

# BUREAU FOR DEMOCRACY, CONFLICT, AND HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE (DCHA) OFFICE OF U.S. FOREIGN DISASTER ASSISTANCE (OFDA)

# Haiti - Earthquake

Fact Sheet #70 Fiscal Year (FY) 2010

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Note: The last fact sheet was dated August 27, 2010.

## KEY DEVELOPMENTS

- As of August 31, international relief agencies reported completing approximately 11,900 transitional shelters (t-shelters) of the 137,000 planned t-shelters in Haiti, of which USAID/OFDA grantees had completed 46 percent. The number of completed t-shelters has increased by 46 percent during the past two weeks, reflecting an increase in community engagement, land identification, and construction process improvements. In total, relief agencies estimate available funding to construct more nearly 88 percent of the planned number of t-shelters in Haiti.
- As of August 29, teams of engineers from a project funded by USAID/OFDA and the World Bank to assess
  building structures throughout earthquake-affected areas had identified approximately 65,000 yellow houses, or
  houses requiring moderate repairs, of the more than 250,000 assessed buildings. USAID/OFDA grantees plan to
  scale up yellow house repairs in the coming months to provide housing solutions to families displaced from
  repairable structures. USAID/OFDA grantees had completed more than 520 yellow house repairs as of August 29.
- USAID/OFDA, U.N. agencies, international organizations, non-governmental organizations (NGOs), and the
  Government of Haiti (GoH) continue to support the relief to recovery process, particularly to provide adequate
  shelter to displaced populations during the hurricane season. Through t-shelter provision, yellow house repairs,
  support to internally displaced persons (IDPs) residing with host families, and rubble removal to increase land
  availability for shelter construction, USAID/OFDA expects to provide shelter solutions to approximately 47,500
  earthquake-affected households.

NUMBERS AT A GLANCE SOURCE		SOURCE
Estimated Deaths	230,0001	GoH – February 15
Verified Number of Displaced Individuals in Settlements	1.2 million	IOM <sup>2</sup> – August 31
Estimated Affected Population	3 million	U.N. – January 15

### FY 2010 HUMANITARIAN FUNDING PROVIDED TO DATE

Total FY 2010 USAID/OFDA Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake <sup>3</sup>	\$370,066,078
Total FY 2010 USAID/FFP <sup>4</sup> Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake	\$172,755,161
Total FY 2010 USAID/OTI <sup>5</sup> Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake	
Total FY 2010 USAID/Haiti Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake <sup>6</sup>	
Total FY 2010 USAID/DR <sup>7</sup> Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake	
Total FY 2010 State/PRM <sup>8</sup> Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake	
Total FY 2010 DoD <sup>9</sup> Assistance to Haiti for the Earthquake	
Total FY 2010 USAID, State, and DoD Humanitarian Assistance to Haiti for the Earthqua	

#### **CONTEXT**

- On January 12 at 1653 hours local time, a magnitude 7.0 earthquake struck southern Haiti. According to the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), the earthquake's epicenter was located 10 miles southwest of the capital Port-au-Prince, West Department. The earthquake killed an estimated 230,000 people and affected approximately 3 million others, according to the GoH. On January 13, U.S. Ambassador to Haiti Kenneth H. Merten declared a disaster due to the effects of the earthquake.
- During the months following the earthquake, humanitarian efforts met the immediate needs of earthquake-affected populations, through the provision of safe drinking water, food, household items, shelter assistance, and health care. USAID continues to work closely with other U.S. Government agencies, the GoH, international

<sup>2</sup> International Organization for Migration (IOM)

<sup>1</sup> Death estimates vary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Total USAID/OFDA funding revised downward to due to recent de-obligations to reflect actual anticipated costs and change in scope of work

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>USAID's Office of Food for Peace (USAID/FFP)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> USAID's Office of Transition Initiatives (USAID/OTI)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Funding figures previously reported by USAID/Haiti included program funds that were authorized for reprogramming for earthquake response, but also erroneously included some funds awarded to regular program implementers for activities outside of the earthquake response.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> USAID/Dominican Republic (USAID/DR)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (State/PRM)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> U.S. Department of Defense (DoD)

organizations, the U.N., and NGOs to coordinate ongoing efforts and to facilitate the transition from emergency relief activities to recovery operations, while preparing to respond to the potential for further deterioration in humanitarian conditions during the rainy and hurricane seasons.

