

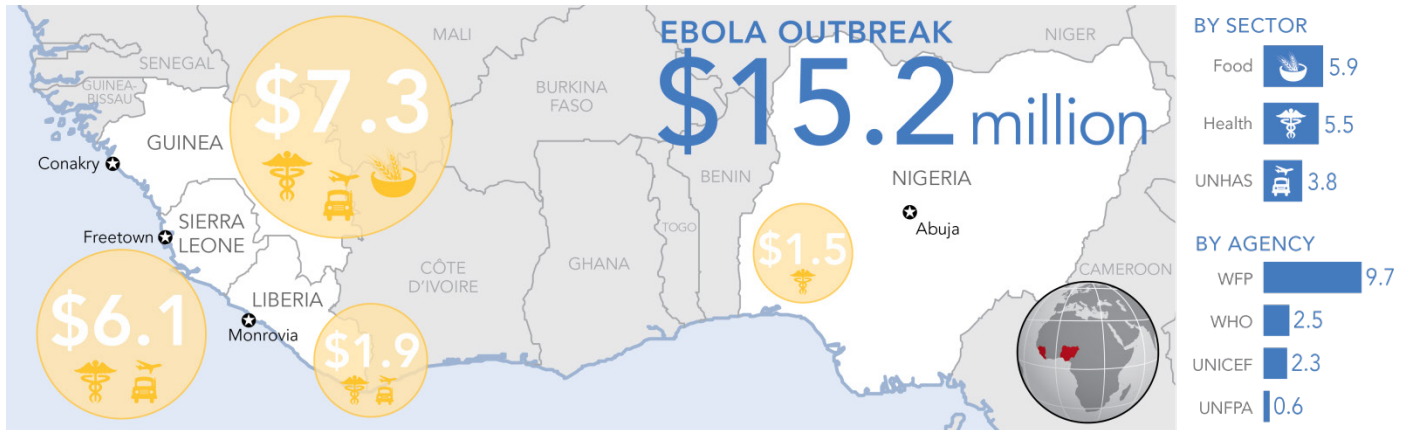
CERF response to Ebola outbreak

As of 3 October 2014, in US\$ million



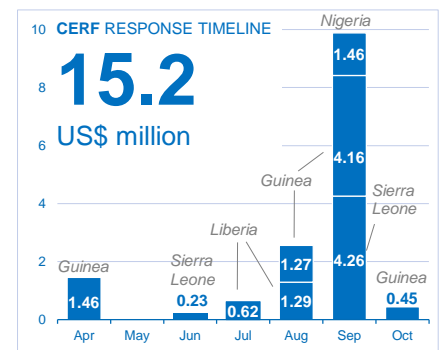
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CERF regional response overview (in US\$ million)



Allocations April–July

- At the onset of the emergency, CERF provided three rapid response health/food allocations, totaling \$2.3 million, for Guinea, Sierra Leone and Liberia. The majority of funds supported emergency health activities, including training of medical personnel, disease detection and surveillance, medical supplies, and public education.
- In April, \$1.5 million was allocated to Guinea for health and food.
- Sierra Leone followed in June with a modest request for the health sector (\$0.23 million).
- Liberia received \$0.62 million for the health response in July.



Allocations August–October

- With commercial air travel becoming increasingly scarce, CERF allocated \$3.8 million for UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS/WFP) (slightly less than \$1.3 million each for Guinea, Liberia and Sierra Leone).
- In response to confirmed cases of the virus in Nigeria, \$1.46 million was approved for immediate health sector response (UNICEF, WHO).
- With the number of cases rising and the outbreak causing broader humanitarian needs, humanitarian agencies solicited additional funding from CERF for health and food assistance. Additional \$4.26 million was approved for Sierra Leone and \$4.61 million for Guinea in September and early October, respectively.

CERF 2014 Ebola response allocations (US\$)

| Approval month | Country | Agency | By sector | | | By country |
|--------------------|--------------|--------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| | | | Food | Health | UNHAS | |
| April | Guinea | UNFPA | | 135,738 | | Guinea 7,331,484 |
| | | UNICEF | | 505,436 | | |
| | | WFP | 294,633 | | | |
| | | WHO | | 519,313 | | |
| June | Sierra Leone | UNICEF | | 131,248 | | Liberia 1,907,059 |
| | | WHO | | 103,608 | | |
| July | Liberia | UNICEF | | 306,335 | | |
| | | WHO | | 311,200 | | |
| August | Guinea | WFP | | | 1,265,381 | Nigeria 1,458,309 |
| | Liberia | WFP | | | 1,289,524 | |
| September | Sierra Leone | WFP | 2,999,515 | | 1,263,228 | Sierra Leone 4,497,599 |
| | Nigeria | UNICEF | | 394,866 | | |
| | | WHO | | | | |
| | Guinea | UNICEF | | 995,549 | | |
| October | Guinea | WFP | 2,612,224 | | | By agency |
| | | WHO | | 554,766 | | |
| | | UNFPA | | 448,444 | | |
| Grand Total | | | 5,906,372 | 5,469,946 | 3,818,133 | 15,194,451 |

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