

Costs and Outcomes of Integrated Human African Trypanosomiasis Surveillance System Using Rapid Diagnostic Tests, Democratic Republic of the Congo

Appendix

Materials and Methods

Function used to estimate the annual financial cost

Total annual financial cost excluding variable management cost (Total annual cost excluding variable management cost x 1.15) =

Purchase/replacement value capital equipment and training

+ People screened x cost Rapid Diagnostic test (Cost for the RDT implementation at health facility level is not taken in account because this is not directly financed by the health care provider)

+ People microscopically confirmed x (cost Blood sample + cost mAECT)

+ Cases x cost lumbar puncture (LP)

+ Stage 1 cases x Cost treatment with pentamidine

+ Stage 2 cases x Cost treatment with NECT

+ Costs for management and supervision

Total annual cost = Total annual cost excluding variable management cost x 1.15

Function used to estimate the annual economic cost

Total annual economic cost excluding variable management cost =

Annualized discounted cost capital equipment and training

+ People screened x cost Rapid Diagnostic test

- + People screened x cost RDT implementation at health facility level
- + People microscopically confirmed x (cost Blood sample (BS) + cost mAECT) (None of the facilities reported any lymph node aspirations done and no cases were diagnosed through lymph node aspirations.)
- + Cases x cost lumbar puncture (LP)
- + Stage 1 cases x Cost treatment with pentamidine
- + Stage 2 cases x Cost treatment with NECT
- + Costs for management and supervision

Total annual economic cost = Total annual economic cost excluding variable management cost x 1.15

Function used to estimate the annualized discounted economic cost of capital equipment

The annualised discounted economic costs of the equipment was calculated by averaging the annual discounted costs based on the useful life of the equipment. For each year (n) in the future the value of costs was multiplied by $1/(1+D)^n$ where D is the discount rate.

For example for a car with a value of 40,000\$ with a useful life of 4 years and a discount rate of 3% the annual discounted economic cost would be calculated as followed:

$$[10,000 * (1/(1+0.03)^0 + 1/(1+0.03)^1 + 1/(1+0.03)^2 + 1/(1+0.03)^3)]/4$$

$$[10,000 * (1+0.97+0.94+0.92)]/4 = 38,286 /4 = 9,571$$

Appendix Table 1. Number of curative consultations, malaria tests and HAT tests performed, and HAT cases detected

Characteristic	Curative consultations	Number of malaria RDTs performed	Malaria RDT negative	Number of HAT RDTs performed	HAT RDT positive	Number of mAECT performed	mAECT positive/ HAT cases
Mosango	91,053	56,266	12,823	10,981	81	18	4
Facilities: RDT & mAECT	17,591	6,849	1,190	1,320	14	11	0
Facilities: RDT only	73,463	49,417	11,634	9,661	67	7	4
Yasa Bonga	63,435	37,452	9,189	7,244	142	105	23
Facilities: RDT & mAECT	20,051	9,829	3,686	3,106	87	87	18
Facilities: RDT only	43,384	27,623	5,503	4,138	55	18	5
Grand Total	154,488	93,718	22,012	18,225	223	123	27

Appendix Table 2. Number of confirmation test done on sleeping sickness seropositives (n = 223)*

Characteristic	Not tested	mAECT neg	Results microscopy tests			Total	Total mAECT pos.
			mAECT pos; Stage 1	mAECT pos; Stage 2	mAECT pos; Stage unknown		
Screened at RDT centers	97 (80%)	16 (13%)	2 (2%)	5 (4%)	2 (2%)	122	9 (36%)
Screened at RDT & mAECT centers	3 (3%)	80 (79%)	1 (1%)	16 (16%)	1 (1%)	101	18 (8%)
Total screened	100 (45%)	96 (43%)	3 (1%)	21 (9%)	3 (1%)	223	27 (22%)

*Total mAECT positives as a proportion of total mAECT tested.

