

Emergency Preparedness and Response Weekly Situation Report

Week 22: 31st to 7th June 2026

Data as reported by: 1700 hrs (EAT), 7th June 2026

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New Events

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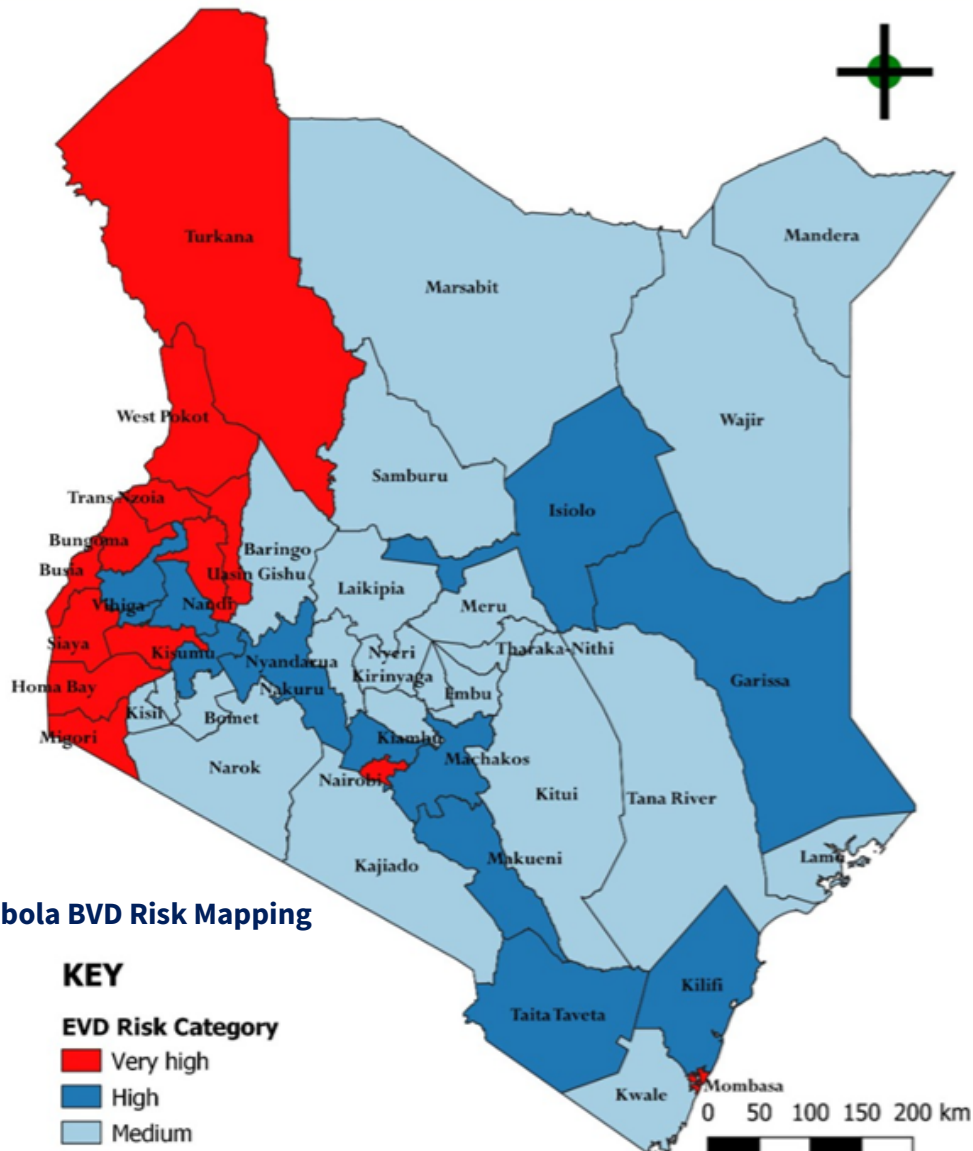
Ongoing Events

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Outbreaks

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Humanitarian Crisis



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Grade 3

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Ungraded

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Protracted G1

Overview of the Current Health Emergencies in Kenya 2026

Kenya is dealing with several public health emergencies: a prolonged Grade 2 Mpox emergency, measles in three counties, severe food insecurity in nine arid counties, cholera and dengue fever in Garissa, and a cross-border threat from a Ebola virus disease (Bundibugyo virus) outbreak in Congo and Uganda

Summary of active health emergencies in the country

Event	Total Cases	Cases Confirmed	Deaths	Case Fatality Rate	Case Contacts	Counties/ Countries	Start of Reporting Period	Grade	
Mpox	1,141	1,141	19	1.7%	1,376	39	31 July 2024	Grade 2 Protracted	Ongoing

Twelve new cases reported in the past week from Nairobi (7), Embu (3) and Murang'a (2). In 2026, 192 cases reported from eighteen counties. Total cumulative cases: 1,141. Active cases: 23. Recovered cases: 1,099.

Cholera	32	1(Culture) + 13 (RDT)	0	0%	N/A	1	13 May 2026	Grade 3 Protracted	Ongoing
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Ten new cases reported in Dagahaley Refugee Camp, Dadaab Sub-county, Garissa County. One culture-confirmed case, 13 Rapid diagnostic test -positive cases. No deaths. Four cases remain admitted. Most recent case reported on 5th June 2026.

Measles	445	66	0	0%	N/A	3	Nov 2025	Ungraded	Ongoing
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No new cases reported in the past week. Cumulative total remains 445 (66 confirmed). Outbreak active in three counties: Garissa (Dadaab), Wajir (Wajir North) and Mandera (Mandera South).

Dengue Fever	1,269	52 (PCR)	5- Suspected	N/A	N/A	1	Jan 2026	Ungraded	Ongoing
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Twelve new cases reported in the past week from Garissa Township. 52 of 81 samples polymerase chain reaction-confirmed (64.2% positivity).

