

**Question for written answer E-007262/2014
to the Commission**

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Subject: Commission actions to control the risk of the Ebola virus spreading

The World Health Organisation (WHO) estimates that about 20 000 people will be infected by the Ebola virus by November 2014. So far, this virus has been somewhat contained in African countries. Migration routes may involve passing through countries fighting the challenges posed by the Ebola virus.

The EU is not immune to the risk of receiving migrants who have contracted this virus. The Member States bordering the Mediterranean, including Malta, are at greatest risk given that they receive a large number of migrants.

1. What is the Commission doing in its migration-related actions and projects, such as the Frontex operations, to control the risk of the Ebola virus spreading through migration?
2. How is the Commission ensuring that Member States receiving 'at-risk' migrants are well prepared for this eventuality?