Appendix Table 3. Disease stage* of HAT cases identified in the study facilities in each health district*

Characteristic	Mosango			Yasa Bonga			Total		
	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total
Stage 1	0	0	0	8	3	11	8	3	11
Stage 2	2	0	2	7	4	11	9	4	13
Stage unknown	2	0	2	0	1	1	2	1	3
Grand Total	4	0	4	15	8	23	19	8	27

*Stage 1: hematolympathic stage of the disease; Stage 2: meningoencephalitic stage of the disease.

Appendix Table 4. Number of curative consultations, malaria tests and HAT tests performed, and HAT cases detected per health facility in 2017 and 2018

Characteristic	Curative consultations			RDT Malaria			RDT Malaria +			RDT HAT			RDT HAT +			mAECT			New cases		
	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total
Mosango	45,045	46,009	91,053	27,966	28,300	56,266	21,173	22,270	43,442	5,725	5,256	10,981	57	24	81	9	9	18	4	-	4
RDT & mAECT	12,077	10,236	22,313	5,464	4,062	9,526	4,229	3,331	7,560	1,328	757	2,085	17	8	25	7	6	13	2	-	2
CS KINZENZENG	4,532	3,214	7,746	1,673	1,901	3,574	1,309	1,688	2,997	670	281	951	6	2	8	1	1				
CS KUMBI MBWANA	3,879	1,787	5,666	3,252	1,249	4,501	2,573	1,027	3,600	269	223	492	2	1	3	1	1				
HGR MOSANGO	2,444	3,154	5,598	287	334	621	135	149	284	266	48	314	3	-	3	3	3				
HS/CSR KINZAMBA II	1,222	2,081	3,303	252	578	830	212	467	679	123	205	328	6	5	11	4	4	8	2	-	2
RDT	32,968	35,773	68,741	22,502	24,238	46,740	16,944	18,939	35,883	4,397	4,499	8,896	40	16	56	2	3	5	2	-	2
CS Mosenge (KINZAMBA II)	4,362	3,712	8,074	1,657	2,114	3,771	1,195	1,181	2,376	617	482	1,099	5	-	5						
CS Camp Pompe/CS Mosango	3,152	3,910	7,062	2,812	2,779	5,591	2,039	2,256	4,295	771	456	1,227	1	-	1						
CS KASAY	3,133	806	3,939	2,270	1,153	3,423	1,804	840	2,644	401	325	726	5	-	5	1	1	1	1	1	1
CS KINZAMBA I	2,852	2,508	5,360	1,737	1,624	3,361	1,422	1,288	2,710	212	271	483	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CS MUDIAMBU	2,628	3,190	5,818	2,084	2,448	4,532	1,427	1,937	3,364	480	501	981	17	4	21						
CS MULUMA	2,506	3,061	5,567	1,480	1,559	3,039	1,217	1,298	2,515	76	59	135	1	2	3						

