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Ebola: Veolia Foundation takes action in Guinea with the Red Cross



At the request of the French government, at the end of November the French Red Cross opened a treatment center in Macenta, southeast Guinea, which is one of the main hotspots for the Ebola virus that has been spreading since January. The Red Cross called on the Veolia Foundation's expertise to design the center and put in place a complex water distribution system that is an essential part of its logistics. Construction of the buildings and staff training were supervised by Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF). [Click here](#) for details on the construction of the center.

Guillaume Cubizolles, operations manager for the Center East region in France and an experienced Veoliaforce volunteer (assignments in China and Haiti), spent three weeks on the ground to head the assignment. [Click here](#) to read an interview with him.

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