

Appendix 7. District level supply forecasting tool

- The below is a description of elements included in the tool.
- The full Excel-based, modifiable tool can be found at: www.gtfcc.org
- This tool is designed to help teams estimate basic supply needs at a district level.

For each district, teams input the following elements:

- Population
- Cases and deaths reported to date
- Estimated final cumulative incidence rate

The tool provides the following outputs per district and overall:

- Estimated cases to the end of the outbreak (excluding those already reported)
- Estimated needs
 - Sachets of ORS
 - Litres of Ringer's Lactate
 - 100 mg tablets of doxycycline
 - 10 mg tablets of zinc
 - Number of beds during peak

For those ordering via UN procurement, a tool to help guide ordering of the WHO cholera kits is available here:
<https://www.who.int/cholera/kit/en/>