Characteristic	Curative consultations			RDT Malaria			RDT Malaria +		RDT HAT		RDT HAT +		mAECT			New cases		
	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total	2017	2018	Total
CS YENZI	2,461	2,295	4,756	1,806	1,336	3,142	1,498	1,087	2,585	336	284	620	1	1	2			
CS KITAMBO	2,436	2,523	4,959	2,027	1,887	3,914	1,555	1,595	3,150	275	238	513	1	-	1			
CS MUWANDA KOSO	2,362	2,125	4,487	1,765	1,399	3,164	1,363	1,129	2,492	311	257	568	-	-	-			
CS KIPWANGA	2,277	2,947	5,224	1,824	2,121	3,945	1,284	1,684	2,968	273	397	670	4	-	4			
CS MANGUNGU	2,105	1,649	3,754	1,152	958	2,110	683	734	1,417	295	187	482	1	1	2			
CS KIPEMBE	1,657	2,252	3,909	1,288	1,689	2,977	1,008	1,398	2,406	266	229	495	3	6	9	2	2	
CS KINZANDA	1,037	1,205	2,242	600	871	1,471	449	751	1,200	84	133	217	-	-	-			
CS Mbulu		1,443	1,443		1,019	1,019		709	709		494	494	1	1	1	1	1	
CS Kumbi Makopa		2,147	2,147		1,281	1,281		1,052	1,052		186	186	1	1	1			
Yasa Bonga	27,072	36,363	63,435	16,933	20,519	37,452	12,037	16,226	28,263	2,608	4,636	7,244	69	73	142	40	65	105
RDT & mAECT	10,590	11,391	21,981	5,780	5,529	11,309	3,320	3,824	7,144	1,175	2,347	3,522	36	60	96	31	60	91
HGR BONGA YASA	1,978	1,932	3,910	717	726	1,443	217	335	552	319	1,249	1,568	4	17	21	4	17	21
HS KITOY	2,417	1,160	3,577	1,054	550	1,604	615	343	958	94	155	249	17	12	29	17	12	29
HS MOKAMO	2,260	2,283	4,543	1,040	814	1,854	386	361	747	316	475	791	6	12	18	6	12	18
CS MBANZA MFUMU NKENTO	1,419	2,487	3,906	1,057	1,390	2,447	777	1,079	1,856	124	138	262	1	4	5	4	4	4
CS DUNDA	1,101	1,646	2,747	788	913	1,701	538	683	1,221	113	168	281	5	4	9	4	4	8
CS KIMPUTU	853	697	1,550	670	373	1,043	484	328	812	133	82	215	2	3	5	3	3	3
CS MANDONDO	562	1,186	1,748	454	763	1,217	303	695	998	76	80	156	1	8	9	8	8	8
RDT	16,482	24,972	41,454	11,153	14,990	26,143	8,717	12,402	21,119	1,433	2,289	3,722	33	13	46	9	5	14
CS YASA	1,335	2,093	3,428	765	1,272	2,037	605	1,072	1,677	80	191	271	5	-	5	1	1	1
CS KWAYA	1,235	1,288	2,523	848	776	1,624	704	644	1,348	59	122	181	1	1	2	1	1	1
CS KIMBWAYAMU	987	942	1,929	706	623	1,329	561	507	1,068	108	92	200	4	1	5	3	1	4
CS LULAU	982	1,236	2,218	669	816	1,485	565	718	1,283	105	94	199	2	-	2			
CS MBANZA GOBARI	974	946	1,920	760	769	1,529	646	600	1,246	76	95	171	4	-	4			
CS LUWANGA	969	1,010	1,979	601	704	1,305	403	539	942	119	132	251	-	1	1	1	1	1
CS FULA	814	2,096	2,910	656	749	1,405	529	689	1,218	104	54	158	5	1	6			
CS PELO KUMBI	673	759	1,432	378	373	751	303	290	593	28	85	113	1	1	2			
CS KIMBINGA	966	1,255	2,221	525	803	1,328	322	585	907	39	194	233	1	-	1			
CS KIAMFU	941	965	1,906	627	621	1,248	477	450	927	66	201	267	1	-	1	1	1	1
CS KINA KABOBA	912	883	1,795	631	718	1,349	513	645	1,158	53	123	176	1	-	1	1	1	1
CS BUSEKE	885	978	1,863	665	494	1,159	508	418	926	128	76	204	-	-	-			
CS MBANZA WAMBA	867	862	1,729	750	733	1,483	633	631	1,264	135	115	250	1	-	1			
CS BENGI	814	1,387	2,201	445	975	1,420	397	949	1,346	39	46	85	2	3	5	1	1	1
CS BILILI	801	903	1,704	542	635	1,177	447	578	1,025	40	63	103	4	-	4	2	2	2
CS KIMBURI	733	993	1,726	461	392	853	253	293	546	68	63	131	-	1	1	1	1	1
CS KITOY	760	532	1,292	460	320	780	369	285	654	48	23	71	1	2	3	1	1	1
HS BILILI	498	699	1,197	391	629	1,020	254	433	687	93	203	296	-	-	-			
CS MUKENGI	336	883	1,219	273	607	880	228	515	743	45	115	160	-	2	2			
CS MBANZA NGANDA	1,199	1,199	448	448	391	391	49	49	-	-	-	-						
CS MATAMBA	1,212	1,212	661	661	573	573	82	82	-	-	-	-						
CS KISANGANI	1,851	1,851	872	872	597	597	71	71	-	-	-	-						
Grand Total	72,117	82,372	154,488	44,899	48,819	93,718	33,210	38,496	71,705	8,333	9,892	18,225	126	97	223	49	74	123
																19	8	27