Drought	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	9	2025	Grade 2	Ongoing
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3.7 million people are facing acute food insecurity (IPC Phase 3 or above) across 23 ASAL counties, including 545,000 in Emergency (Phase 4). Reduced humanitarian aid, poor rainfall and high food prices are the primary drivers.

PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY OF CONCERN

A. Bundibugyo Virus Disease (BVD) – DRC and Uganda Updates

Data source: Ministry of Health Uganda | Ministry of Health DRC

- Ebola Virus Disease caused by Bundibugyo virus in the Democratic Republic of Congo and Uganda WHO PHEIC declared on 16th May 2026
- Public Health Emergency of International Concern
- Africa CDC subsequently declared Public Health Emergency of Continental Security\
- Kenya National Public Health Insitute is designated to lead the Ebola BVD preparedness and response

Data as of 6th June 2026

Indicator	DRC	Uganda
Cumulative Confirmed Cases	515	19
Active Confirmed Cases	284	—
Recovered	12	—
Confirmed Deaths	91 (Case fatality rate 17.7%)	3
Suspected Cases under Investigation	117	—
HCW Infections	19	5
Contact Follow-up Rate	50.3%	90%

Kenya Ebola BVD Risk Mapping

Data source: Ministry of Health Kenya

- **Very High Risk:** Counties sharing a border with Uganda and South Sudan, or serving as international travel hubs (including Nairobi)
- **High Risk:** Counties with significant population movement through Points of Entry (land borders and airports)
- **Medium Risk:** Counties near high-risk counties with potential spillover due to cross-county interaction

Kenya Preparedness and Readiness Actions

Surveillance and Data Management

- Sensitisation sessions have been conducted for over 1,000 health workers via the ECHO platform hosted by KNPHI.
- A total of 1,069 national and county healthcare workers have been sensitised on EVD on the ECHO virtual platform
- High-risk counties supported and guided to identify, assess, and operationalise isolation facilities and holding areas
- Distributed surveillance case definitions and community lay case definitions to sub-national level
- Enhanced surveillance for EVD in health facilities and communities, including rapid detection, reporting, and isolation protocols

Points Of Entrys

- As of 6th June, over 88,207 travellers have been screened for EVD across 26 points of entry, including 741 conveyances (15 aircraft)

Rapid Response Teams

- National rapid response team mobilized and maintained on 24-hour standby for rapid deployment
- Counties requested to activate their RRT
- A total of 118 surge capacities have been mapped and are on standby

Alerts as of 6th June 2026

- A total of 36 alerts were investigated in the past week, bringing the cumulative number to 61
- All investigated alerts have tested negative

County	Total samples	Negative	Positive	Pending results
Nairobi	45	45	0	0
Uasin Gishu	5	5	0	0
Kiambu	2	2	0	0
Kisumu	2	2	0	0
Busia	2	2	0	0
Nyamira	1	1	0	0
Nyeri	1	1	0	0
Nakuru	1	1	0	0
West Pokot	1	1	0	0
Bungoma	1	1	0	0
Total	61	61	0	0

Case management and IPC

- Weekly pillar meetings (Case Management (CM), Infection Prevention and Control (IPC), Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), and Safe and Dignified Burials (SDB)) are ongoing every Thursday
- Assessment of Ebola Treatment Centers/Units (ETCs/ETUs) is scheduled to commence on 9 June 2026, with teams deployed to various counties to conduct the assessments
- Virtual trainings are underway, and training materials have been reviewed
- Case Management and Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) physical training sessions are planned for the coming week
- The Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) are currently under review and are being finalized

Risk communication and community engagement

- Public messaging continues through the national call centre (719) to raise awareness and provide accurate information on Ebola Virus Disease (EVD)
- EVD Information, Education and Communication (IEC) materials have been approved and disseminated to support community engagement and health education efforts
- Community engagement activities are ongoing as part of the broader EVD preparedness framework across high-risk counties

B. Mpox Situation Updates

Data source: Ministry of Health Kenya

New cases	Cumulative cases	Recovered	Case Contacts	Counties	Deaths
12	1,141	1,099	1,376	39	19

Twelve new cases reported from Nairobi (7), Embu (3) and Murang'a (2)

In 2026, 192 cases have been reported from eighteen counties

- Mombasa highest reporting county **70/192-(36.4%)**
- Recovered cases: 1,099
- Active cases: 23 — facility care (4), home-based care (19)

