



Haitian Medical Association Abroad

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RESPONDING TO NORTHWEST EARTHQUAKE NEEDS IN HAITI

AMHE – Relief Mission – The Association of Haitian Physicians Abroad (AMHE) is following the reports of the aftermath of the October 6, 2018 Earthquake in the Northwest of Haiti with sustained interest.

In keeping with AMHE’s tradition of delivering relief to Haiti in the form of well-calibrated missions coordinated among AMHE physicians and other members of the Association in partnership with other organizations working on the ground, the following AMHE Press Release states our position and future actions.

AMHE will communicate and act in coordination with its in-country partners, the Nord-West Reuni, and the responsible parties in the GOH, Ministère de la Santé Publique et de la Population (MSPP) and the "Protection Civile" to deliver health and recovery support at the appropriate time.

Through its Foundation in Haiti, AMHE may provide relief when the emergency phase of the disaster fades away, and the long-term needs become more evident. AMHE will continue to provide relief to Haiti through its traditional medical missions and will assess on-the-ground partners best suited to receive funds and medical expertise to support communities and hospitals with critical needs.

AMHE suggests that concerned person of Haitian origin considers donating the value of one day of work to an emergency fund to support immediate relief efforts. For example, if you earned \$ 500 last week, give \$ 100; if you earned \$ 5,000, give \$ 1,000. Donate Now – Please select Medical Relief Mission.

At this time, and as it has for the past forty-five years, AMHE has all its attention focused on Haiti. The health of our fellow Haitians is front and center on our AMHE Agenda in times of crisis as it is in normal times. With these words, AMHE renews its unwavering commitments to the Haitian communities everywhere, in Haiti especially, as we solicit the assistance of all who wish to help us raise the health standards of the Haitian people.

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