

Haiti August 2021 Earthquake Update

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Haiti Earthquake By The Numbers

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Natural
disasters hit
Haiti within
3 days

Mobile clinics
serve the ill
and injured

8

140

U.S. partners
provide gifts
to help

People
served with
medical and
spiritual care

2,300+

God is glorified!

Haiti Rocked By Earthquake & Storm

On August 14, the southern region of Haiti was devastated by a 7.2 earthquake that affected at least 800,000 people (including 340,000 children) and caused 2,240 deaths and 10,000 injuries. Three days later, Tropical Storm Grace dropped heavy rains causing flooding and mudslides in the same region.

Hôpital Ste. Croix Responds

The leadership of Hôpital Ste. Croix (HSC) took the initiative to help their fellow Haitians immediately. Within 48 hours a team of HSC doctors and nurses traveled 4 hours and began serving patients in the impacted areas. This is a great example of our MBF's Christian medical network model in action.

As HSC committed supplies, medications, and staff intended to the operation of their hospital to those injured in the twin natural disasters, MBF assured them we here in the U.S. would stand alongside them. Together we quickly assessed the situation, developed an emergency response budget, and reached out to our partners across the country to help.

HSC provided mobile clinics to serve multiple locations each week. They planned for increase patient and trauma referrals from the earthquake site. And they continued to operate the hospital, delivering babies, performing surgeries, and caring for their regular outpatient counts.

Through January 2022 HSC has run ten mobile clinics and cared for over 2,300 patients.



**The HSC team responds to the disaster with smiles,
kindness and love.**

Many patients referred to HSC for surgery and other acute care required follow-up. As these patients lived in rural areas 3-4 hours away from HSC, FSIL nurse practitioners and students traveled to their regions on weekends to provide that follow-up care and have served an additional 1,000 people.

HSC Mobile Clinics

- **Les Cayes**
- **St. Paul**
- **Nippes**
- **Maniche (South)**
- **Petit trou de Nippes/ Petite Rivière de Nippes**
- **Bondeau**
- **Jeannette**
- **St. Phillipe and St. Jude**
- **Beraud**
- **Savanette**



People gather in Maniche to await care from a mobile clinic provided by Hôpital Ste. Croix.

Over 140 churches, families and individuals across the U.S. provided generous gifts to help HSC pay for these mobile clinics and replenish their medication and supplies. MBF offers up prayers of thanks for you and your willingness to help. Please continue to pray for the HSC team that they will continue to respond to the needs of their region; that this experience will strengthen the hospital; and that God will continue to provide for their ministry.