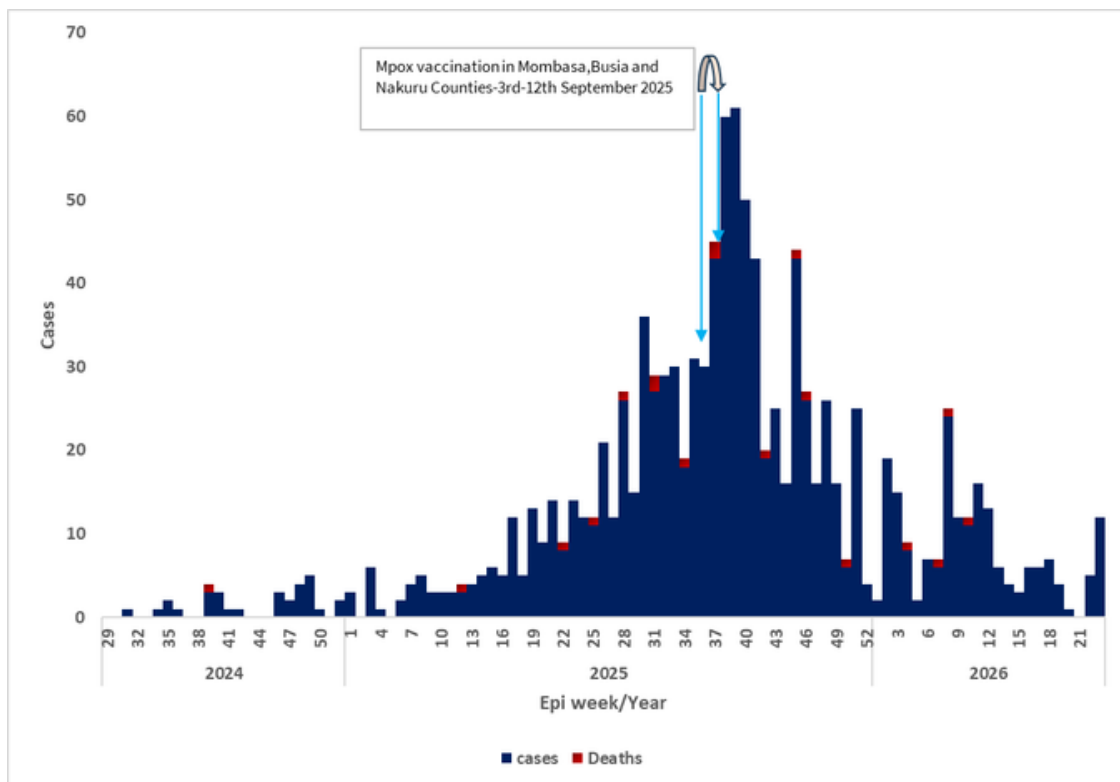
69% (456) of cases are aged 15–44 years. A total of 19 deaths have occurred.

- Female: 10 (53%)
- HIV Positive: 13 (68%)

1,376 contacts listed; 1,141 have completed follow-up. 16 contacts confirmed as cases.

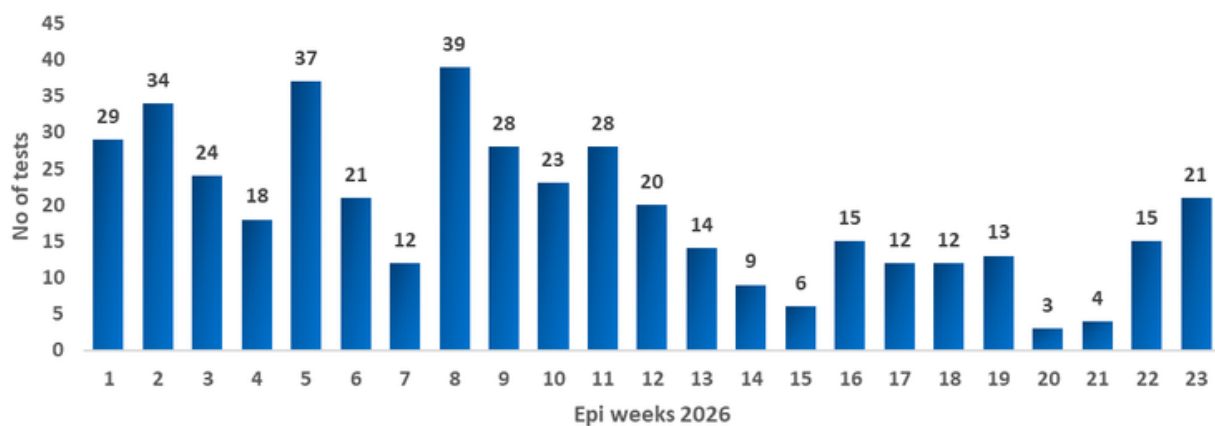
A total of 10.2 million travelers screened at 26 Points of Entry since the beginning of the outbreak in July 2024

Epi curve of the confirmed mpox cases, Kenya, 2024-2026



(Four counties have consistently reported cases with Mombasa leading 40%, Nairobi 17%, Busia 10% and Makueni 7.4%.)

Laboratory tests done for Mpox since January-May 2026, Kenya



- The number of Mpox tests conducted by counties is fluctuating
- This may indicate responder fatigue due to the prolonged nature of the outbreak, highlighting the need to transition to routine surveillance and reporting

Response Activities

- Ongoing Planning for Mpox vaccination campaign for high risk counties this year

C. Cholera

Data source: Kenya National Public Health Institute

New cases	Cumulative cases	Recovered	Case Contacts	Counties	Deaths
10	32	1	0	1	0

- The outbreak has been reported in Dagahaley Refugee Camp, Dadaab Sub-county, with the index case identified on 13 May 2026 and the latest case reported on 5 June 2026. To date, no deaths have been reported.

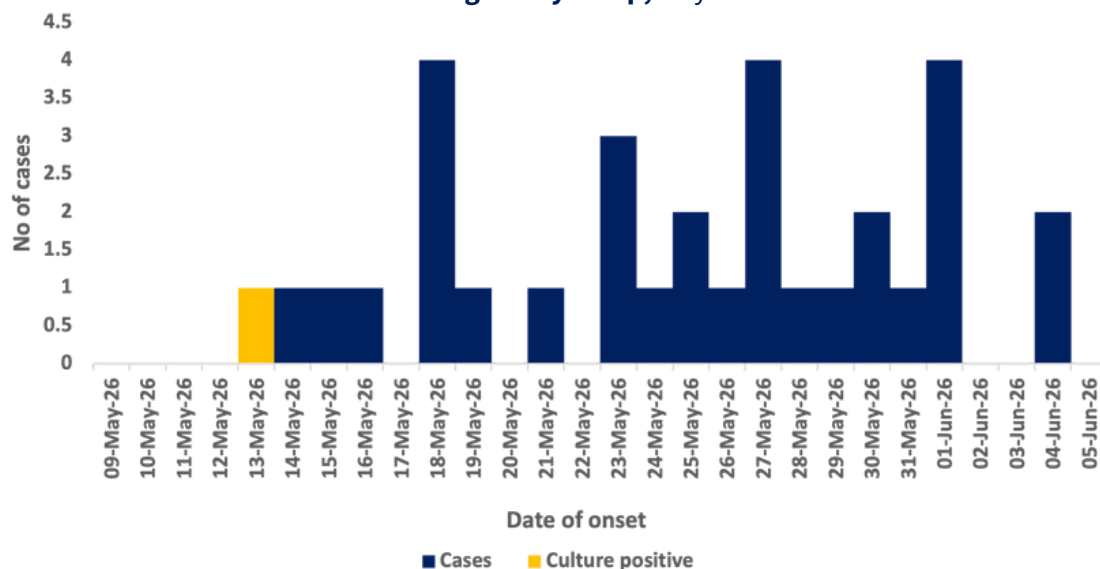
Ten new cases reported from Dagahaley Refugee Camp, Dadaab Sub-county, Garissa County.

