

Kingfisher Journeys Statement on the 2026 Ebola Outbreak

Introduction

Client safety and wellbeing is always our top priority. In everything we do, Kingfisher Journeys adopts best practice during the planning, preparation and delivery of our activities, trips and tours. We adhere to official advice and guidance to do all we can to minimise risk.

Situation

On 17 May 2026, the WHO declared an Ebola outbreak in DRC and Uganda as an emergency of international concern so that it can secure support from the international community.

On 17 May 2026, the Rwanda Ministry of Health also stated:

Rwanda is closely monitoring the Ebola outbreak in the DRC.

There is currently no case of Ebola in Rwanda.

Preventive measures and heightened surveillance remain in place to protect the safety of People of Rwanda.¹

Kingfisher Journeys is monitoring the situation closely. Should the situation or official advice change, we will promptly make appropriate adjustments. In the meantime, Kingfisher Journeys activities, trips and tours are and will therefore operate as usual.

Each booking will be treated on a case-by-case basis, however, our standard terms for changes and any cancellation fees continue to apply.

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¹ <https://x.com/RwandaHealth/status/2056074189379973513?s=20>