# Economic Recovery and Market Systems

- Of the nearly 143,000 people who moved to Artibonite Department from the Port-au-Prince area following the earthquake, more than 121,000—or approximately 85 percent—remain, according to an August 24 report from USAID/OFDA grantee the Center for International Studies and Cooperation (CECI).
- The majority of IDPs in Artibonite Department are residing with host families, straining resources and creating housing space issues for both groups. CECI reported that IDPs and host families are also facing scarce livelihoods opportunities and experiencing difficulties accessing safe drinking water and hygiene items.
- In response, with USAID/OFDA support, CECI plans to create more than 100,000 temporary jobs through cashfor-work (CFW), with a target of employing 70 percent IDPs and 30 percent individuals from host families. As of August 20, CECI had employed nearly 3,000 people through CFW in soil conservation, dredging, and irrigation canal improvement activities, and reports being on schedule to meet employment targets by the end of February 2011.

#### Hurricane Preparedness

- Recent findings by the USAID Hurricane Preparedness Assessment indicated the need for robust and strategic messaging specifically targeting displaced families to prepare for a hurricane or tropical storm.
- On August 31, the International Organization for Migration (IOM) reported that newly developed messages regarding appropriate actions to take in the 24 to 48 hours following a meteorological event are with the GoH for approval and expected to be ready for public use in the coming days.
- On August 31, IOM launched a disaster risk reduction messaging campaign in camps and neighborhoods at high
  risk of flooding or landslides, including Cité Soleil and Martissant in greater Port-au-Prince. IOM has also
  developed a series of radio, text, print, and face-to-face messages for IDPs regarding risk reduction activities and
  hurricane preparedness measures in the event of an imminent storm. Specifically, the messages provide
  information to IDPs about securing temporary shelters in settlement sites, given limited capacity for mass
  evacuations.

#### Health and Protection

- As of August 13, USAID/OFDA grantees the MENTOR Initiative and U.N. Children's Fund (UNICEF) had completed distribution of the originally planned 800,000 insecticide-treated mosquito nets to earthquake-affected populations in Haiti. To expand coverage, UNICEF plans to begin distribution and proper-use education for an additional 400,000 nets in coming weeks. Health officials have reported no significant increases in malaria since the January earthquake.
- MENTOR Initiative had provided vector-borne disease transmission and prevention education to more than 10,000 people as of mid-August, reaching beneficiaries through churches, schools, neighborhood associations, and camp management committees. MENTOR Initiative is training local health partners on disease surveillance, noting that 33 of the 54 health centers reporting through the national surveillance system need support to report more regularly.
- At an August 31 Protection Cluster meeting, the Vulnerable Persons Sub-Cluster reported undertaking vulnerability mapping in Port-au-Prince, Delmas, Cité Soleil, and Carrefour. Through focus groups in the four communes, the sub-cluster is collecting information on community-defined criteria for vulnerability, existing support for vulnerable individuals in camps, and key community leaders with whom to cooperate on protection issues. The Vulnerable Persons Sub-Cluster is also piloting a project providing technical assistance to enhance existing referral systems that handle issues of elderly, handicapped, or otherwise vulnerable individuals.
- In recent weeks, USAID/OFDA committed \$2.7 million to Handicap International to provide essential physical rehabilitation care and assistance to a 22,000 beneficiaries. The intervention targets vulnerable persons through continuation and enhancement of a mobile and flexible identification service and referral network at the community level, as well as ensures the inclusion of the most vulnerable persons through advocacy at the coordination level, concrete action and monitoring at the field level, and specifically tailored psychosocial interventions.