- Total cumulative cases: 32
- Culture-confirmed: 1
- RDT-positive: 13
- Deaths: 0
- Attack rates is 8 persons per 100,000 population
- Cases currently admitted: 4
- 37.5% (12) of cases are aged under 5 years, representing the most affected age group
- 28 % of cases are among 15–44 years (28% of all cases)
- 56% (18) of cases are female; 44% (14) are male

Response activities

- Case management, IPC, contact tracing and active surveillance ongoing to prevent secondary transmission
- WASH interventions sustained, including environmental disinfection, hygiene promotion, handwashing and safe water handling
- Cross-county surveillance coordination and information sharing ongoing with Wajir South teams for early case detection
- Monitoring of environmental risk factors and population movement patterns ongoing

Epi curve of cholera cases in Dadaab -Dagahaley camp, May 2026



D.Dengue Fever – Garissa County

Data source: Ministry of Health Kenya

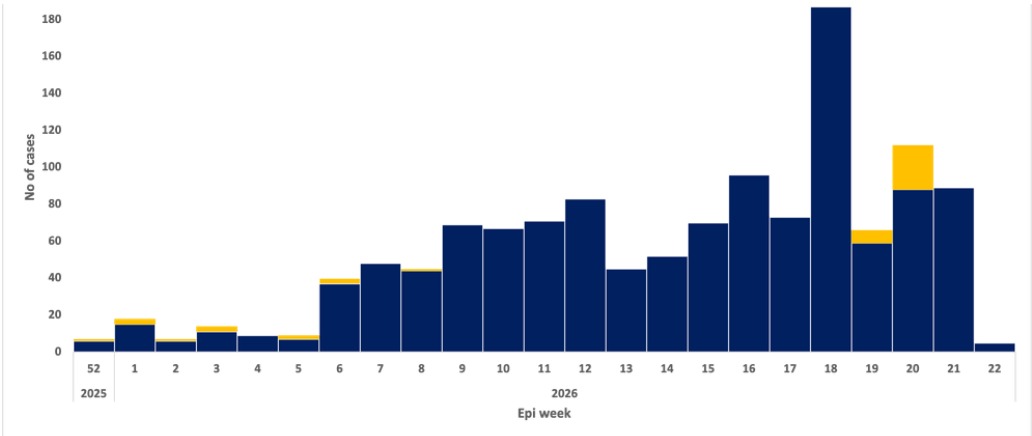
New cases	Cumulative cases	Suspected Deaths	Counties	Deaths
12	1,269	5	3	0

An upsurge of Dengue Fever cases has been reported since Jan 2026 from three sub counties in Garissa county.

- **Twelve new cases reported from Garissa Township**
- 52 of 81 (64.2%) samples tested positive by Laboratory confirmed by Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)
- 445 (37%) of 1,203 samples tested positive by Rapid Diagnostic Test (RDT)
- 80% (1,015) are aged under 40
- 50.6% (642) cases are female

Sub-county	Cases	PCR Positive
Dadaab	980	8
Fafi	233	8
Garissa Township	56	29
Total	1,269	45

Epi curve of Dengue fever cases, Garissa county, May 2026



E. Measles

Data source: Ministry of Health Kenya

New cases this week	Cumulative	Cases Confirmed	Case Contacts	Counties
0	445	66	0	3

Since the onset of the outbreak in November 2025, a cumulative total of 445 cases has been reported. The outbreak affected five counties in 2026; however, transmission is currently active in only two counties.

No new cases have been reported in the past week, indicating a declining trend in transmission.

Total cumulative cases: 445

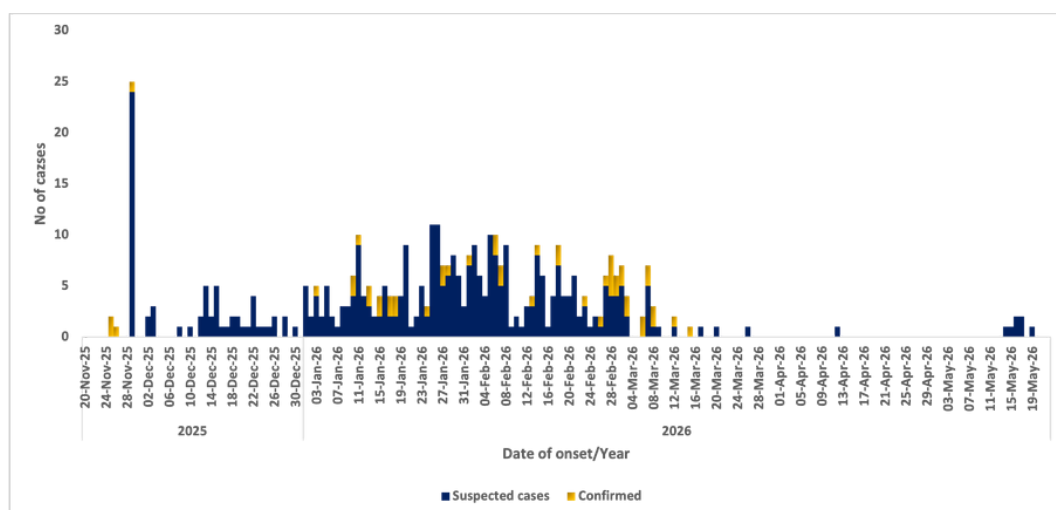
- Laboratory-confirmed: 66
- Suspected: 347 (note: Mandera South 5 confirmed, 0 suspected)
- Deaths: 0
- 56% (244) of cases are aged 10 years and above.
- 60% (253) of cases are male