Appendix Table 5. Annual financial costs of integrated passive screening in Yasa Bonga and Mosango

Assumptions	Activity	Based on the average 2017 - 2018				
		2017	2018	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Number of people screened annually		8,333	9,892	9,113	9,113	9,113
People tested through microscopy		49	74	123	123	123
Number of people treated stage 1		8	3	6	6	6
Number of people treated stage 2		11	5	8	8	8
Description		2017	2018	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Capital Equipment		83,613 \$	810 \$	2,958 \$	61,771 \$	2,958 \$
Medical and laboratory equipment	Microscopy	13,074 \$	810 \$	2,958 \$	810 \$	2,958 \$
Data collection equipment	Microscopy	9,578 \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	- \$
Solar panel (energy source)	Microscopy	12,000 \$	- \$	- \$	12,000 \$	- \$
Training – Screening	Training RDT	18,579 \$			18,579 \$	
Training - Parasitological confirmation	Training mAECT	30,382 \$			30,382 \$	
Annual Recurrent costs		39,773 \$	27,900 \$	27,970 \$	36,792 \$	27,970 \$
Lab & medical supplies	RDT	5,606 \$	6,655 \$	6,131 \$	6,131 \$	6,131 \$
Lab & medical supplies	Microscopy	268 \$	405 \$	339 \$	339 \$	339 \$
Lab & medical supplies	Staging	359 \$	151 \$	264 \$	264 \$	264 \$
RDT implementation at health facility level	Health facility					
Treatment (Hospitalization & drugs)	Treatment	1,040 \$	464 \$	759 \$	759 \$	759 \$
Health District level: Management, Support & Supervision (MOH)	Management	6,760 \$	6,760 \$	6,760 \$	6,760 \$	6,760 \$
Provincial Health Division: Supervision (MOH)	Management	420 \$	420 \$	420 \$	420 \$	420 \$
Provincial Coordination: Management, Support & Supervision (PNLTHA)	Management	7,664 \$	7,664 \$	7,664 \$	7,664 \$	Average
Central Coordination: Management, Support & Supervision (PNLTHA)	Management	17,655 \$	5,381 \$	5,632 \$	14,454 \$	5,632 \$
					3 y	5 y
Total		123,386 \$	28,710 \$	30,928 \$	98,563 \$	30,928 \$
Cost per person screened		13.54 \$	3.15 \$	3.39 \$	10.82 \$	3.39 \$
Cost per person treated		8,813 \$	2,051 \$	2,209 \$	7,040 \$	2,209 \$
					6,464 \$	4,529 \$

Appendix Table 6. Total annual economic costs of integrated passive screening in Yasa Bonga and Mosango

