

ETHIOPIA

IN 2024

In 2024, the conflict in Ethiopia's Amhara region became chronic, reconstruction began post-conflict in Tigray, and the country saw a recession and inflation, culminating in the devaluation of the Ethiopian birr. Nevertheless, Doctors with Africa CUAMM has strengthened its activities in the country, **reinforcing the health system and providing a humanitarian assistance.** Support for **type 1 diabetes** services in 34 hospitals, conducted in partnership with the Ministry of Health and the Ethiopian Diabetes Association, was concluded, and a project to reinforce neonatology via an advanced training center at the **Black Lion Hospital in Addis Ababa**, in partnership with the **Ethiopian Pediatric Society** and the **Union of European Neonatal and Perinatal Societies** was launched. In **Tigray**, we began a program to restore life-saving health and nutrition services for displaced people and their host communities in **Shire Indasilasse** District, supporting **Suhul Hospital** in Shire and 5 healthcare facilities. At **St. Luke - Wolisso Hospital** in **South West Shoa Zone**, CUAMM guaranteed national and international specialized clinical personnel. The number of people treated increased, despite financial challenges and the opening of a new government hospital in the city. Projects

for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of **tuberculosis** and **malnutrition** were completed. In the **South Omo Zone**, CUAMM's humanitarian work to support IDPs in the Dassenech district continued, following intense flooding. In the Hamar district, a multi-sector program for health, nutrition, education, Wash and protection for vulnerable groups was launched. In the **Gambella** region, CUAMM followed up on the activities for South Sudanese refugees in the Nguenyiel, Tierkidi and Jewi refugee camps, extending its support to *health centers*, improving infrastructure and guaranteeing trained clinical personnel. Two hospitals and seven *health centers* in the regional health system were bolstered, with special attention to disabilities and childbirth assistance (perinatal asphyxia and its consequences). In the **Somali Region**, we continued our health interventions in the Harawa district, providing mobile clinics for the local population and those who have been internally displaced due to the drought in the Liben Zone, and supporting **Filtu General Hospital**. Lastly, in the city of **Debre Berhan, North Shewa**, Amhara, CUAMM continued to assist displaced populations with mobile health and nutrition clinics.

2024 SNAPSHOT

369
human resources

69
health facilities supported

€6,951,286
invested in projects

COUNTRY PROFILE

Addis Ababa
capital city

116,462,712
population

1,104,300 km²
land area

20.2 years
average age of the population

64.9/69.4 years
life expectancy at birth (m/f)

