

MINISTRY OF HEALTH, UGANDA

Weekly Malaria Report



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EPI WEEK 30 | 21st Jul to 27th Jul 2025 | KEY HIGHLIGHTS

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75.1% Reporting Rate



168,474

Confirmed malaria cases



8.9% (13)

Districts had inadequate ACT stock (<8 weeks)



Reported deaths

36.3% Test Positivity Rate



Districts response



45.9% (67)

Districts had inadequate



Districts in Alert RDT stock (< 8 weeks)

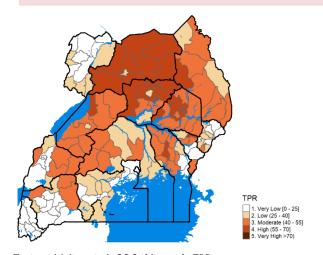
The testing rate for patients with fever was 93.8 % (407,096) | Proportion treated with a negative test was 7.6% (117) | Proportion treated without a test was 2.6% (979) | Proportion treated with a positive result was 96.7% (148,347)

SUMMARY OF KEY INDICATORS OVER THE LAST 4 WEEKS

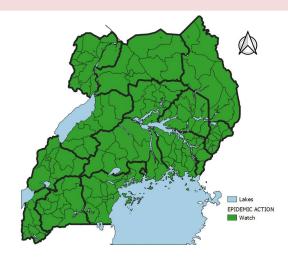
Week	Reporting	Confirmed	Test Positivity	Reported	Districts with Epidemic			% District with	% District with
1	rate	cases	Rate	Deaths	Alert	District	IMT	indaquate ACTs	indaquate RDTs
						Response	Response		
27	79.8	183,381	37.3	25	0	0	0	7.5	48.6
28	59.1	178,658	37.3	54	0	0	0	20.5	65.1
29	30.9	168,156	36.6	13	0	0	0	35.6	74.7
30	75.1	168,474	36.3	20	0	0	0	8.9	45.9

TEST POSITIVITY RATES

MALARIA EPIDEMIC ALERT & RESPONSE DISTRICTS



Test positivity rate is 36.3 this week. TPR range was between 5.1 % to 68.9 %. The top 10 districts with the highest Test positivity rates reported are: Kitgum (68.9%), Agago (68.1%), Otuke (67.4%), Butebo (67.1%), Lira (63.8%), Pader (62.4%), Alebtong (61.4%), Kaberamaido (61.4%), Oyam (61.2%), Omoro (60.3%)



Alert districts: 00 District response: 00 Watch districts: 146

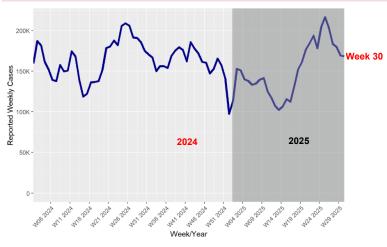
All the eastern districts that recieved IRS with Actellic plus other interventions (Tororo, Bugiri, Butaleja, Budaka, Butebo, Namutumba and Pallisa) are now in watch mode. An additional round of IRS with Actellic was completed in April 2024

For Kibuku, Serere, Amolatar, formerly response districts, the focus is on enhanced case management, risk communication and prevention.

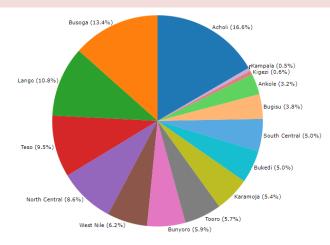
NB: Amolatar received IRS with Actellic in selected high burden sub counties between December 11, 2023 and Jan 10, 2024

WEEKLY CASES TRENDS - WK01 2024 TO WK30 2025

WEEKLY PROPORTION OF CASE LOAD PER REGION



Currently, weekly cases are on a upward trend across the country, following the first peak transmission season. The current years peak is lower than that of 2024.

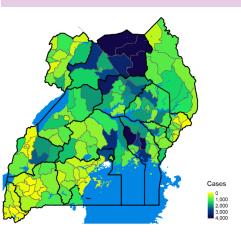


Five (5) regions contribute 59.1% of all cases in week 30. Highest in the region below:- Acholi (16.7%), Busoga (13.5%), Lango (10.8%), Teso (9.5%), North Central (8.6%)

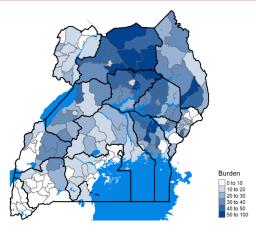
DISTRIBUTION OF CASES BY DISTRICT

OPD BURDEN (%)