Description	Activity	2017		2018		2017-2018		2017-2018		2017-2018	
		Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Total	
Capital Equipment		9,004 \$	12,526 \$	9,004 \$	12,526 \$	18,008 \$	25,051 \$	43,060 \$			
Medical and laboratory equipment	Microscopy	1,269 \$	1,777 \$	1,269 \$	1,777 \$	2,539 \$	3,554 \$	6,093 \$			
Data collection equipment	Microscopy	693 \$	970 \$	693 \$	970 \$	1,386 \$	1,940 \$	3,326 \$			
Solar panel (energy source)	Microscopy	405 \$	567 \$	405 \$	567 \$	809 \$	1,133 \$	1,942 \$			
Training – Screening	Training RDT	2,539 \$	3,475 \$	2,539 \$	3,475 \$	5,079 \$	6,950 \$	12,029 \$			
Training - Parasitological confirmation	Training mAECT	4,098 \$	5,737 \$	4,098 \$	5,737 \$	8,196 \$	11,474 \$	19,670 \$			
Annual Recurrent costs		35,795 \$	24,341 \$	33,448 \$	32,424 \$	69,243 \$	56,764 \$	126,008 \$			
Lab & medical supplies	RDT	3,852 \$	1,755 \$	3,536 \$	3,119 \$	7,388 \$	4,874 \$	12,262 \$			
Lab & medical supplies	Microscopy	49 \$	219 \$	49 \$	356 \$	99 \$	575 \$	673 \$			
Lab & medical supplies	Staging	76 \$	283 \$	- \$	151 \$	76 \$	434 \$	510 \$			
RDT implementation at health facility level	Health facility	19,048 \$	8,677 \$	17,487 \$	15,425 \$	36,535 \$	24,102 \$	60,637 \$			
Treatment (Hospitalization & drugs)	Treatment	337 \$	703 \$	- \$	464 \$	337 \$	1,167 \$	1,504 \$			
Health District level: Management, Support & Supervision (MOH)	Management	3,380 \$	3,380 \$	3,380 \$	3,380 \$	6,760 \$	6,760 \$	13,520 \$			
Provincial Health Division: Supervision (MOH)	Management	210 \$	210 \$	210 \$	210 \$	420 \$	420 \$	840 \$			
Provincial Coordination: Management, Support & Supervision (PNLTHA)	Management	3,832 \$	3,832 \$	3,832 \$	3,832 \$	7,664 \$	7,664 \$	15,328 \$			
Central Coordination: Management, Support & Supervision (PNLTHA)	Management	5,012 \$	5,282 \$	4,953 \$	5,487 \$	9,964 \$	10,769 \$	20,734 \$			

Description	Activity	2017		2018		2017-2018		2017-2018	
		Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Mosango	Yasa Bonga	Total	
Total			36,866 \$		42,452 \$		44,949 \$	87,251 \$	81,816 \$
Cost per person screened			7.83 \$		14.14 \$		8.08 \$	7.95 \$	11.29 \$
Cost per person treated			11,200 \$		2,458 \$		NA	14,983 \$	21,813 \$
									6,262 \$

Appendix Table 7. Economic cost - Capital equipment: Detailed costs of capital equipment for HAT microscopy tests per health facility (\$)

Category	Description	No.	Replacement	% of Use allocated to HAT	Annual cost	Annual cost	Information	
			Value excl VAT			Discounted at 3%		
Medical and laboratory eq.	Microscope incl. accessories - 12V	1	843	5	25%	42 \$	40 \$	Invoice2017
Medical and laboratory eq.	Centrifuge - 12V	1	179	2	100%	90 \$	88 \$	Invoice2017
Medical and laboratory eq.	Holder mAECT	1	9	1	100%	9 \$	9 \$	Invoice2018
Medical and laboratory eq.	Reading Chamber mAECT	2	58	1	100%	117 \$	117 \$	Invoice2019
Data collection equipment	PDA & camera incl. accessories	1	798	5.4	100%	148 \$	139 \$	Invoice2017
Solar panel (energy source)	Solar panel incl. accessories	1	1,000	3	25%	83 \$	81 \$	Invoice2017
Total					489 \$	473 \$	464 \$	

Appendix Table 8. Economic cost - Capital equipment: Detailed training costs: HAT awareness, use HAT RDTs, use PDA

Description	Unit cost (\$)	Quantity	Total (\$)
Public transport to health zones	30	23	675
Per diem participants	20	90	1,800
Per diem personnel supporting staff coordination	10	12	120
Housing Participants & supporting staff coordination	20	102	2,040
Lunch & coffee breaks	15	102	1,530
Meeting room	100	4	400
Fuel generator 1l/h = >7l/day	1.40	28	39
Office supplies	15	23	338
Printing training module	10	23	225
Other costs	750	1	750
Per diem Central level PNTHA	85	12	1,020
Fuel -21l/100km - 1100km retour Kinshasa + 100km circulation	1.40	252	353
Total			9,290
	Total cost per structure	413	
	Discounted cost (3%) – estimated lifespan 3 y	401	
	Discounted cost (5%) – estimated lifespan 3 y	394	