3.9
average n. of children per woman

175th
out of 191
countries
HDI ranking



267
out of every
100,000 live
births
maternal mortality



47
out of every
1,000
live births
under-5 child deaths



26
out of every
1,000
live births
newborn deaths



WHERE WE WORK



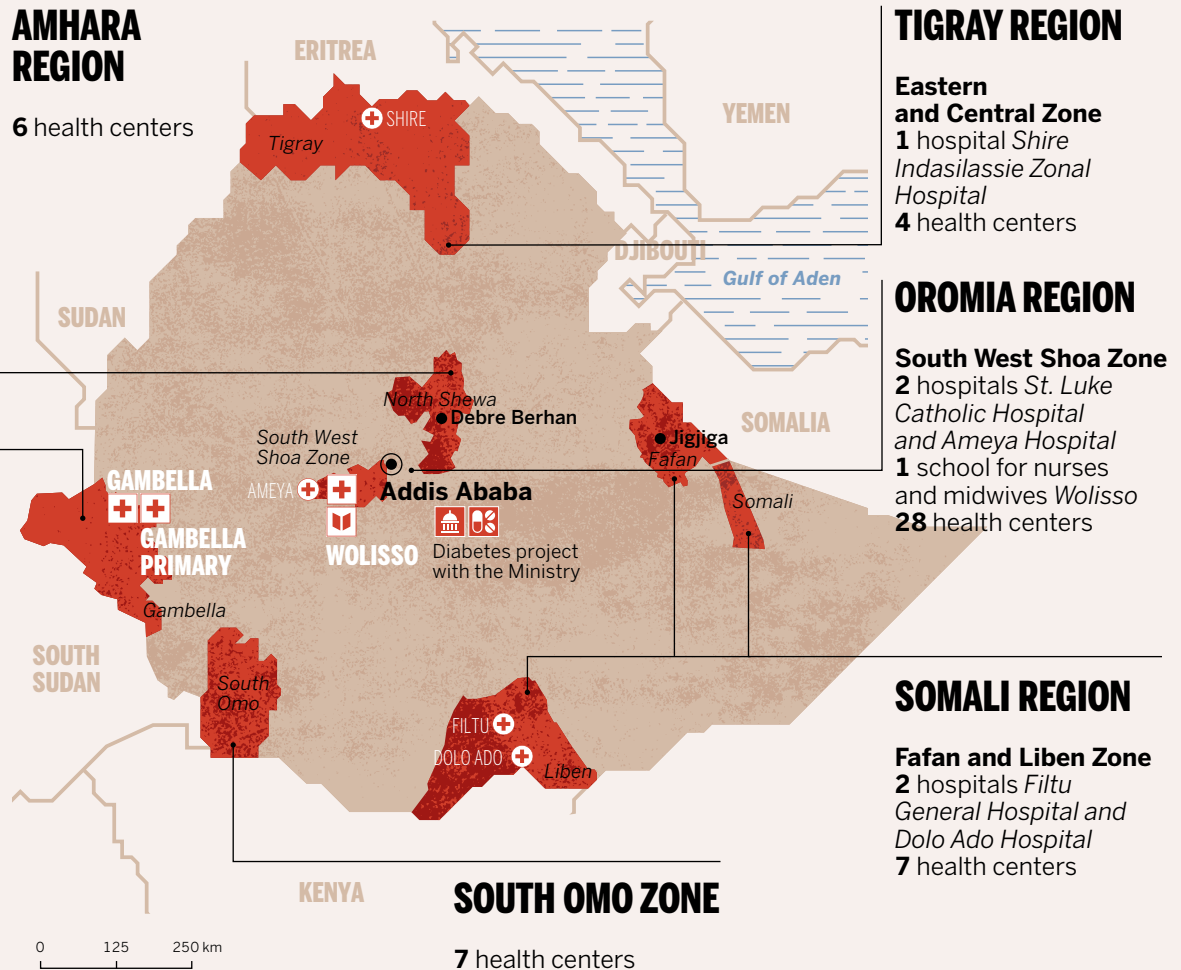
GAMBELLA REGION

2 hospitals Gambella General Hospital and Gambella Primary Hospital
5 healthcare stations in the refugee camps of Tierkidi, Nguenyiel and Jewi
11 health centers



AMHARA REGION

6 health centers



TIGRAY REGION

Eastern and Central Zone
1 hospital Shire Indasilassie Zonal Hospital
4 health centers








OROMIA REGION

South West Shoa Zone
2 hospitals St. Luke Catholic Hospital and Ameya Hospital
1 school for nurses and midwives Wolisso
28 health centers

SOMALI REGION

Fafan and Liben Zone
2 hospitals Filtu General Hospital and Dolo Ado Hospital
7 health centers

RESULTS

 MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH	69,675 prenatal doctor's visits	33,924 deliveries attended	291,406 under-5 children visited	2,038 trips provided for obstetric emergencies	28,255 vaccinations administered
 NUTRITION	805 children treated for malnutrition				
 INFECTIOUS DISEASES	1,443 patients diagnosed with tuberculosis	341,149 patients treated for malaria	1,652 patients treated with antiretroviral therapy for HIV		
 CONTINUAL TRAINING	500 community agents	646 nurses and midwives	298 doctors	253 others	
 CHRONIC DISEASES	12,324 visits for diabetes	28,930 visits for hypertension	1,788 patients with diabetes	22 patients with cerebral ischemia	
 SURGICAL PROCEDURES	2,520 major surgical procedures, incl. 229 orthopedic ones				
 HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE	109,127 emergency room visits	129 obstetric & neonatal emergencies transferred	804 deliveries attended	4,705 prenatal visits conducted	