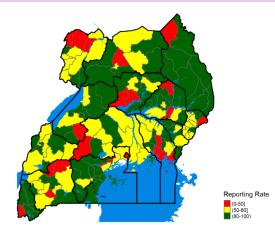
REPORTING RATE



Top 10 districts reporting the most cases this week are: Agago (6256), Kitgum (4194), Lamwo (4063), Kamuli (3972), Iganga (3847), Oyam (3519), Pader (3300), Mayuge (3048), Luwero (3040), Amuru (2997)

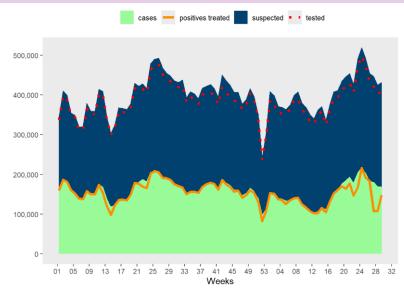


The average OPD burden for the week was 22.3%. Highest in Acholi (45%), Lango (40%), Teso (36.6%), Busoga (32.5%), Karamoja (31.8%) regions. Top 10 highest OPD burden districts ares: Agago, Otuke, Nabilatuk, Lira, Pader, Luuka, Kaliro, Omoro, Lamwo, Amuru



49.3%, (72) districts posted a reporting rate above 80%. 36.3%, (53) districts, reported between 50 to 80%. 14.4%, (21) district posted a reporting rate below 50% this week.

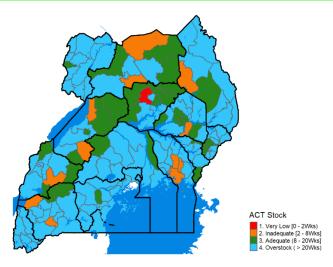
CASE MANAGEMENT: Suspected malaria, tests done, cases diagnosed and treated using 1st line



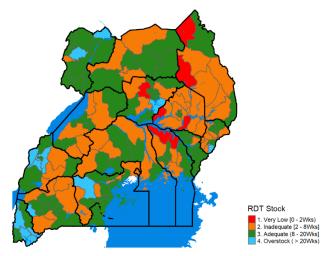
The overall national testing and treatment rates are 93.8% and 96.7% respectively. This week, 35 district(s) (Kaberamaido (57.8%), Jinja (59.5%), Butebo (66.8%), Kaliro (70.3%), Amudat (70.6%)) had a testing rate <90%.

17 districts had treatment rates below 90%. The lowest being Kampala (39.7%), Masaka City (49.6%), Wakiso (60.3%), Tororo (70.9%), Namisindwa (80.2%).

Every patient with a fever or history of fever must have a malaria test and every patient with a positive malaria must have timely treatment for malaria.



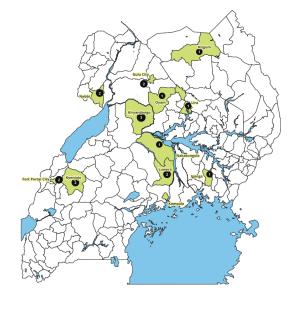
8.9%, (13) district had inadequate ACT stock. District with <2 of stock:Kole (0) . 69.9%, (102) districts reported overstock of ACTs.



45.9%, (67) district had inadequate RDT stock. District with <2 of stock:Abim (0), Kole (0), Ngora (0), Buyende (1), Kaberamaido (1), Kaliro (1), Karenga (1) . 8.9%, (13) districts reported overstock of RDTs.

All districts that have ≤ 2 weeks of stock for any commodity, REQUIRE immediate support Districts with an asterisk (*), report less than 1 week of commodities. Emphasis should be on districts in epidemic alert and response mode, and those reporting the most cases of Malaria.

MALARIA REPORTED DEATHS



Highest deaths are reported from the following districts

District	Health Facility	Deaths
Kiryandongo	Panyadoli Health Centre IV	3
Luwero	Bombo Health Centre III	2
Kyenjojo	Kyenjojo General Hospital	2
Fort Portal City	Fort Portal Regional Referral Hospital	2
Gulu City	St. Philip Health Centre II	2
Nebbi	Parombo Health Centre III	2
Iganga	Iganga General Hospital	1
Nakasongola	Nakayonza Health Centre III	1
Kitgum	Akuna Laber Health Centre III	1
Lira	Amach Health Centre IV	1
Kampala	Nakasero Hospital	1
Nakasongola	Lwampanga Health Centre III	1
Oyam	Kamdini Health Centre III	1

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