

UGANDA

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2019 SNAPSHOT

89
human resources

410
health facilities supported

2,248,924 €
invested in projects

IN 2019

We continued our work to support the health system in 6 districts affected by the influx of 1,000,000 South Sudanese refugees, with a particular focus on **improving services for mothers and children and nutritional programmes**.

We continued our efforts in the **Karamoja region and Oyam district** with a widespread intervention throughout the villages, health centres, and hospitals, including Matany and Aber Hospitals.

We promoted community awareness, prenatal visits, attended births, and emergency transportation. We also continued to focus on **tuberculosis** in Karamoja, to **improve diagnosis and treatment**, especially for multidrug resistant TB. Lastly, we started a five-year intervention in partnership with **other NGOs operating throughout the Lango region**, with the goal of strengthening a health system which serves more than 2,000,000 people.

OUR HISTORY

1958
First doctor sent to the Angal Hospital.

1979
Bilateral cooperation between Italy and Uganda in the health field: first CUAMM doctors start working in the national health system.

1990s
Rebuilding of the Aber Hospital and renovation of the hospitals in Maracha, Angal, Aber, and Matany.

2012
Start of the "Mothers and Children First" programme.

2016
Start of the "Mothers and Children First. 1000 Days." programme, for the period from conception through to the first two years of the child's life.

2017
CUAMM arrived in the West Nile to support the emergency response for South Sudanese refugees.

2018
Start of the intervention throughout the Lango region.

Country profile

Kampala
Capital

42.7 million
Population

241,037 km²
area

16.7 years
Average age of the population

61/65 years
Life expectancy (m/f)

5
Average number of children per woman

159th of 189 countries
Human Development Index



343 of 100,000 live births
Maternal mortality rate



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



35,4 of 1,000 live births
Neonatal mortality rate



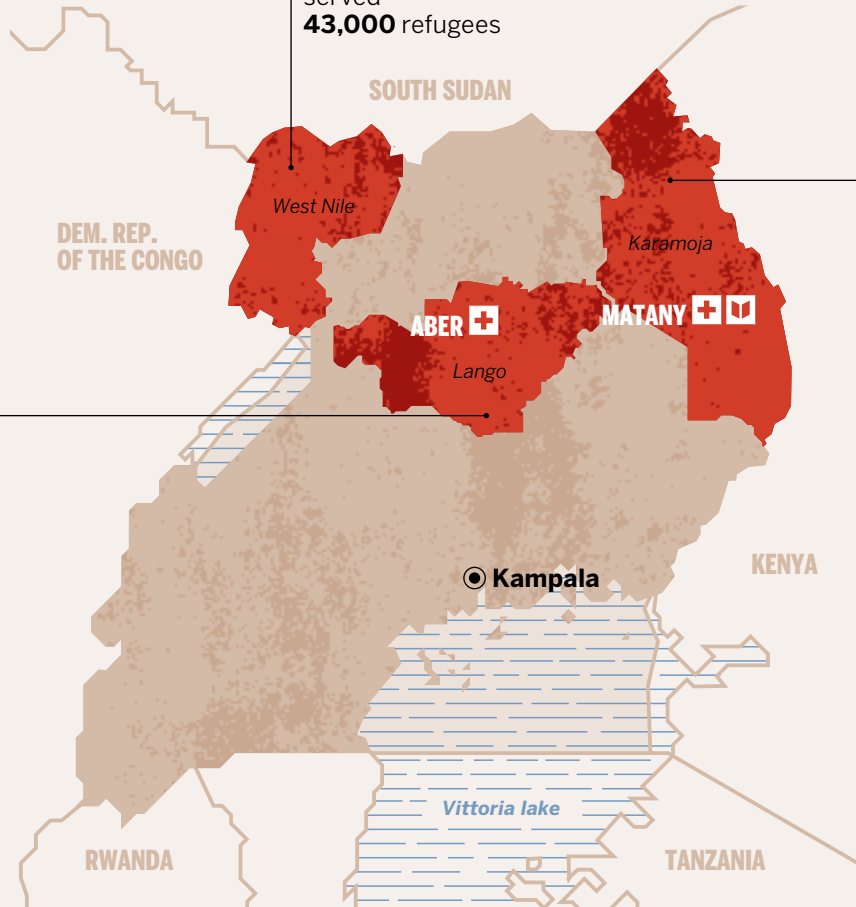
WHERE WE WORK



WEST NILE REGION

1 district *Arua district*
 1 hospital *Arua regional referral hospital*
 1 health centre
 59,546 population served
 43,000 refugees

N.B.: only Aber and Matany come under the hospitals considered in the Focus on Hospitals.



KARAMOJA REGION





3 hospitals
Matany, Moroto, Amudat
 9 districts
Napak, Nakapiripirit, Nabilatuk, Amudat, Moroto, Abim, Kotido, Kaabong Karenga
 77 health centres
 1,155,906 population served



LANGO REGION

6 hospitals *Aber, Lira regional referral, Amai, Apac, Nightingale Hospital, St Anne*
 9 districts *Oyam, Apac, Kwania, Kole, Lira, Otuke, Alebtong, Dokolo, Amolatar*
 175 health centres
 2,374,500 population served

RESULTS ACHIEVED

	MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH	237,649 prenatal visits	3,231 transfers for obstetric emergencies	94,954 attended births	759,001 visits of children under 5 years of age
	NUTRITION	1,478 children treated for severe acute malnutrition			
	INFECTIOUS DISEASES	1,446,867 patients treated for malaria	3,074 patients treated for tuberculosis	5,665 patients undergoing antiretroviral treatment	
	ONGOING TRAINING	930 agenti comunitari	59 nurses and 54 midwives	11 doctors	17 nurses and 23 midwives graduated from the School of Matany