# USG HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO HAITI FOR THE EARTHQUAKE

Implementing Partner	Activity	Location	Amount
	USAID/OFDA ASSISTANCE¹		
ACDI/VOCA	Agriculture and Food Security, Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Health, WASH	Southeast Department	\$3,878,712
Action Contre la Faim (ACF)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Logistics and Relief Commodities, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$2,000,000
Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince, Carrefour	\$4,730,882
Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development (ACTED)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Logistics and Relief Commodities, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Petit Goâve, Grand Goâve, Léogâne, Gressier	\$5,400,712
American Refugee Committee (ARC)	Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince, Fond Parisien	\$4,410,948
ARC	Health	Fond Parisien	\$892,831
CARE	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, WASH	Port-au-Prince, Carrefour, Léogâne	\$983,363
Catholic Relief Services (CRS)	Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$21,298,160
CRS	Protection	Artibonite, South, Northeast, Grand Anse, Northwest, Nippes, and North Departments	\$3,498,960
CECI	Agriculture and Food Security, Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Artibonite Department	\$5,402,880
CHF International	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince, Petit Goâve, Artibonite and North Departments	\$20,999,865
Concern	Economic Recovery and Market Systems	Port-au-Prince, Center Department	\$1,692,892
$DoD^2$	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Affected Areas	\$18,519,474
U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	Search and Rescue, Emergency Response Activities	Affected Areas	\$49,000,000
Fairfax County, VA	Search and Rescue	Affected Areas	\$4,601,875
Family Health International (FHI)	Nutrition	Port-au-Prince, Delmas, Croix des Bouquets	\$809,160
Food for the Hungry (FH)	Health, Logistics and Relief Commodities, Protection, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$4,055,525
GOAL	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$11,050,000
Habitat for Humanity	Shelter and Settlements	Affected Areas	\$2,979,063
Handicap International	Health, Protection	Artibonite, Petit Goâve, Grand Goâve, Port-au- Prince	\$2,685,838
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) <sup>3</sup>	Health	Affected Areas	\$31,196,000
Instituto Dominicano de Desarrollo Integral (IDDI)	WASH	Affected Areas	\$92,500

International Medical Corps (IMC)	Health, Nutrition	Port-au-Prince	\$2,564,607
IMC	Protection	Jacmel, Léogâne, Petit Goâve	\$1,460,634
International Relief and Development (IRD)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Logistics and Relief Commodities, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Léogâne	\$6,494,045
International Rescue Committee (IRC)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Protection, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$4,852,539
InterAction	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Affected Areas	\$330,083
IOM	Logistics and Relief Commodities, Health	West Department and Affected Areas	\$10,351,046
Los Angeles County, CA	Search and Rescue	Affected Areas	\$4,064,947
Medair/SWI	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Logistics and Relief Commodities, Shelter and Settlements	Southeast Department	\$8,567,511
MENTOR Initiative	Health	Port-au-Prince, Petit Goâve, Grand Goâve, Jacmel, Léogâne	\$1,000,000
Mercy Corps	Economic Recovery and Market Systems	Center Department	\$7,542,904
ОСНА	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management	Affected Areas	\$3,000,000
Pan American Development Foundation (PADF)	Shelter and Settlements	Carrefour, Delmas, Port- au-Prince	\$7,822,525
Peace Corps	Volunteer Translation Services	Affected Areas	\$323,150
Partners in Health (PIH)	Health	Port-au-Prince	\$1,468,147
Plan International	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Jacmel	\$47,960
Première Urgence	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Port-au-Prince	\$2,705,000
Relief International (RI)	Health, WASH	Carrefour, Grand Anse Department, Gressier, Léogâne, Port-au-Prince	\$1,500,000
Samaritan's Purse	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Health, WASH	Petit Goâve, Grand Goâve, Léogâne, Port-au- Prince	\$1,000,000
Save the Children/US (SC/US)	Health, Nutrition, Protection	Jacmel, Léogâne, Petit Goâve, Port-au-Prince	\$5,000,000
SC/US	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, WASH	Artibonite Department, Léogâne, Petit Goâve	\$8,038,128
U.N. Human Settlements Program (U.N. HABITAT)	Shelter and Settlements	Carrefour, Jacmel, Port- au-Prince	\$1,500,000
U.N. Population Fund (UNFPA)	Health, Protection	Affected Areas	\$1,000,000
U.N. Children's Fund (UNICEF)	Health, Nutrition, Protection, WASH	Affected Areas	\$11,500,000
U.S. Forest Service (USFS)	Disaster Assistance Support Program	Affected Areas	\$267,324
U.S. Geological Survey (USGS)	Disaster Risk Reduction Assessment for Seismic Hazards	Affected Areas	\$589,300
USAID/DR	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Affected Areas	\$123,235
USAID/East Africa	Administrative Costs	Affected Areas	\$12,750
USAID/El Salvador	Search and Rescue	Affected Areas	\$80,000
USAID/Haiti	Emergency Response Activities	Affected Areas	\$12,044,000