Appendix Table 9. Economic cost - Capital equipment: Detailed training costs: HAT microscopy tests

Description	Unit cost (\$)	Quantity	Total (\$)
Public transport health zones	30	12	360
Per diem participants	20	90	1,800
Per diem supporting staff coordination	10	12	120

Description	Unit cost (\$)	Quantity	Total (\$)
Housing participants and supporting staff coordination	20	210	4,200
Lunch & coffee breaks	15	210	3,150
Meeting room	50	14	700
Fuel generator 1L/hour, or 7L/day	1.40	28	39
Office supplies	15	12	180
Printing training module	10	12	120
Training equipment (mice, etc.)	1,500	1	1,500
Other costs	500	1	500
Per diem Central level PNLTHA & INRB	85	56	4,760
Fuel central level -21L/100km - 1100km round-trip; to Kinshasa + 100km	1.40	252	353
Total			17,782
			Total cost per structure 1,482
			Discounted cost (3%) - estimated lifespan 3 y 1,439
			Discounted cost (5%) - estimated lifespan 3 y 1,412

Appendix Table 10. Economic cost - Capital equipment: Detailed training costs internships of microscopists with a mobile team

Description	Unit cost (\$)	Quantity	Total (\$)
Transport Kwilu, Kwango	50	3	150
Allowance/screening tour (10 \$/30 d)	300	3	900
Total			1,050
			Total cost per structure 1,050
			Discounted cost (3%) - estimated lifespan 3 y 1,020
			Discounted cost (5%) - estimated lifespan 3 y 1,001

Appendix Table 11. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed costs per test*

Description	Packaging	# Units/ packaging	Price	Currency	Unit price (\$)	Import	Unit price in Kinshasa (\$)	# Units/ packaging				
								LGP	BS	mAECT	LP	RDT
Cotton balls	Roll	1	7.00	\$	7.00		7.00					
Providone - disinfectant	250 ml	1	5.00	\$	5.00		5.00					
Gloves	Box	100	7.00	\$	0.07		0.07		1		1	
Bin	Piece	1	20.00	\$	20.00		20.00					
Kit CATT	Kit CATT	1	0.52	Euro	0.61	x	0.67					
Lancet	Box	200	3.10	Euro	0.02	x	0.02					
Heparinized capillary tubes	Box	100	3.03	Euro	0.04	x	0.04					
Bulb for capillary tubes	Box	100	1.42	Euro	0.02	x	0.02					
Hypodermic needle	Box	100	8.00	\$	0.08		0.08		1			
Syringe 5cc	Box	100	7.00	\$	0.07		0.07		1			1
Tropicalized microscope slide	Box	50	4.00	\$	0.08		0.08			1		
Cover glass	Box	100	2.00	\$	0.02		0.02				1	
Gauze	Box	10	3.50	\$	0.35		0.35		0.5			
Adaptor vacutainer tubes	Box	1	0.50	\$	0.50		0.50		0.5			
Vacutainer needle	Box	1	0.50	\$	0.50		0.50		1			
Heparinized vacutainer tubes	Box	100	35.00	\$	0.35		0.35		1			

