

DISEASE 101: Sudan Ebolavirus

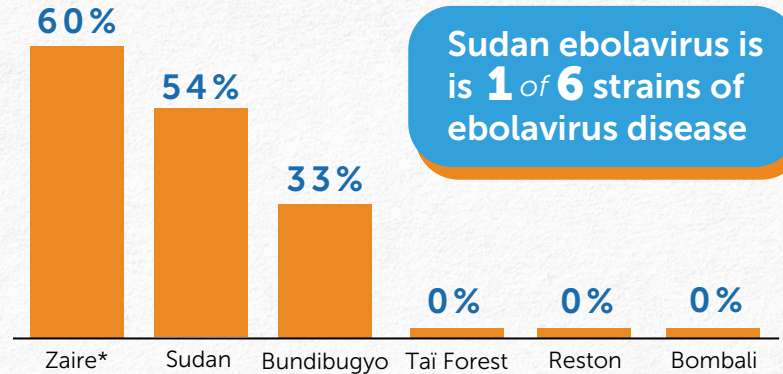


What is Ebolavirus?



- Ebola virus disease is known as a **hemorrhagic fever**.
- It can disrupt the body's clotting system and lead to **internal bleeding**.

Ebola Strains: Fatality Rates



Sudan ebolavirus is **1 of 6** strains of ebolavirus disease

*Only type of ebolavirus with approved vaccine.

Did You Know?

There are **no approved vaccines** or treatments for Sudan ebolavirus disease.

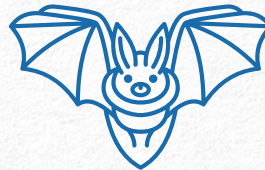


Sabin is one of a handful of organizations currently developing a vaccine.

The average fatality rate of Ebola virus disease is around

50%

Disease Transmission

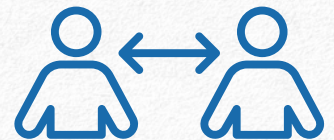


INITIAL CONTACT

The disease is transmitted to humans by infected animals, including fruit bats.

SECONDARY SPREAD

In humans, it can spread through close personal contact or contact with bodily fluids.



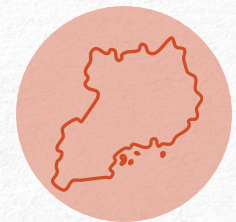
By the Numbers



There have been more than **8 outbreaks** of the Sudan ebolavirus disease.



At least **5 outbreaks** were in Uganda and **3** in Sudan.



The worst recorded Sudan ebolavirus outbreak occurred in Uganda in 2000, with **425 cases** and 224 deaths.

Sources: [WHO](#) & [CDC](#) | Updated: February 2025