Active transmission is now confirmed in three counties: Garissa (Dadaab Dagahaley camp), Wajir (Wajir North) and Mandera (Mandera South)

Table 1: Distribution of measles cases by county 2026-Kenya

County	Sub County	Total cases	Lab Confirmed	Suspected cases	Total deaths	Date of onset of the Index case	Date of onset of the last case reported	Outbreak status
Baringo	Tiaty East	357	28	329	0	25-Nov-25	15-Mar-26	No new cases reported
Marsabit	Moyale	18	7	11	0	18-Feb-26	30-Mar-26	No new cases reported
Garissa	Fafi	10	3	7	0	27-Feb-26	17-Mar-26	No new cases reported
	Dadaab	17	12	0	0	30-Jan-26	18-Apr-26	Active
Wajir	Wajir North	38	11	0	0	27-Feb-26	05-Apr-26	Active
Mandera	Mandera South	5	5	0	0	-	-	Active
Total		445	66	347	0			

Epi curve of Measles cases, 2026



Response activities and gaps

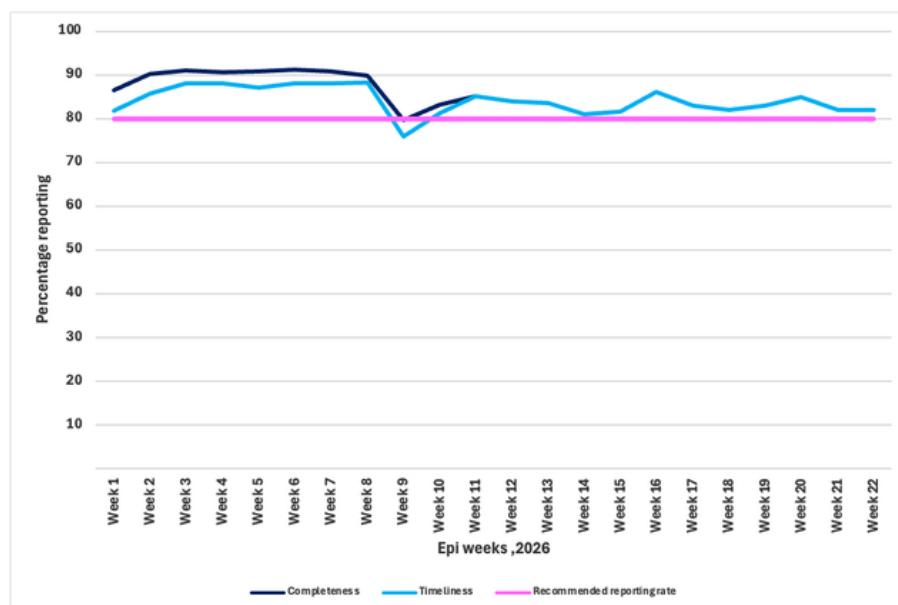
- Active case search ongoing at health facility and community levels
- Enhanced surveillance for timely detection and response ongoing in health facilities and communities in affected counties
- Provision of supportive care at health facilities

I. Priority Health Concerns, Misinformation Risks and RCCE/Infodemic Management Actions – Kenya Social Listening Summary (1 June 2026)

Health Concern	Current Situation	Main Misinformation / Disinformation	RCCE & Infodemic Management Actions
Ebola (DRC & Uganda outbreak) and Laikipia Quarantine Facility	No confirmed Ebola cases in Kenya. Public concern linked to preparedness measures and proposed quarantine facility.	Kenya is importing Ebola patients; quarantine facility will spread Ebola; Kenya is a dumping ground; Ebola is a foreign-engineered bioweapon; government is hiding information for financial gain.	Daily transparent briefings; community dialogues; publish FAQs; use trusted clinicians; town halls and radio call-ins; rapid rumor tracking and response.
HantavirusAlert (Travel-related Surveillance)	No local outbreak in Kenya; linked to international cruise ship outbreak.	Hantavirus is spreading in Kenya; lockdown plans; biological warfare theories; disease created for profit; fear of vaccination campaigns; spreads like COVID-19.	Issue 'No confirmed cases in Kenya' messages; airport and seaport FAQs; myth-vs-fact content; explain transmission routes; engage faith leaders; social media explainers.
Mpox Outbreak in Kenya	Active outbreak under surveillance with ongoing case detection and contact tracing.	Government fabricating cases; political distraction; lockdown plans; foreign actors importing diseases; WHO hidden agenda.	Regular county updates; explain surveillance data; engage CHVs and youth; use influencers and healthcare workers; address rumors directly.
Anthrax / Meat Safety	Public concern around meat safety and animal disease outbreaks.	All meat is unsafe; contaminated meat is being hidden; inspections cannot be trusted.	Market-based RCCE; joint veterinary-health messaging; demonstrations on meat inspection; trader engagement.
Measles & Immunization	Ongoing vaccination efforts and surveillance.	Vaccines do not work; vaccines are unsafe; children used for experiments; measles not serious.	Faith leader and school engagement; vaccine confidence campaigns; healthcare worker training; testimonials.
Cross-Cutting Infodemic Risks	Affecting all health emergencies.	Distrust of authorities; foreign agenda narratives; transmission confusion; stigma; outbreak fatigue.	National rumor tracking; weekly social listening; pre-bunking; community feedback; media partnerships; stakeholder briefings.