WFP	Humanitarian Air Service, Logistics and Relief Commodities	Affected Areas	\$10,000,000
U.N. World Health Organization (WHO)	Health	Affected Areas	\$5,000,000
World Concern Development Organization (WCDO)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements	Port-au-Prince	\$3,718,084
World Vision	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Croix-des-Bouquets, Port-au-Prince	\$19,212,174
	Logistics and Relief Commodities	Affected Areas	\$26,226,927
	Administrative Costs	Affected Areas	\$479,418
TOTAL USAID/OFDA			\$370,066,078
	USAID/FFP ASSISTANCE <sup>4</sup>		-
ACDI/VOCA	2,430 MT of P.L. 480 Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Southeast Department	\$3,205,800
CRS	18,000 MT of P.L. 480 Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Grande Anse, Nippes, South Departments	\$19,261,800
Mercy Corps	Food Voucher Distributions Using Emergency Food Security Program Funds	Artibonite, Center Departments	\$12,462,861
U.N World Food Program (WFP)	55,280 metric tons (MT) of P.L. 480 Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Affected Areas	\$69,815,600
WFP	Cash Transfers for Cash-for-Work Activities Using Emergency Food Security Program Funds	Affected Areas	\$35,000,000
World Vision	30,400 MT of P.L. 480 Title II Emergency Food Assistance	Artibonite, Center, North, and West Departments, Grand Goâve, Petit Goâve	\$33,009,100
TOTAL USAID/FFP			\$172,755,161
	USAID/OTI ASSISTANCE		
Chemonics, Development Alternatives, Inc. (DAI)	Community Stabilization, Enabling the GoH to Function, Supporting Dialogue on Relief and Recovery	Affected Areas	\$67,000,000
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TOTAL USAID/OTI			\$67,000,000
TOTAL USAID/OTI	USAID/HAITI ASSISTANCE <sup>5</sup>		\$67,000,000
Academy for Educational Development (AED)	USAID/HAITI ASSISTANCE <sup>5</sup> Economic Recovery and Market Systems	Affected Areas	<b>\$67,000,000</b> \$2,000,000
Academy for Educational		Affected Areas Affected Areas	
Academy for Educational Development (AED) American Institutes for	Economic Recovery and Market Systems		\$2,000,000
Academy for Educational Development (AED) American Institutes for Research (AIR) Associates in Rural	Economic Recovery and Market Systems  Education	Affected Areas	\$2,000,000 \$5,000,000
Academy for Educational Development (AED) American Institutes for Research (AIR) Associates in Rural Development (ARD)	Economic Recovery and Market Systems  Education  Logistics, Shelter and Settlements  Agriculture and Food Security, Livelihoods,	Affected Areas  Affected Areas	\$2,000,000 \$5,000,000 \$500,000
Academy for Educational Development (AED)  American Institutes for Research (AIR)  Associates in Rural Development (ARD)  Chemonics	Economic Recovery and Market Systems  Education  Logistics, Shelter and Settlements  Agriculture and Food Security, Livelihoods, Shelter and Settlements  Economic Recovery and Market Systems,	Affected Areas  Affected Areas  Affected Areas	\$2,000,000 \$5,000,000 \$500,000 \$4,000,000
Academy for Educational Development (AED) American Institutes for Research (AIR) Associates in Rural Development (ARD) Chemonics CHF International Education Development	Economic Recovery and Market Systems  Education  Logistics, Shelter and Settlements  Agriculture and Food Security, Livelihoods, Shelter and Settlements  Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Infrastructure Rehabilitation  Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Education, Infrastructure Rehabilitation,	Affected Areas  Affected Areas  Affected Areas  Affected Areas	\$2,000,000 \$5,000,000 \$500,000 \$4,000,000 \$6,579,769

