



Ebola

Ebola disease is a rare but severe illness, caused by a virus belonging to the genus orthoebolavirus of the Filoviridae family. Death rates have varied from 25% to 90% in past outbreaks. Six species of orthoebolaviruses have been identified to date, with three known to cause large outbreaks:

- Ebola virus (EBOV) causing Ebola virus disease (EVD)
- Sudan virus (SUDV) causing Sudan virus disease (SVD)
- Bundibugyo virus (BDBV) causing Bundibugyo virus disease (BVD).

The animal reservoir of the viruses is unknown, but current evidence suggests that fruit bats (Pteropodidae) may be a host.

Source: World Health Organization (WHO) – [Q&A: What is the Ebola virus disease?](#)

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- *Further documents – click [here](#)*

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