F. Integrated Disease Surveillance (IDSR) Overview

Data source: Source: Weekly IDSR reports, KHIS



- Recommended reporting rate of 80% for both Completeness and Timeliness of reporting (IDSR Guidelines)

Figure 1: Trends in National IDSR timeliness and completeness, Kenya , Epi week 1 - 22 IDSR, Kenya from Epi week 1-22, 2026.

- The average overall completeness of reporting from Epidemiological Week 1 to 20 was 86%
- The average overall timeliness of reporting during the same period was 84%
- Notably, Epi Week 9 recorded the lowest timeliness at 76%

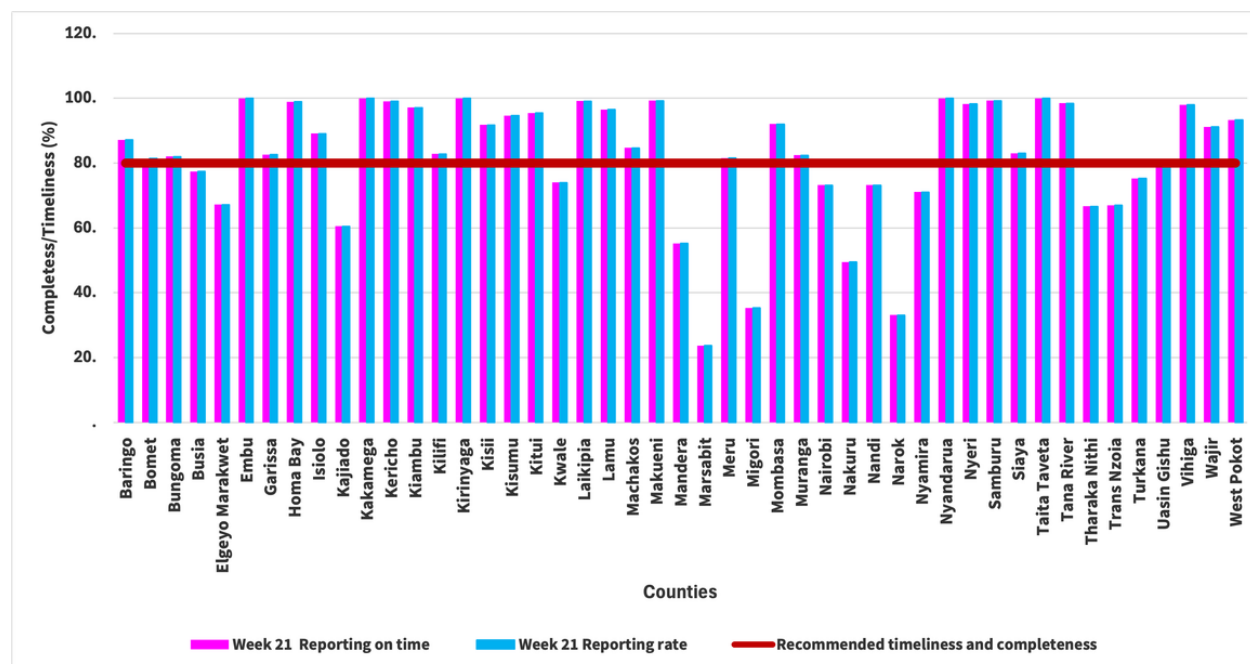


Figure 2: IDSR Completeness and timeliness per county, Kenya, Epi week 22, 2026

- Notably several counties are below the recommended reporting rate.
- The national IDSR timeliness was 82% and completeness was 82%.
- 30/47 counties attained the target rate of 80% for timeliness and completeness
- Counties like Busia, Kajiado, Kilifi, Kwale, Mandera, Marsabit, Migori, Mombasa, Nairobi, Nakuru, Nandi, Narok, Nyamira, siaya and Tharaka nithi are below 80% threshold.
- Kajiado, Marsabit, Migori, Mombasa, Nairobi and Narok were below the recommended threshold in the two consecutive weeks (week 21 & 22)

