inistry of Health declares elimination of river blindness in Budongo focus (Buliisa, Hoima and Masindi districts) and Bwindi focus (Kanungu, Kisoro and Rubanda districts).

Uganda has successfully freed 1,469,147 people from river blindness (onchocerciasis), based on the current World Health Organization (WHO) guidelines, bringing the country closer to achieving its goal of eliminating river blindness nationwide by