

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

Situation Update

Saturday, 17 February 2018

Lusaka District

As at 06:00 AM today 17th February 2018, Lusaka district had recorded 15 new cases of cholera in the last 24 hours (4 paediatrics and 11 adults). Of these, 5 reported directly to Heroes Cholera Hospital; 2 to Kanyama, 7 to Chawama CTC and 1 to Chipata CTC. Chelstone, Chipata and Bauleni CTUs did not record any new cases. There was no cholera death recorded.

The new cases in Lusaka district by area of residence are as follows;

- **3 case from Chipata:** Kabanana(2) and Six miles (1)
- 1 cases from Matero: Lilanda (1)
- 7 cases from Chawama: Jack (3), Kuku (2), Chimwemwe (1) and Arakan (1)
- 2 cases from Chelstone: Chainda (2)
- 2 cases from Kanyama: John Laing (2)
- **0 cases from Maloni** (Chilanga District) and Bauleni

Currently, 20 patients are under admission, of these 5 are children and 15 are adults; 6 are admitted at Chawama CTC, 1 at Chipata CTU and 13 at Heroes Cholera Hospital.

Cumulatively, Lusaka district has recorded 3875 cases and 75 deaths.

Districts outside Lusaka District

Six (6) new cases were recorded outside Lusaka district; Kalomo (1), Kafue (4) and Chongwe (1) in the last 24 hours; there was no cholera death recorded.

There are currently 8 patients under treatment from Shibunyunji (1), Chongwe (1), Kalomo (1) and Kafue (4).

Cumulative cases recorded from outside Lusaka district now stand at 289 with 9 deaths.

Nationwide

Cumulative total is at 4164 cases with 85^* deaths; 28 patients are currently under treatment

CFR Lusaka = 1.93% (Facility CFR = 0.78%); CFR National = 2.0% (Facility CFR = 0.83%)

*Changes in cumulative figures due to ongoing reclassification of cases

Signed Honourable Dr Chitalu Chilufya Minister of Health