IOM	Shelter and Settlements	Affected Areas	\$15,000,000
Medishare	Health	Port-au-Prince	\$400,000
PADF	Protection	Affected Areas	\$1,341,780
Petits Frères et Soeurs (PFS)	Health	Port-au-Prince	\$100,000
TOTAL USAID/HAITI			\$47,499,456
	USAID/DR ASSISTANCE		
USAID/DR	Health	Affected Areas	\$3,000,000
TOTAL USAID/DR			\$3,000,000
	STATE/PRM ASSISTANCE		
IOM	Emergency Food Assistance, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	North and West Departments	\$4,000,000
Pan-American Health Organization (PAHO)	Health, Nutrition, Emergency Food Assistance, WASH	Haiti/DR border, North and Northwest Departments	\$3,400,000
Office of the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)	Health, Protection, Shelter and Settlements	Haiti/DR border, Port-au- Prince, Artibonite Department	\$3,800,000
UNICEF	Counter-trafficking, Education, Health, Nutrition, and Protection	Haiti/DR Border provinces	\$2,900,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM			\$14,100,000
	DOD ASSISTANCE <sup>6</sup>		
DoD	Logistics and Relief Commodities, Health	Affected Areas	\$465,211,923
TOTAL DOD			\$ 465,211,923
FY 2010 HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO DATE			
TOTAL USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO HAITI FOR THE EARTHQUAKE		\$660,320,695	
TOTAL STATE/PRM HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE FOR THE HAITI EARTHQUAKE		\$14,100,000	
TOTAL DOD HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO HAITI FOR THE EARTHQUAKE		\$ 465,211,923	
TOTAL USAID, STATE, AND DOD HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE		\$1,139,632,618	

USAID/OFDA funding represents anticipated or actual obligated amounts as of September 3, 2010

#### PUBLIC DONATION INFORMATION

- The most effective way people can assist relief efforts is by making cash contributions to humanitarian organizations that are conducting relief operations. Information on organizations responding to the humanitarian situation in Haiti may be available at <a href="https://www.oneresponse.info/disasters/haiti">www.oneresponse.info/disasters/haiti</a> and <a href="https://www.usaid.gov/haiti">www.usaid.gov/haiti</a>.
- USAID encourages cash donations because they allow aid professionals to procure the exact items needed (often in the affected region); reduce the burden on scarce resources (such as transportation routes, staff time, and warehouse space); can be transferred very quickly and without transportation costs; support the economy of the disaster-stricken region; and ensure culturally, dietary, and environmentally appropriate assistance.
- More information can be found at:
  - o USAID: <u>www.usaid.gov/haiti</u>
  - o Information on relief activities of the humanitarian community can be found at www.reliefweb.int

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> \$21.5 million was recently de-obligated from the DoD award to reflect a change in scope and actual anticipated costs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>\$5 million was recently de-obligated from the HHS award to reflect actual anticipated costs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Estimated value of food assistance

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Funding figures previously reported by USAID/Haiti included program funds that were authorized for reprogramming for earthquake response, but also erroneously included some funds awarded to regular program implementers for activities outside of the earthquake response

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Estimated expenditure as of September 3, 2010