

SUMMARY REPORT #5 (SCENARIO 2)

Date: week 48
Scenario 02

- A total of 732 EVD confirmed and probable cases were reported from week 43 to 48 (included) across Liberia. About one fifth of the cases were reported in Montserrado. 12 of the counties have new cases reported during this time period.
- There is consistent evidence from the field that the epidemic is steadily decreasing at least in the last 4 weeks, in most of the counties. ETUs occupancy is at about 50% of capacity.
- A total number of 677 deaths were reported from week 43 till week 48 across Liberia, approximately one fifth of which were in Montserrado.
- A total number of 15 health care workers (HCW) infections were reported, 11 new deaths of HCWs are reported among the fatalities counted from week 43 up to week 48.
- An effective safe burial protocol was enforced from week 43 till week 48. It is estimated that 9 out of ten burials are safe and dignified.
- Community engagement and social mobilization programs as well as the distribution of home disinfection kits are starting in several parts of the country. It is not yet possible to estimate the effect of these interventions.
- A total of 5768 individuals has been contact traced from week 43 till week 48.
- No new ETUs have opened between week 43 and 48. There are no plans for the opening of new ETU facilities in the near future.