prevention efforts. Continuous engagement with NWSC for provision of clean safe water to the population. Setting up sanitation user committees in all divisions. 	On going	
	 Engagement of landlords to take lead in ownership and emptying of public toilets built on their land CHT meeting chaired by the manager medical services is held every Friday where status of cholera outbreak and 	Completed	СНТ
	 response is discussed. Rubaga team held an emergency council meeting on 16th Jan 2019 to discuss Cholera interventions in the Division. 		Lubaga Team
	 A Cholera Rapid Response Committee meeting chaired by the Manager Medical Services was held today, 15th Jan 	On going	Manager Medical Services
	 2019. A Kampala Capital city special council meeting was called to discuss the cholera outbreak in the city. It comprised of all 	On going	Lord Mayor-KCCA
	the political stakeholders at City and Division Mayors, RCC and Technical teamCholera co-ordination team comprising of both technical	0.1.80.1.8	EPI/ Surveillance Focal Person
	 and political persons is functional. The Cholera Rapid Response team comprised of technical 		
	personnel (Extended DHT and representation from other KCCA directorates) in place		
Medica I logistic	 MSF delivered 50 addition discharge kits (Buckets, mugs, bar soap, bathing soap and aqua tabs) to KCCA for distribution to cholera hit families. 	Completed	Medical Logistics Officer-KCCA
S	 The KCCA medical logistics team distributed aqua tabs to division offices for redistribution to the community ie for Kawempe Division are at Komaboga HCIII, Nakawa Division at Kiswa HCIII and Makindye Division at Kisugu HCIII. 	Completed Awaiting Delivery	Medical Logistics Officer-KCCA
	 UNICEF delivered the cholera kit and aqua tabs. MSF delivered 50 discharge/Hygiene kits for the clients worth 3,855,850 Ugandan shillings 		NMS
	 Emergency orders for erythromycin tabs were placed to NMS 		
Social mobilis ation	• Kawempe Team carried out sensitization of market vendors and food handlers on prevention and control of cholera in Bwaise 1 and kazoo Angola markets.	Completed	Kawempe Team
	Community bazaar held in Kibuye, Makidye Division.		Makindye Division
	 Central division team held clean ups in Mengo parish. Kawempe team held clean ups in Kikuubo Kanyanya and Kiwonvu Mulago 1 Parish. 		Central Division Team

 Kawempe team held a radio talk show on Cholera at DIGIDA studios. 		Kawempe team
 Kawempe team held door to door sensitization on cholera at quarter's zone. 	Scheduled	
• Sentization meetings in the community were integrated with HCT services in Kiggundu Zone, Kawempe Division.		
 Kawempe team sensitized people in Kiggundu zone and Kifumbira about prevention of cholera. 		Kawampa Taam
 Senstization meeting was held at Tebaleka Zone in Makindye Division. 		Kawempe Team
• The Hon. State Minister for Health - Primary Health Care (Hon.Dr. Joyce Moriku Kaducu) together with the Division team of Nakawa (Town clerk, Chairman PH, RCC, Councillors and other leaders had 3 sensitization talks in Mbuya parish.		Makindye Team
• Community sensitization meeting was held today on 15th Jan 2019 at Kabowa Church of Uganda Primary School; in		Nakawa Team
key attendance were the Mayor and the Deputy Director KCCA DPHE Dr. Najib L. Some of the issues discussed include poor leadership in the parish evidenced by the poor sanitation and dirty environment of the parish.		Lubaga Division Team
 The leadership of the area agreed to: Sensitize and enforce landlords to have and maintain good toilets. 	Completed	
 Organise future meeting with the community members to discuss sanitation, state of toilets and garbage collection. 	Completed	Kabowa parish Leadership
 Identify landlords without toilets and those with toilets but in sorry conditions or those that do not want to empty their toilets. 		DMO Makindye
 The community was cautioned to be proactive in emptying their toilets but not to always wait for KCCA to do so. 	Completed	
 Sensitization meeting was held with community leaders of Katwe Mankidye Division where the DMO shared the signs and symptoms of cholera and actions to be taken. She also cautioned the leaders on cleanliness of the environment. 	On going	Division Medical Officers
 KCCA councillors were engaged on cholera management at the Division level Uganda Red Cross and UNICEF delivered IEC materials to KCCA 		
 IEC materials distributed to the affected communities and health facilities. 		Division teams

