



DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO ICRC ACTIVITIES FROM JANUARY TO DECEMBER 2021

The International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) in the Democratic Republic of the Congo promotes respect for international humanitarian law and helps people affected by conflict and violence to become self-sufficient, often in cooperation with the Red Cross Society of the Democratic Republic of the Congo. We also work to improve water supply and sanitation facilities, reunite separated family members and strengthen the provision of health care for sick and wounded people, and victims of sexual violence.



HEALTH

people received health-care services – including surgery for weapon wounds, psychosocial support, physical rehabilitation, and nutritional and medical assistance – in health centres, hospitals and prison dispensaries.



WATER

people benefited from access to water or improvements to water-supply facilities in urban and rural areas.



ECONOMIC SECURITY

people received food, cash assistance, vouchers, household items or agricultural support.



COOPERATION WITH THE RED CROSS SOCIETY OF DR CONGO

wounded people were treated and human remains were buried with dignity by first-aiders.



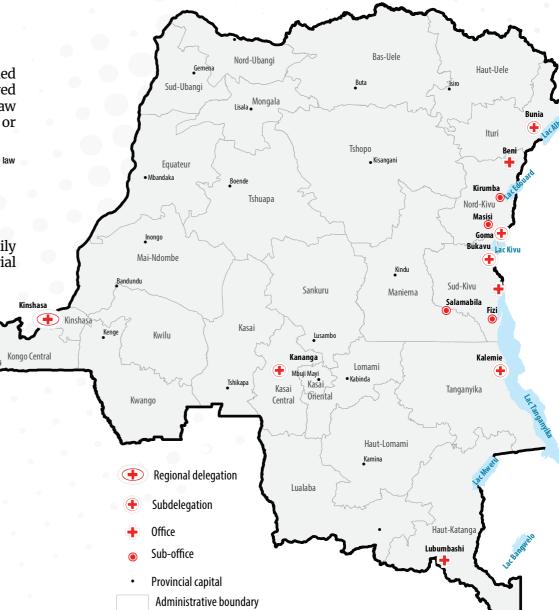
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members of the armed and security forces, armed groups and members of civil society received information on international humanitarian law and humanitarian principles, either directly or through the media (estimate).



PROTECTION

detainees benefited from our Restoring Family Links services and improvements to the material conditions of detention in facilities we visited.



ICRC presence in DR Congo in 2021