Highlights

- In the reporting week, the cumulative number of cholera cases is 1846. Of these, 39 deaths were reported, in both health centres and communities.
- Out of the 1846 cholera cases, 31 are from Yei and 15 from Kajo-Keji; two deaths were reported in Yei.
- Whilst there are an unidentified number of new cholera cases in Nimule (Eastern Equatoria State), no new cases were reported in Jonglei, Upper Nile, Warrap, Lakes and Unity States.
- There are currently two functional referral CTCs in Juba centre; these are Juba Teaching Hospital and Gurei CTCs. Also, there are further two functional CTCs, one in Tomping, and another in UN-House Juba 3, both are supporting caseloads from the two PoCs.
- UNICEF continue to support training of Social Mobilizers; an extra 32 have been trained and deployed in Gumbo residential in response to the emerging new cases.

Situation Overview:

Since the beginning of the outbreak, 1846 cumulative cholera cases were reported, with 39 deaths occurring in Juba and Yei (two deaths). There are no new cases in Jonglei, Upper Nile, Warrap, Lakes and Unity. Out of the existing 20 ORT points, 17 are now functional. In the reporting week, 66 cases from these ORTs were referred to the two referral CTCs in Juba County.

UNICEF Response:

UNICEF has continued to work closely with key line Ministries, WHO and other partners to enhance the support towards the cholera prevention and response. Key activities in the past few days have included provision of WASH and health services at the CTC at Juba Teaching Hospital, working with key partners to provide clean water and sanitation services to the 2 PoCs in Juba, and support to the Juba Town Water Corporation in enhancing water quality monitoring and water supply treatment in Juba town. Also, UNICEF continued to support cholera messaging through media outreach, training of various personnel on cholera prevention and response, and community mobilization activities. Given the reporting of suspected cases in other parts of the country, UNICEF has continued to work with
partners on rapid assessments and response, and also in pre-positioning key health and WASH supplies to all 10 States to support the cholera response.

**Health**

1. **Surveillance and case management:** UNICEF has been an active actor in all emergency response coordination activities and advocate greater political commitment among policy makers and partner agencies through the National Cholera Task Force, case management working group, and EPR technical group. Nineteen new cases were reported by 13th June 2014. Of these, 11 were in Juba Teaching Hospital, three each in Gurei and Tomping CTCs, and one each from Gurei and Munuki ORTs.

2. **Support to Cholera Treatment Centre (CTC):** Since 16 May, UNICEF continued to support Juba Teaching Hospital on CTC management, and has deployed a doctor and medical staff to the CTC to provide on-site technical support, case management, and advice and guidance to the medical staff.

3. **Strategic Pre-positioning:** UNICEF has pre-positioned 4 DDK (for estimated 2,500 caseload) with partners in Terekeka through ADRA; in Mundri through MRDA; in Nzara through WVI; and in Lainya through SUHA. These are high risk trunk routes that could potentially receive high number of cholera cases if outbreak extends to these locations.

4. **As part of the cholera responses in Yei** UNICEF provided 50 pieces of hand washing facilities, 10 toilet slabs, 200 boxes of water purifiers, 5 cartons of water purifier tabs, 15 pieces of plastic sheets, 3 pieces of megaphone with batteries and 50 pieces of IEC cholera materials.

**WASH**

1. UNICEF continued with the training of chlorinators for water treatment at 12 designated water truck filling stations, and continue to provide water treatment chemicals to social mobilizers, targeting 36,000 people in vulnerable locations.
2. During the week, UNICEF started supporting safe collection and disposal of cholera waste from all CTCs in Juba.
3. In the Cholera Stabilization Centre at Al-Sabbah Children Hospital (Juba), WASH section constructed a water storage tank, hand washing facilities, soak away pit and waste water storage tank.
4. As part of cholera emergency response, the WASH cluster, with UNICEF funding, supported pumping of about 170,000 litres of clean water from three boreholes in the Bentiu PoC. This provided roughly 7 litres of water per person per day.
5. In Bor town, two boreholes with solar pumping system in the PoC are now operational, benefiting 4,100 people, and allow phasing out of water trucking to Bor PoC. Two more boreholes have also been drilled in Bor town, benefiting additional 1,000 people outside the PoC.
6. In Malakal, UNICEF continued with provision of 50,000 litres of water through water trucks, and also completed installation of 4 new ladders with 12 tap stands in the new PoC. Besides, 10 latrines and 32 new bathrooms were constructed by WASH partners, with UNICEF supplies, in the Malakal new PoC, benefiting over 1,600 people.
7. In Mingkaman, UNICEF supported completion of additional 17 blocks of latrines with 68 stances, benefiting 3,400 people.
8. One block of bathing unit with 18 stances was completed in Tomping, benefiting 900 people. Additionally, UNICEF-rented trucks continue with the daily collection of solid and liquid waste, and disposal of the same, targeting 45,000 people in the three PoC sites of Malakal, Bor and Tomping.

Social Mobilization

1. Seventy six UNICEF-supported social mobilizers conducted house to house campaigns; a cumulative number of 20,385 households were reached with key messages and WASH supplies in three blocks of Kator, Juba and Rajaf.
2. ART, OVCI and MTN have reached a total number of 25 schools with messages on cholera through drama shows and announcements; this was jointly funded by UNICEF (through ART and OVCI) and MTN through MTN’s Corporate Social Responsibility.
3. UNICEF supported ART to distribute supplies for the establishment of ORT Corners in 5 health Centres in the Military area, Buluk Police, Al Sabah, St Kizito, and Mouna residential.
4. In Tomping UNICEF partners continue hygiene promotion activities through 120 hygiene promoters deployed in the camp, and promoted cholera prevention and control practices, tent to tent.
5. In Eastern Equatoria State, radio programs on safe drinking water and hygiene promotion have been on air.
6. A health education session was held for 15 Secondary School teachers on cholera prevention and control and safe drinking water. In Upper Nile State, cholera social mobilization in Wau Shilluki, Kodok and Lul is also being done through 68 trained South Sudan Red Cross (SSRC) volunteers, targeting public places such as schools, markets and restaurants.
7. In Kodok, social mobilization is currently ongoing in partnership with World Vision using 15 hygiene promoters through house to house visits and at water points.
8. In Melut, SSRC is working with community leaders to launch Cholera Outreach activities in schools and in the PoC.
9. In Mingkaman, 42 pregnant women from UNFPA clinic and 40 hygiene promoters from AWODA were trained on interpersonal communication skills, and accordingly they reached over 3000 beneficiaries with key messages on cholera prevention and control. One hundred and twenty girls received hygiene kits from UNICEF supported partner (DRDA), along with cholera prevention and control messages.
10. In Bentiu 53 hygiene promoters deployed and started cholera prevention and control messaging in the PoC.

Funding: UNICEF will require approximately USD 7 million to support the cholera prevention and response in Juba and in other parts of the Country.

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<td><strong>WASH</strong> Programme Implementation, Technical support, monitoring, and coordination – hygiene and sanitation. Procurement, prepositioning and distribution of core WASH supplies including chlorine, water purification tablets, WASH protective items, soap, buckets etc.</td>
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<td><strong>Social Mobilization</strong>: Support to production of IEC materials in order to prevent spread of cholera using materials, trainings, media outreach</td>
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<td>Logistics: Cross-cutting support for the achievement of results (warehousing, logistics) - for air charter to bring in required diarrhoeal disease kits x 52</td>
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