Faecal sludge	• Kawempe team emptied 2 latrines in Corner Zone Mulago financed by the FSMP.	Completed	Kawempe Team
manag ement	• Emptying full public toilets in 4 zones in Makindye Division. 10 public toilets have so far been emptied, 17 more are on plan.	On going	Water for people project.
	 Central division are enforcing the the Public Health Act in Mengo parish to ensure land loads empty their toilets. Emptying full public toilets in 3 zones in Makindye Division 		Central Division team.
	starting with Tebaleka zoneKawempe team identified households without or with full	Completed	Makidye division, KFSM project,
	toilets today in Kifumbira, 9 households were identified with full toilets.Faecal Sludge management project are conducting door to		weyonje.
	door engagements sensitizing the community on hygiene and toilet emptying and advise the landlords to use the	On going	Kawempe Team
	KCCA call centre to call for a service. The call centre helps them negotiate the costs. Call centre no is 0800990000. The community activation teams are in Makindye and central division and soon other divisions will be enrolled.	Completed	BMG-KCCA Manager
	 A faecal sludge/ sanitation meeting was held today 15th Jan 2019 in Makindye and action points to improve hygiene and sanitation for the Makindye community starting with Cholera stricken areas were made. The RMC KCCA preject provided a total of 100 trins in the start of the s	On going	DMO Makindye
	 The BMG-KCCA project provided a total of 100 trips in the affected parishes amounting to 12M UGX. 51 full toilets were identified in Kabowa and four cesspool 	Completed	BMG-KCCA Manager
	emptying trips carried out in Sembuule B and a total of 9 toilets were emptied on 14 th Jan 2019.	Completed	& Head, KCCA Sanitation team
	 A total of 47 toilets have been emptied in Kabowa parish to date. The cess pool trucks have made 18 trips in the affected 	Completed	Lubaga Team
	areas of Kabowa to date.		
	 Engaged LCs and VHTs in the affected areas to identify households with poor faecal sludge disposal practices who are later sensitised 	On going	Lubaga Team
WASH	• Kawempe team carried out a clean-up in Butakabukirwa in Mulago where residents were mobilised to clean toilets,	Completed	Kawempe team.
	sweep their compounds and directed to take the refuse to		
	collection sites awaiting KCCA Trucks for disposal.		Joint team from Kawempe and city
	Kawempe team and city hall team carried out a joint		hall.
	operation on Kalwere market where they impounded fruits		
	and vegetables that were being sold in unhygienic conditions which is a risk factor for Cholera.	Ongoing	Kawempe Team

