



## Ebola Update: 11 November 2014

- New York City doctor Craig Spencer, who was diagnosed with Ebola last month, is now free of the virus and will be released today.
- Fujufilm's pharmaceuticals division said it expects international government bodies to approve its influenza drug, Avigan, to treat Ebola as early as the end of this year. Fujifilm said it has stock to treat 20,000 patients and enough ingredients to make Avigan for 300,000 people. Patients in Spain, France, Norway and Germany have already been treated with the drug. Four patients have survived after taking Avigan. France and Guinea will conduct clinical trials beginning this month.
- A hunger strike in Guinea has launched to protest military presence in the village of Wome where a team of Ebola awareness workers were killed this September. So far 20 village leaders are camping outside of parliament to show their opposition.
- The Sierra Leone government has announced it will give \$5,000 USD (£3,000) to the family of any health worker who dies fighting the Ebola virus.

## Clinics and Facilities Status in Affected Areas

Healix is in direct communication with those medical facilities that are still operating in the impacted regions. Please contact Healix directly for further information on the readiness of medical facilities in these areas.

## Country Travel Advice Status

Warning Level 3 - Healix Recommend "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" Warning Level 3 - Healix Recommend "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" Sierra Leone: Guinea: Warning Level 3 - Healix Recommend "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" Liberia: Alert Level 2 - Healix Recommend "Practice Enhanced Precautions"

Alert Level 1 - Healix Recommend "Practice Usual Precautions" DRC: Nigeria:

## Other African Nations Unaffected by Ebola

Healix recommend that travelers take usual precautions with vaccinations and travel arrangements but should be familiar with Ebola Precautions if Traveling to Africa.

Ebola Infection Table by Country (based on WHO and CDC reporting, updated as of 7 November):

Country	Suspected and Confirmed Case Count	Suspected and Confirmed Deaths	Laboratory Confirmed Case Count
Sierra Leone	4862	1130	4149
Liberia	6919	2766	2514
Guinea	1760	1054	1479
Nigeria	20	8	19
Spain	1	0	1
United States	4	1	4
Senegal	1	0	1
Spain*	2	2	2
United States*	5	0	5
Saudi Arabia*	0	1	0
Germany*	3	2	3
United Kingdom*	1	0	1
France*	2	0	2
Norway*	1	0	1
Mali*	1	1	1
DRC**	68	49	38
Total	13,650	5,014	8,220

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<sup>\*</sup>Persons repatriated to these countries from affected countries

\*\*The Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC) outbreak is unrelated to the epidemic in West Africa