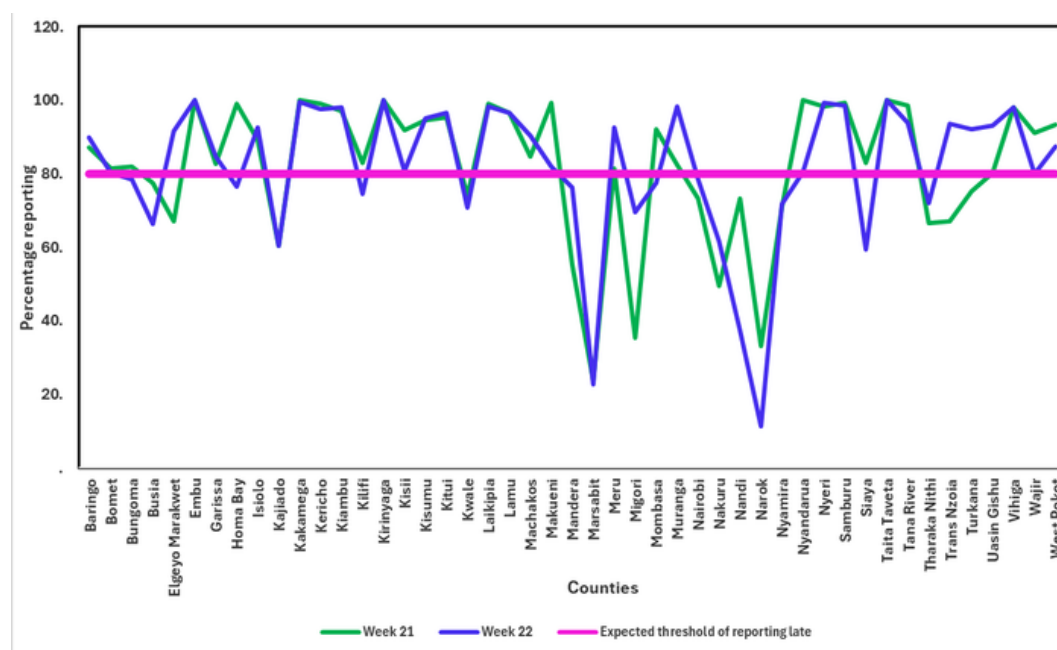


Figure 3: Reporting rate per County in the past 4 weeks-Epi week 21 and 22, 2026, Kenya

- Even with the overall completeness of over 80%, there are still some counties that have consistently reported low reporting in the last two weeks (Kajiado, Marsabit, Narok, and Trans-Nzoia)

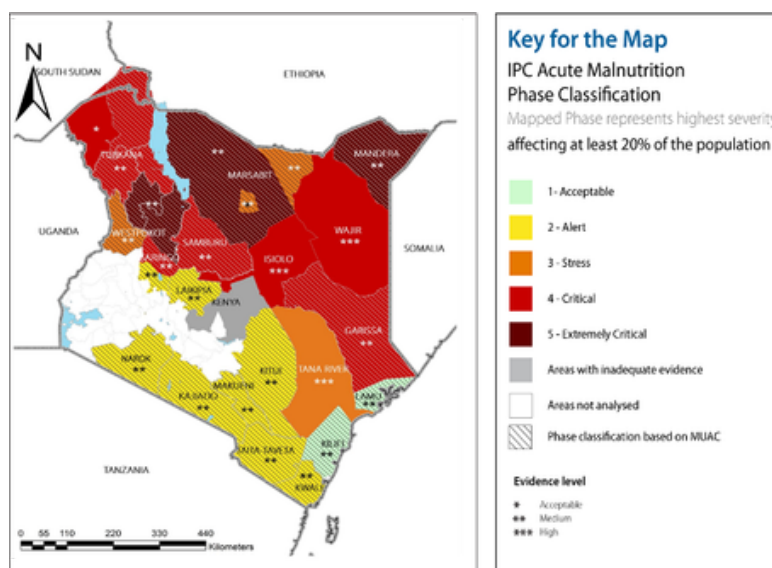
G.Nutrition status Updates Kenya

Source: Kenya Ipc (Integrated Food Security Phase Classifications)

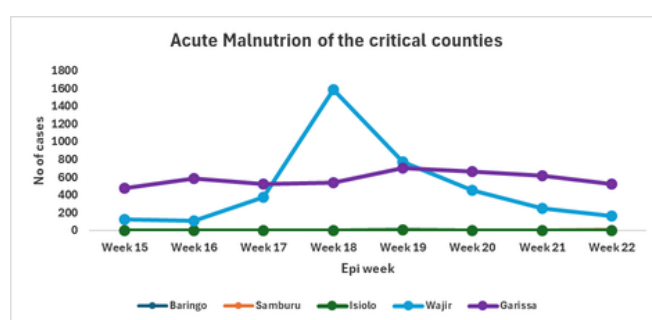
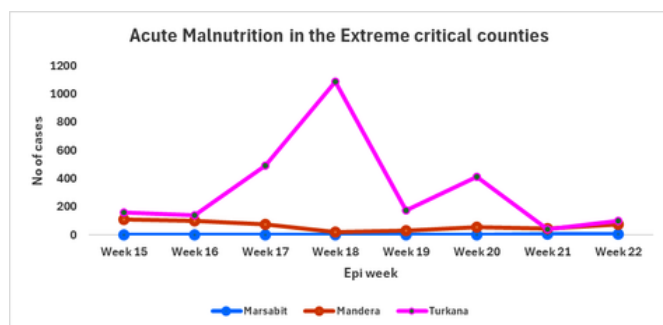
Current food insecurity projection up to June 2026

- Kenya is experiencing a severe food security and nutrition crisis, particularly in the ASAL regions and refugee settlements
- About 3.3 million people are in IPC Phase 3 or worse, including 400,000 in Phase 4 (Emergency) needing urgent life-saving support
- This is a 52% increase from early 2025 and higher than previous projections
- In Dadaab, Kakuma, and Kalobeyei, around 430,000 people (about two-thirds of residents) are also in Phase 3 or above, with all three areas in Phase 4 (Emergency)
- Overall, more than 3.7 million people in Kenya are facing severe food insecurity
- Key drivers: Reduced humanitarian aid, limited livelihoods, and high food prices
- Outlook: The situation will remain critical without urgent scale-up of food, nutrition, and livelihood support