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	• Kawempe team enforced a ban on the sale of locally packed		
	juice and drinking water and fruits in Kifumbira.		Manager Public
	KCCA Team engaged NWSC to priotize installation of stand		Health Committee
	• KCCA ream engaged NWSC to priotize installation of stand pipes in the hot spots.	On going	and Urban poor
	pipes in the not spots.		NWSC
	KCCA engaged BMG-KCCA project to facilitate 20 officers		
	per division who will raise awareness on Hand washing for		BMG-KCCA Manager
	10 days.		
	• Division teams are enforcing the ban on the sale of cold		
	food and loosely packed water		Division Teams
		On going	
	 Makindye Division office agreed to enforce the public 		
	health act about the recommended toilets in a given		DMO Mankindye
	community, their management, emptying which will be		
	followed by sanctions, penalties and imprisonment in case	Completed	
	of defaulters.		Division Medical
			Officers
	 Distribution of Cholera discharge kits and aqua tabs in the 	Completed	
	affected communities under way.		
	• Identification of hot spots where the stand pipes will be		Division Medical
	erected in the affected areas was done.	Ongoing	Officers
	 Contaminated water sources (wells and springs) in the 	0 0	
	affected areas have been identified		
	• Under the SCAP100 project, NWSC is to install 700 pre-		Division Medical
	paid water points in Kampala. The users will pay 75 UGX.		Officers
	per jerry can. (25 for maintenance and 50 for profit).		
	Initially, 300 Water points are being installed this month		Kampala RCC
Solid	Clean ups conducted in Bukesa Parish, Central Division.	Completed	Central Division.
wasta	 Clean ups conducted in Kiganda Zone, Kisenyi II in central 		
	division.		
	Clean ups conducted in Kiganda and Ssebagala Zones in		
	Kawempe Division.		Kawempe Division
	• Door to door sensitizations and clean ups held in Lufula		
	and Nakamiro Zones, Bwaise II, Kawempe Division.		
	• Sensitization and clean up held in Kagugube parish, Central		
	Division.		Central Division
	Clean up was carried out in Kakungulu zone in Kawempe		
	Division.	On going	Kawempe Division
	• Desilting and clearing of channels during a cleanup in Kazo		
	Angola was done.	Completed	
	• Night operations against illegal dumping and arrest of	compicted	Makindye Team
	culprits on going in Makindye division.		,
	• Clean ups conducted in Waswa Zone, Vox Lounge carried out massive clean-up in Kibuye 1 Makidye Division.		Vox Lounge
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	Clean ups conducted in Kiggundu zone and Kifumbira Zone Kawempe Division	Completed	Kawempe Division Team
	 3 clean ups were conducted in Mbuya parish Nakawa Division. Makindye team is designing a program for community 	Completed	Nakawa Team
	sensitization and clean-up which is funded by the KFSM project. Massive community clean up exercise have been scheduled in the zones of Yoka, Kanyogoga and Tibaleka starting on Wednesday 16 th January 2019.	On going	DMO Mankindye
	Clean up and sanitation awareness held in Kiti Zone, Kisenyi 3 Central Division.		DMO Central
	 Clean up carried out in Kisenyi Luzira Nakawa Division Clean ups scheduled for Banda B3 and Mulimira Nakawa Division on Wednesday and Thursday respectively. 	Completed	DMO Nakawa
	Clean up carried out in Nsike Zone Kabowa		
	• 2 Clean ups were conducted in Kabowa areas. (1 clean up with Mayor, 1 clean up with Minister of health) in Kabowa	Completed	DMO Lubaga
	• The garbage collection trucks have made 20 trips in Kaboowa and 195.8 tons of solid waste was transported to Kiteezi landfill	on going	DMO Mankindye.
	• A clean up exercise and back log clearance was undertaken at Kasanvu refuse banker (Makindye Division) which is a	ongoing	
	 high risk area. Clean ups to be are undertaken at Bukasa parish (Tebandele, Kanyogoga) on 14th/01/2019 	On going	DMO Kawempe
	 De-silting of Primary, tertiary and secondary drainages/channels in the affected areas is intensified. Garbage collection in all the divisions is intensified. 		Head, KCCA Solid waste team
Emerg ency respon se	 A stand by ambulance is in place to transport suspected cases from the communities and health facilities to the isolation camp. 	Ongoing	
Micro planni	The KCCA Cholera response plan and budget was approved.	Completed	EPI/ Surveillance Focal Person
ng	 Kawempe team developed the division cholera response plan with detailed activities. Makindye team developed a six weeks emergency response 	Completed	Kawempe team
	plan with detailed activities.		Makidye Team
Case manag	 Follow up of discharged clients done in Nakawa division. Discharged clients from the isolation unit are given Aqua 	On going	Nakawa Team
ement	tabs by the KCCA Team.The two patients who were admitted at Lubaga have been followed up and were discharged.	Completed	DMO Lubaga
	• A Cholera isolation camp currently functional at Naguru Regional Referral Hospital for case management; 1 case Admission.	Ongoing	Naguru Hospital medical team
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	• The Hon. State Minister for Health - Primary Health Care (Hon.Dr.Joyce Moriku Kaducu) visited the Cholera isolation camp at Naguru Hospital on 14 th Jan 2019 together with KCCA team.	Completed	MOH & KCCA
Active Case finding	 A total of 84 contacts have been traced and followed. 7 contacts from Kasanga have been line listed and under follow up. 	On going On going	Division Medical Officers Makidye Team
Surveill ance	• KCCA is engaging key partners (CDC, MoH, WHO) to conduct a survey/ research to identify the risk factors of cholera in the capital city and also highlight the potential hot spots. This will help establish appropriate long term control measures.	On going	EPI/ Surveillance Focal Person

SUPPORT REQUIRED

- Vehicles to aid transportation of the division response teams in the respective divisions.
- Facilitation for the response teams in the affected communities
- Linkage of surveillance officers with index cases for follow up is a challenge.

Mid –Long Term SUPPORT REQUIRED

- Increase efficiency of solid waste collection-KCCA & Community
- Improve excreta disposal/ faecal management/WASH- Community, Landlords, KCCA, Partners
- Improve the drainage systems-KCCA/ Community
- Improve access routes to toilet facilities especially for emptying purposes by the cess pool trucks- Community

Annex 1: Case definitions for cholera

1. Community case definition: Any person with lots of watery diarrhoea in an area where an

outbreak has been declared

- 2. Suspected case: Any person age 2 years or more with acute watery diarrhoea.
- **3. Confirmed cholera case:** A suspected case in which Vibrio cholerae serogroup O1 or O139

has been isolated in the stool.



 Table 2: Cholera Outbreak Situation pictorial – 27th January 2019

Clean ups in Bukesa Parish Central Division







Clean ups in Kiganda and Ssebagala Zones in Kawempe Division



Clean ups in Kiganda Zone, Kisenyi II Central Division