CHOLERA SITUATION IN SOMALIA

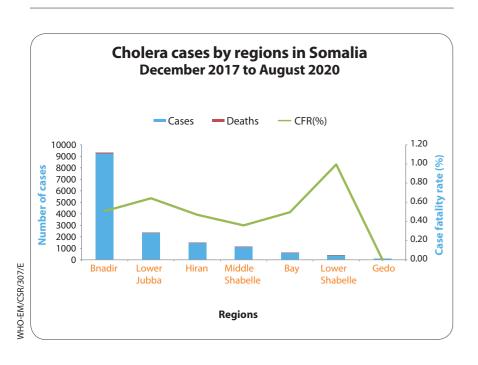
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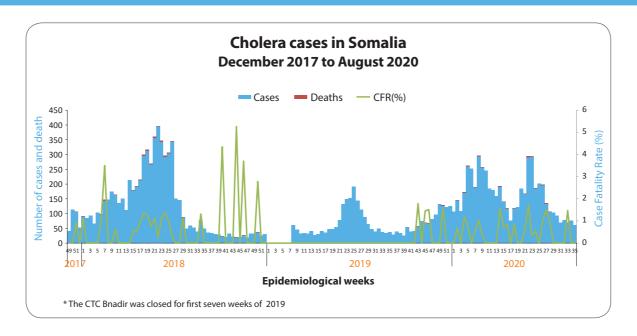
Highlights

- In August 2020, a total of 322 suspected cholera cases and 1 related death was reported from Banadir and Bay regions with CFR 0.31%.
- From December 2017 to August 2020, a total of 15 289 suspected cholera cases including 80 related deaths (CFR: 0.52%) were reported from seven regions, namely Banadir, Bay, Gedo, Hiran, Lower Jubba, Middle Shabelle and Lower Shabelle. The districts with the highest cumulative number of cases are Kismayo (2 305, 15.08%), Hodan (1 822, 11.92%) and Daynile (1 806, 11.81%).
- During the year 2020 a total of 30 deaths have been reported from Daynile (8), Beletweyn (5), Madina (5), Baidoa (3), Jowhar (2), Warta Nabada (2), Jalalaqsi (1), Dharkeynley (1), Hamarweyn (1), Howlwadag (1) and Hodan (1), districts of Hiran, Middle Shabelle, Banadir and Bay regions.
- This cholera outbreak is a continuation of the outbreak that started in December 2017 but there was a gap in the reporting of the cases in the first seven weeks of 2019 due to closure of the main cholera treatment center in Banadir. The center reopened in late February 2019 to manage the suspected cholera cases and has since been reporting cases.
- A total of 489 samples tested at the central public health laboratories since January 2020, out of which 165 have been confirmed as cholera-positive by culture.

02 out of **18** regions reported suspected cholera cases in August 2020

Case fatality rate (CFR) **0.31%** in August 2020





Cholera cases and deaths reported during December 2017 to August 2020

Region	Districts	Cumulative cases*	Cumulative deaths*	CFR (%)
Banadir	Abdilaziz	34	2	5.88
	Bondere	65	0	0
	Daynile	1806	18	1.00
	Darkenley	1377	2	0.15
	HamarJabja	490	2	0.41
	Hamrweyn	111	1	0
	Heliwa	75	0	0
	Hodan	1822	3	0.16
	Howlwadag	364	2	0.55
	Kahda	320	1	0.31
	Karaan	170	1	0.59
	Madina	1736	10	0.58
	Shibis	32	0	0
	Shingani	27	0	0
	Waberi	318	2	0.63
	Warta Nabada	332	3	0.90
	Yaqshid	172	0	0
Gedo	Belethawo	94	0	0
Hiran	Beletweyn	1080	6	0.56
	Bulo Burti	193	0	0
	Jalalaqsi	216	1	0.46
Lower Jubba	Kismayo	2305	15	0.65
	Badhadhe	30	0	0
Middle Shabelle	Jowhar	1113	4	0.36
	Mahaday	1	0	0
Lower Shabelle	Afgoye	133	0	0
	Brava	14	0	0
	Kurtunwarey	27	4	14.81
	Merka	228	0	0
Bay	Baidoa	604	3	0.50
Total		15289	80	0.52

Case fatality rate more than 1% is highlighted
 *Cumulative number of cases and deaths are from December 2017 to August 2020

Cumulative key figures, December 2017 to August 2020









key figures, August 2020



322Suspected cases