Description	Packaging	# Units/ packaging	Price	Currency	Unit price (\$)	Import	Unit price in Kinshasa (\$)	LGP	BS	mAECT	LP	RDT
Plasticine	Sheet	6	30.00	\$	5.00		5.00					
Specialized cover glass	Box	10	15.00	\$	1.50		1.50				1	
Kit mAECT	Box	1	3.50	Euro	4.13		4.13			1		
Lumbar puncture needle	Piece	1	1.30	\$	1.30		1.30				1	
Modified single centrifugation kit	Kit	1	10.00	Euro	11.80		11.80				1	
Collector tube mAECT (price = Kit)	Box	1	3.50	Euro	4.13		4.13				1	
Pipette	Box	500	45.00	\$	0.09		0.09				1	
Tips	Box	500	4.24	Euro	0.01	x	0.01					
Microtitration tray	Box	50	20.01	Euro	0.47	x	0.52					
RDT standard diagnostics	Box	25	13.70	\$	0.55	x	0.60				1	
RDT HAT Sero-K-Set	Box	40	60.80	Euro	1.79	x	1.97				1	

*The costs per test was based on the observations regarding the consumables used during active screening activities and market prices during the project.

Appendix Table 12. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed Cost per test

Test	Price subsidized	Price unsubsidized
Lymph node aspiration (LGP)	\$ 0.25	NA
Blood sample (BS)	\$ 1.35	NA
mAECT	\$ 4.13	\$ 8.26
Lumbar puncture examination (LP)	\$18.89	NA
RDT Standard Diagnostics	\$ 0.67	\$ 0.92
RDT Sero-K-Set	\$ 1.97	NA

Appendix Table 13. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed costs per treatment

Description	Value (\$)	Min (\$)	Max (\$)	Source of information
Cost per day hospitalized	1.64	1.25	2.23	(1)
Cost per outpatient visit by hospital level*	0.40	0.29	0.60	(1)
Cost pentamidine	-		20.00	Donated (2), (3)
Number of days outpatient treatment with pentamidine	10			Observation patient charts Yasa Bonga & Mosango
Cost other drugs administered during treatment with pentamidine	10			
Number of days hospitalized during treatment with NECT	10			(4)
Cost NECT	-		407	Donated (4), (5)
Cost other drugs administered during treatment with NECT	10			Observation patient charts Yasa Bonga & Mosango
Other costs related to a treatment with NECT	58	58		

Appendix 14. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Cost treatment

Total cost per treatment	Value	Minimum	Maximum
Treatment stage 1 - Pentamidine	14	3	36
Treatment stage 2 - NECT	84	13	497

Appendix Table 15. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed costs for management and supervision: Provincial coordination PNLTHA*

Description	Annual cost (\$)	Cost/HD** (\$)
Global annual budget provincial coordination	67,961	2,265
Annual planning meeting at provincial level (ECP, ECZS, UM)	13,475	449
1 supervision/Semester (2 people - 5 d/mission)	1,117	1,117
Total Provincial Level: Management & Supervision/HZ		3,832

*The coordination of Bandundu Sud dedicates around 30% of their time to passive screening in 18 endemic health districts (HD). Therefore, the estimate amount of their annual budget to be dedicated to passive screening per health zone is 3%. HD, health district.

Appendix Table 16. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed costs for management and supervision: National coordination PNLTHA*

Description	Annual cost (\$)	Cost/HD (\$)
Management team to support former Bandundu coordination	31,800	265
National Level: 1 supervision/3 y - 3 people - 5 d	1,432	1,432
Total Central Level: Total direct costs		2,227
Total Central Level: Total indirect costs		15%

*Estimates based on the annual costs, budgets and interviews with PNLTHA. The project management team at the central level follows up HAT control activities in the coordinations of Bandundu Nord and Bandundu Sud. We estimated the team spends 2.5% of their time per health district and conducts one supervisory field visit every 3 y. For the PNTLHA management cost at central level a percentage of 15% on the activities managed by the PNLTHA is included.

Appendix Table 17. Economic cost - Annual recurrent costs: Detailed costs for management and supervision: Health district management unit and provincial health authorities*

Description	Annual cost (\$)	Cost/HD (\$)
Health district level: Management, Support & Supervision	3,380	3,380
Provincial level - DPS: Management, Support & Supervision - 20 endemic health zones Kwilu	4,200	210

*The cost for the HDM and DPS are based on the financial and in-kind support they received throughout the study period.

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