

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

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2019 SNAPSHOT

59
human resources

1
health facility supported

2,971,148 €
invested in projects

IN 2019

In 2019, our **support at the Paediatric Bangui Hospital, in the capital**, became fully operational in close collaboration with *Action contre la Faim (ACF)* and the Bambino Gesù Children's Hospital in Rome. The support helps to improve **clinical care for children and enhance the administrative and managerial skills of the hospital**. In 2019, the facility produced its first annual report. Thanks to the Bambino Gesù hospital in Rome, work was completed on the new Malnutrition Department and renovation of the *triage*, emergency and pharmacy services. **CUAMM has supported the hospital with the operational reorganisation of clinical services following the renovation**. Since 1 December 2019, CUAMM has been providing technical assistance to train and support the staff of the *Équipes Cadres Régionales* and *Équipes Cadres des Districts* of 6 health districts and 14 priority regions, as part of the project led by AICS (RECARD) and financed by the EU Békou Fund.

OUR HISTORY

July 2018
Start of CUAMM's work in the Bangui paediatric complex.

August 2018
Giovanni Putoto, our programming manager, met with President Faustin-Archange Touadéra of the Central African Republic, to launch the project supporting Bangui Children's Hospital, partly funded by the Békou Fund of the European Commission.

April 2019
Stefano Vicentini, project leader, presented the project activities and Bangui paediatric hospital data to the National Assembly of the Central African Republic.

November 2019
Central African Republic Health Minister Pierre Somse, and DG DEVCO Director General Stefano Manservigi pay a visit to Bangui children's hospital.

December 2019
The EU Békou trust fund was renewed for CUAMM and ACF, which extended their activities and cooperation with Bangui children's hospital for a further year.

Country profile

Bangui
Capital

4.7 million
Population

622,984 km²
area

17,6 anni
età media della popolazione

51/55 years
Life expectancy (m/f)

4.7
Average number of children per woman

188th of 189
countries
Human Development Index



882 of 100,000
live births
Maternal mortality rate



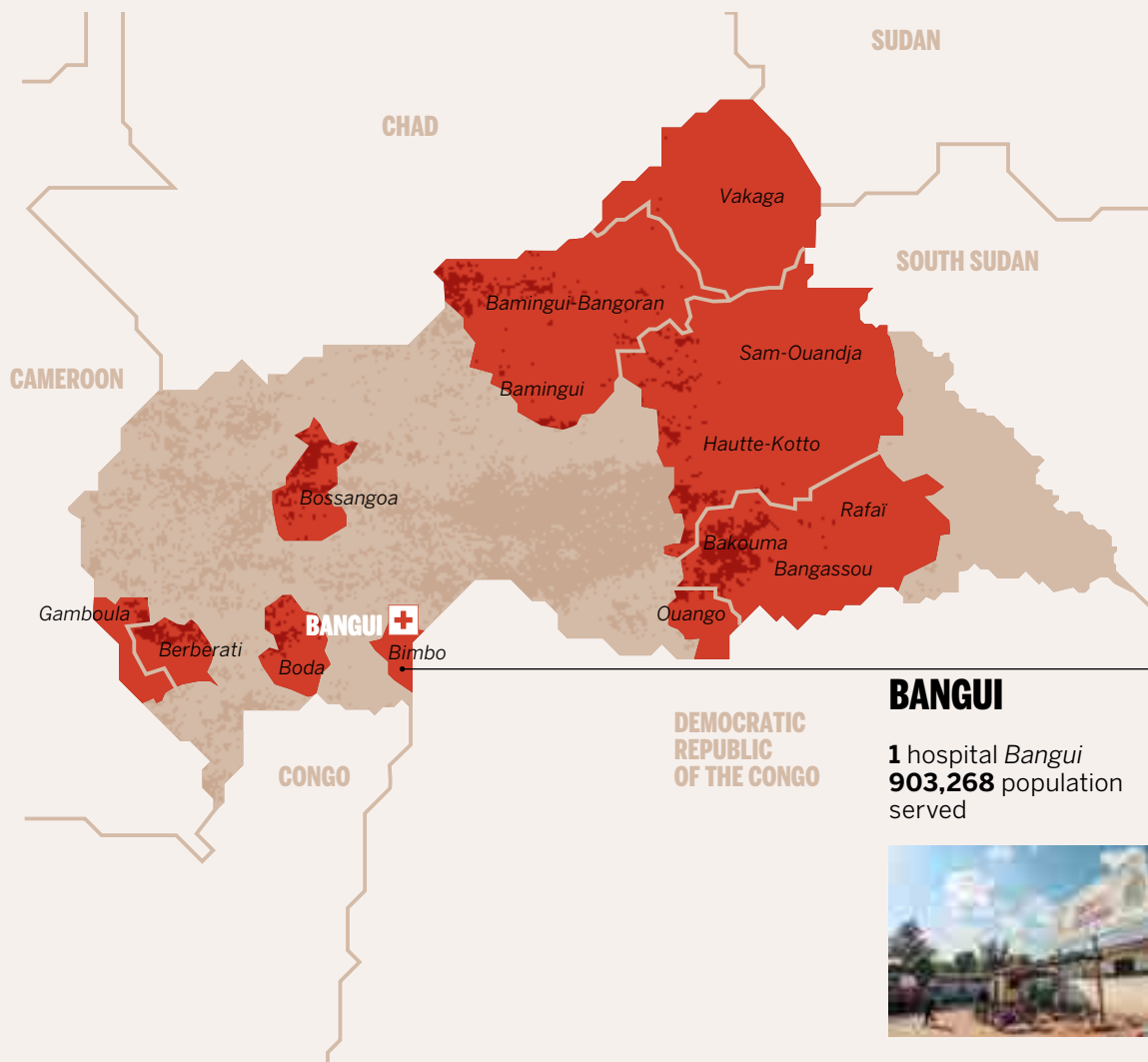
121.5 of 1,000
live births
Under-five mortality rate



87.6 of 1,000
live births
Neonatal mortality rate



WHERE WE WORK



BANGUI

1 hospital *Bangui*
903,268 population served



RESULTS ACHIEVED



MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

68,468

visits for children under 5

17,287

paediatric admissions

1,318

newborns admitted to neonatal intensive care

1,560

children admitted to intensive care

2,438

vaccinations

907

major paediatric surgeries including **195** orthopaedic

1,211

minor paediatric surgeries