

# SOUTH SUDAN

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## IN 2021

Doctors with Africa CUAMM maintained its characteristic approach in South Sudan in 2021, providing **integrated and comprehensive support** to help strengthen the national system and build up the resiliency of local communities. More specifically, we provided support to 11 county health offices, 5 hospitals, and 135 peripheral health facilities.

A network of **413 nutrition workers** was activated to integrate the diagnosis and treatment of acute, moderate and severe malnutrition, including the hospitalization of those with complications, at 50 different sites.

Nutritional support was also provided to AIDS and tuberculosis patients and their families through the mobilization and **training of some 1,350 community agents**, which helped ensure nutritional screening and the treatment of cases of malaria, diarrhea and pneumonia in the country's most remote regions.

Doctors with Africa CUAMM also supported vaccination drive volunteers and provided **mobile health teams** and a **free ambulance service** to enable a prompt response to the needs of those displaced by conflict and floods. In addition, we continued our efforts to help contain **COVID-19** in 2021, taking the lead in the

**implementation of the country's vaccination campaign**, initially at the hospital level and subsequently through outreach activities as well, helping get shots into the arms of 8,444 individuals, including 1,193 health staff, in the period from June to December 2021.

CUAMM also made good on its commitment to ensure appropriate working conditions at health facilities through staff training, the supply of protective equipment, improved hygiene, the reorganization of spaces, and new entry screening procedures. **Isolation areas** were set up at hospitals and support was provided to help decentralize the diagnostic process. Our organization also helped with **outreach and awareness-raising efforts to help communities understand how to prevent and manage the spread of COVID-19 infection**.

Lastly, CUAMM renewed its efforts to help train qualified local health staff, continuing our support of the Health Sciences Institute in Lui and strengthening our intervention at its counterpart in Rumbek.

## 2021 SNAPSHOT

**333**  
human resources

**3,400**  
human resources managed

**140**  
health facilities supported

**€12,410,111**  
invested in projects

## COUNTRY PROFILE

**Juba**  
capital

**11,381,000**  
population

**658,841 sq. km.**  
land area

**19**  
average age of population

**56/59**  
life expectancy at birth (m/f)

**4.5**  
average no. of children per woman

**185<sup>th</sup> out of 189 countries**  
human development index ranking



**1,150**  
**maternal deaths**  
per 100,000 live births



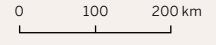
**98.6**  
**under-5 child deaths**  
per 1,000 live births



**63.7**  
**newborn deaths**  
per 1,000 live births



# WHERE WE WORK



## FORMER WESTERN LAKES STATE

1 hospital (Rumbek)  
 1 school for nurses and midwives (Rumbek)  
 4 counties  
 52 health centers  
 541,787 population served

## FORMER EASTERN LAKES STATE

1 hospital (Yirol)  
 3 counties  
 27 health centers  
 305,611 population served



## FORMER AMADI STATE

1 hospital (Lui)  
 1 school for nurses and midwives (Lui)  
 3 counties  
 42 health centers  
 183,513 population served



CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC

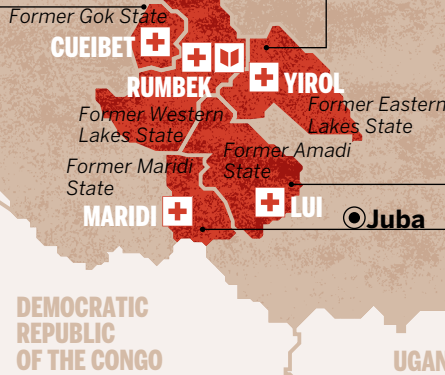
## FORMER GOK STATE

1 hospital (Cueibet)  
 1 county  
 13 health centers  
 126,941 population served



SUDAN

ETHIOPIA



DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO





UGANDA

KENYA

## FORMER MARIDI STATE

1 hospital (Maridi)  
 1 county  
 115,719 population served

# RESULTS ACHIEVED

 <b>MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH</b>	<b>69,559</b> prenatal visits conducted	<b>20,190</b> deliveries attended	<b>361,926</b> under-5 children examined	<b>33,768</b> vaccinations administered
 <b>NUTRITION</b>	<b>354</b> children treated for severe acute malnutrition			
 <b>INFECTIOUS DISEASES</b>	<b>135,825</b> patients treated for malaria			
 <b>CHRONIC DISEASES</b>	<b>924</b> community agents	<b>62</b> nurses and midwives	<b>31</b> doctors	<b>88</b> others