

African experts manage European mobile laboratories: EU training that paid off during the Ebola outbreak

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Introduction

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Presentation

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Six Nigerian experts have been operating a mobile laboratory in Sierra Leone since December, testing Ebola samples. Their work is the result of longer term EU training efforts to strengthen crisis preparedness in Africa.

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