Overview of projected acute malnutrition situation March-June 2026

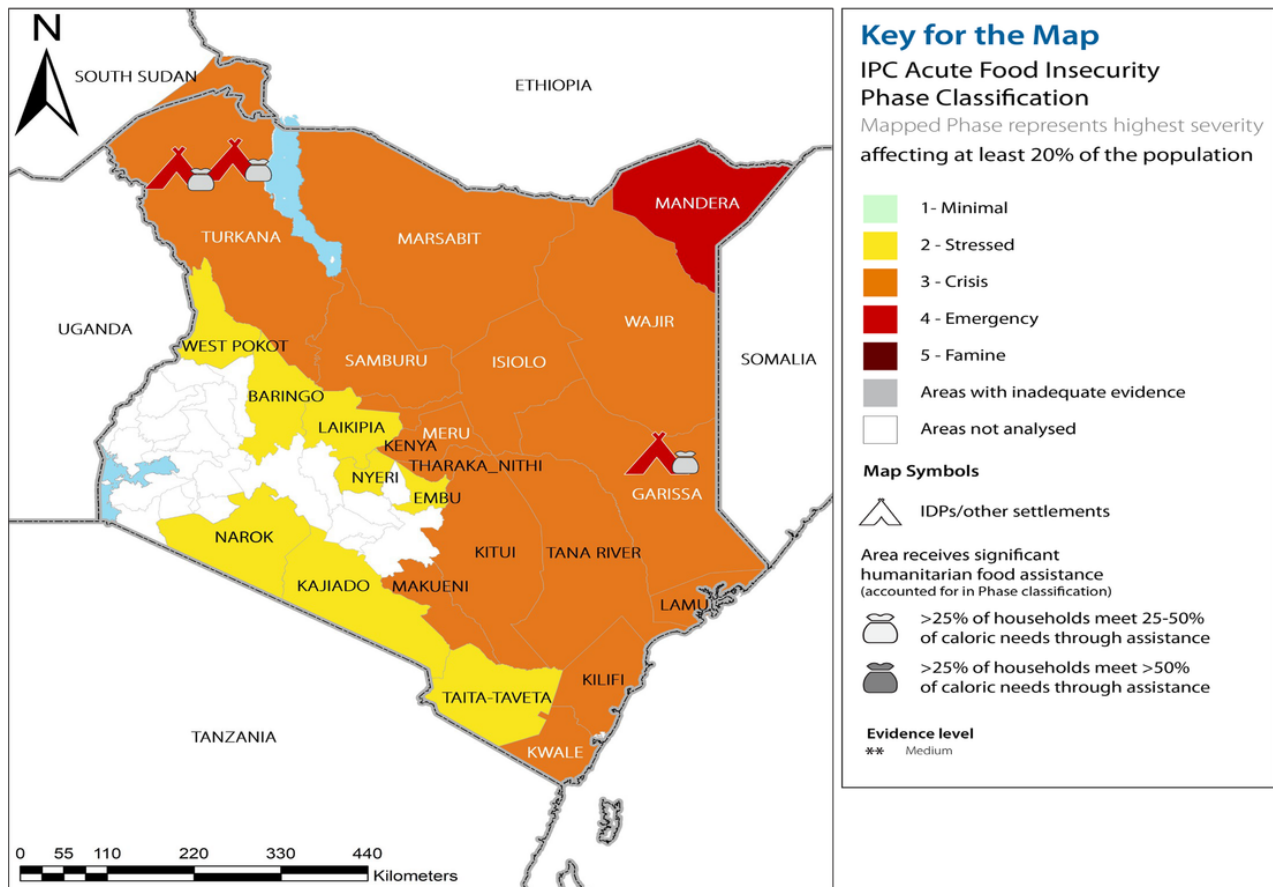


Current Acute Malnutrition Status in Kenya



- Turkana County has shown an upward trend in acute malnutrition cases.
- However, the apparent decline may not necessarily indicate a true reduction in cases, but could instead be attributed to non-reporting of the data from the county
- Marsabit county has consistently not reported any case which may still be attributed by non-reporting of the IDSR data
- Wajir County recorded a sharp increase in cases during Weeks 17 and 18
- Garissa County has consistently reported high numbers of cases throughout the reporting period

PROJECTED ACUTE FOOD INSECURITY MAP (APRIL - JUNE 2026)



Projection Acute Food Insecurity Situation Overview (April - June 2026)

- According to the Kenya Meteorological Department (KMD) forecast, The March–May 2026 long rains are expected to be near average to below average in most marginal agricultural and eastern pastoral areas, while the coastal region may receive below-average rainfall. However, northwestern pastoral areas (Turkana and Samburu) may experience near to above-average rains
- Although rains may slightly improve pasture and browse, availability will remain below average in eastern pastoral areas due to previous poor seasons in 2025

Household incomes are expected to stay below average:

1. In marginal agricultural areas: due to poor harvests and reduced demand for farm labor
2. In pastoral areas: due to smaller livestock herds limiting sales
3. Crop production in marginal agricultural zones will likely be near to below average, affected by:
4. Limited access to seeds and inputs

Uncertain rainfall performance

5. Food access will be constrained:
6. Household food stocks are very low
7. Reliance on market purchases is high, but low incomes limit buying power
8. Staple food prices will remain average to above average, driven by:
9. High demand
10. Reduced local supply
11. Imports from neighboring countries will help stabilize prices temporarily
12. Livestock prices are expected to be average to above average, as households reduce sales to rebuild herds and improve animal condition

H. Seven-day weather forecast Kenya, 2nd -8th June 2026

Source: Kenya Meteorological Department-Ref: MET/7/361

- Rainfall is likely to continue over the Highlands East and West of the Rift Valley, the Lake Victoria Basin, the Rift Valley, the Coastal region, and parts of North-eastern Kenya
- Cool and cloudy conditions are likely to prevail over some parts of the Highlands East of the Rift Valley and the South-eastern Lowlands, occasionally breaking into sunny intervals and sometimes accompanied by light rainfall
- Average daytime (maximum) temperatures exceeding 30°C are expected over the Coastal region, parts of the South-eastern Lowlands, and North-eastern and North-western Kenya
- Average night-time (minimum) temperatures below 10°C are expected in a few areas of the Highlands East of the Rift Valley, the Central Rift Valley, and the vicinity of Mount Kilimanjaro



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