Cross Border Activities Updates (KENYA)

- Community based surveillance: **One (1)** case of suspected AFP case was detected in Turkana by the CHVs and **two (2)** case of suspected measles reported in Mandera.

- Routine Immunization Outreaches: The CMs supported nineteen (19) outreaches sessions directly & indirectly) in project areas.

- Social Mobilization: Sensitization (Routine immunization, case-based surveillance) conducted in all project areas with community mobilizer visiting 6,663 households reaching 5,582 (males 1,772, females 3,810) persons with surveillance, Routine immunization and priority zoonotic messages while observing COVID-19 prevention protocols.

- Defaulter tracing: During the week, border health facilities in Kenya reported that **281** children < 1-year defaulted routine immunization and the CHVs managed to trace **196 (70%)** were traced by the project community mobilizer.

- Integrated (one health) Support supervision in Marsabit and Mandera county.

Cross Border Activities Updates (SOMALIA)

- Community based surveillance: No case of suspected AFP was detected by the CHVs during the week.

- Routine Immunization Outreaches: the project supported 2 routine immunization outreaches sessions in Lower Juba and Gedo.

- Social Mobilization: Sensitization (Routine immunization, case-based surveillance) conducted in all project areas with community mobilizer reaching 1,339 households, reaching 5,009 (males 1333, females 3676) persons with surveillance, Routine immunization and priority zoonotic messages while observing COVID-19 prevention protocols.

- Defaulter tracing: During the week, border health facilities in Somalia reported that **37** children < 1-year defaulted routine immunization and the CMs managed to trace **24 (65%)** were traced by the project community mobilizer and referred to the immunizing facility.

Global Health Security—Priority Zoonotic Diseases Updates (KENYA):

- REPORTING: CHV total of **6 animal alerts** were reported, (1 cluster of animal deaths reported in Wajir, one (1) suspected brucellosis reported in Mandera, one case of animal bites in Marsabit, two (2) suspected RVF in Mandera, one suspected case of trypanosome reported in Lamu.

- Under case-based surveillance a total of **five (5) alerts** were detected by the CHVs (1 case of acute watery diarrhoea in Nairobi, one case of suspected AFP in Turkana and 2 suspected cases of measles in Mandera and 1 suspected neonatal deaths in Nairobi.

- A total of 439 zero reports as well 10 cases of rumors were reported by the community health volunteers in the CGPP supported area of Kenya and Somalia.
Strengthening of immunization systems: Outreach services to hard to reach border, nomadic pastoralist. (28/12/2020 – 06/06/2021)

KENYA:
Total # of children Defaulted = 8,495
Total # of children traced= 4,830 (57%)

SOMALIA:
Total # of children Defaulted = 797
Total # of children traced= 394 (49%)

Map showing the areas where outreach session were conducted with various routine immunization antigen administered with the number of outreach shown in the graph below.
Active case search for Acute Flaccid Paralysis (Any child under 15 years old with a sudden onset of weakness of leg(s) and/or arm(s) not caused by injury) conducted at household level with the suspected cases marked in red and as indicated in the map reported to the relevant health officials for further investigation.

Mapping of AFP surveillance active case search.
Community Based Disease Surveillance on Priority Zoonotic Diseases.

Suspected Animal Disease Alerts Received by Counties.
01/10/2020 - 06/06/2021

Map of suspected PZD alerts

Rumour and Zero Report as from 01/10/2020 - 06/06/2021

Legend:
- Cluster of animal deaths
- Suspected anthrax
- Suspected brucellosis
- Suspected rabies
- Suspected RVF
- Suspected Trypanosomiasis

- Deaths with unusual bleeding
- Abortion in late pregnancy; retained placenta; swelling of testicles
- Aggressive animal bite
- Cluster of abortions or deaths of young animals
- Progressive loss of weight
## COORDINATION MEETINGS DURING THE WEEK

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<td>2021-06-01</td>
<td>County Director veterinary services Boardroom</td>
<td>After-action review meeting on Rift Valley fever outbreak response in Mandera North, Mandera County</td>
<td>To review the multi-sector response capabilities of the county and identify strengths, challenges and approaches during RVF disease outbreak response and propose and develop appropriate preparedness actions of the next disease outbreak—Stakeholders identified challenges and agreed on modalities of response of the next outbreak response</td>
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<td>2021-06-04</td>
<td>National SIA review meeting</td>
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<td>The country’s performance was at 92.7%, with the country managing to vaccinate 3,202,356 children. Some of the best practices were: Strong partnership and engagement (WHO, UNICEF, CORE Group, Polio Committees). IM and LQAS were well covered though there a number of LOTs that were rejected. Detection of AFP surveillance was heightened in all the target counties during the campaign. Vaccine accountability well monitored, with a few challenges such as high wastage rate reported.</td>
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## TRAINING DURING THE WEEK

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<td>Orientation training of community volunteers and linking them with respective supervisor</td>
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<td>2021-06-05</td>
<td>Virtual (Somali Aid)</td>
<td>Refresher training for CMs on data</td>
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<td>Orientation training of community volunteers and linking them with their respective supervisor</td>
<td>12 volunteers and 2 persons from veterinary and MOH were oriented</td>
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## INTEGRATED SUPPORT SUPERVISION USING SURVEILLANCE ODK TOOL

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| 2021-06-06 | Lower Juba, Somalia | Integrated joint support supervision using e-surveillance tool | 1. Lack of AFP specimen collecting containers at the health facilities—Provision of stool collection specimen.  
2. Immunization monitoring charts not properly filled—On job training on conducted on how to plot the immunization monitoring chart.                                                                                       | 1 district and 3 facilities visited |
| 2021-06-06 | Mandera, Kenya | Integrated joint support supervision using e-surveillance tool | 1. Presence of unverified zoonotic diseases eg Brucellosis, fever of unknown disease - Expand program scope and CDRs to have better surveillance in more areas.                                                                 | 2 district and 6 facilities visited |
Social mobilization activities are activities conducted by the community volunteers to disseminate health information including COVID-19 to the community members. The volunteers meet the community members by visiting villages and meeting through one-to-one, group and household meetings as indicated in the graphs above.
### Challenges

- Cold chain breakdown at Raskamboni health facility.
- Competing MoH priorities in Gedo affecting planned activities.
- Insecurity- ambush of vehicles along the road in Mandera.

### Planned Activities for Next Week (31 May - 6 June 2021)

- Polio coordination meeting in Gedo.
- Cross border coordination meeting between Marsabit and Wajir team in Moyale.
- Community dialogue meeting in Bakool.
- Monthly health cluster meeting in Gedo.
- Continuous COVID-19 screening of populations at point of entries in Gedo and Lower Juba regions and project supported areas in Kenya.
- Active case search (AFP, other Priority conditions & Zoonotic Priority disease).
- Routine CGPP project activities e.g., Outreaches, social mobilization, active case search and defaulter tracing.
- Defaulter tracing of children < 5yrs who have defaulted Routine Immunization.

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**Picture Speak**

- After action review meeting on RVF response in Mandera.
  
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- Community sensitization on Covid-19 during action day in Moyale.
  
  Photo credit: Abdi Galgalo- CRS.