

HOPE IN HAITI

Local Hospital Mobilizes Relief to Earthquake Victims



Hôpital Sainte Croix Team Jumps to Action.

Monday morning after a 7.2 magnitude earthquake rocked Haiti on Saturday, a team from Hôpital Sainte Croix (HSC) was busy gathering supplies and equipment to take to the hardest hit areas. Soon, nursing students from FSIL nursing school were joining the mobile clinic team and together they set out to Les Cayes, near the earthquake's epicenter.

Together this team would brave flooded rivers and endure four days a week on the road as they took their mobile clinic to villages that had no medical care. They helped patients in Les Cayes, Maniche, Jeannette, Beraud, and many more locations.

A local team of Haitian medical professionals able to respond immediately is evidence of God's provision and also of the wisdom of building sustainable medical missions through local church partners.



On Saturday, August 14, 2021 a

7.2

MAGNITUDE EARTHQUAKE

hit Southern Haiti.

650,000

people affected

2,200

lives lost

12,000

injured

EIGHT

mobile clinic tours lasting four days each

2,500

patients treated

Out of the ashes of a disastrous earthquake comes the beauty of seeing our partners able to help their neighbors. For Haiti and for medical missions we have an abundance of

HOPE.

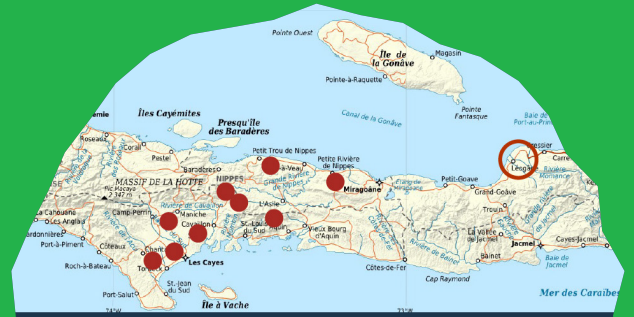
Rapid response leads to better outcomes.



HSC responded rapidly in part because they already had a shipment of medicines on hand that MBF donors had made possible. The hospital selflessly took the pharmaceuticals and gave them to those most in need.

A container is set to go to Haiti to restock HSC. The hospital will continue to provide charity care for earthquake victims who need follow-up treatment for their injuries. This is planned through the end of 2021 to allow time for the critically injured to make a full recovery under the oversight of qualified medical personnel.

HSC's rapid response has changed the outcome for thousands of Haitians injured in the earthquake. Their work illustrates why sustainable medical mission matters. Give to support the earthquake response at www.mbf.net/give.



Each solid dot represents a place where the HSC mobile clinic team from Leogane (the open circle) administered care.

Sustainability matters.
Because HSC was equipped and ready:

MEDICAL RESPONSE WAS AT THE SITE

48
hours later

LAG TIME FOR SUPPLIES

0
hours

