



FACTS:

- **DCA has operated in DR Congo since 2004.**
- **People supported in 2022:** 292,476 people.
- **Annual turnover in 2022:** 32.2 million DKK
- **National Partner:** Action pour le Développement Intégral par la Conservation Communautaire (ADIC).

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OPERATIONAL CONTEXT:

The Democratic Republic of Congo remains one of the world's most complex and protracted humanitarian crises in the world with over 5.5 million internally displaced people and 27 million people in need of humanitarian assistance and protection. While the situation has relatively improved in some regions, armed conflicts and natural disasters continued to cause major population movements especially in the eastern part of the country under the state of siege declared in May 2021.

North Kivu, South Kivu, Maniema and Tanganyika provinces where DCA is currently active continue to be characterized by an overlay of crisis drivers and deepening humanitarian needs. Thus, these provinces are among those hosting most of the millions of people, who have fled their homes.

DCA continues to assist the most vulnerable internally displaced people, host communities, and refugees through integrated humanitarian assistance, clearance of mines and Explosive Remnants of War, and provision of explosive ordnance risk

WHAT DO WE DO:



We provide **lifesaving humanitarian assistance** to the most vulnerable people who have been **displaced due to the conflict**, with a particular focus on women and children.



We provide **shelters and essential goods to internally displaced people and provide assistance to victims of gender-based violence**. We create groups to discuss and create awareness of the negative consequences of gender-based violence and harmful gender norms.



DCA is the only international NGO in the DR Congo doing **mine action**. By removing mines and explosive remnants of war and conducting **mine risk education**, we save lives and ensure that people can use the fields and roads that have been contaminated by mines and other explosive remnants of war.

HOW AND WHERE WE WORK:

Clearance: DCA conducts **Manual Mine Clearance (MMC), Technical Survey (TS), Non-Technical Survey (NTS), and Battle Area Clearance (BAC)**, thus increasing access to roads, rivers, schools, and agricultural land enabling the beneficiaries to resume their farming activities and ensured freedom of movement.

Protection: DCA conducts training and education in prevention of Gender Based Violence (GBV) support to survivors of GBV. Additionally, DCA is implementing **Psychosocial Support (PSS) activities**, including the establishment of **Child Friendly Spaces, recreational activities, and training of PSS focal points.**

Shelter and Non-Food Items (NFI): DCA provides **shelter and NFIs** to vulnerable populations, including Internally Displaced People (IDP's) and host communities.

Cash and Livelihoods: DCA provides livelihood activities, including **cash and Income Generation Activities (IGA)** to the most vulnerable displaced populations and host communities.

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