

INVOAD Update about Haiti, 1/13/10

Some Indiana Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (INVOAD) members and partners have asked how to help with the relief and recovery efforts related to the 1/12 earthquake in Haiti.

- Many international affiliates of INVOAD members are working in Haiti—Red Cross, Salvation Army, Catholic Charities, etc. Devastation is overwhelming
- VOAD partners that are working in Haiti include:
 - Samaritan's Purse- www.samaritanspurse.org
 - Mennonite USA- www.mcc.org
 - Church of the Brethren- www.brethren.org
 - Red Cross- www.redcross.org
 - Salvation Army- www.salvationarmyusa.org
 - Church World Service- www.churchworldservice.org
 - AmeriCares- www.americares.org
 - Catholic Charities- www.catholiccharitiesusa.org
 - Christian Reformed Church- www.crcna.org
 - Convoy of Hope- www.convoyofhope.org
 - International Relief & Development- www.ird-dc.org
 - Operation Blessings- community.ob.org
 - Presbyterian Disaster Assistance- www.pcusa.org
 - United Way Worldwide – www.liveunited.org
 - UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief)- new.gbqm-umc.org/umcor
- Organizations in Indiana are likely most interested in the following info.
 - Ways to donate – pick your favorite trusted international relief organization, including some of those above.
 - Disaster Welfare Inquiry –
 - Contact US State Department of Health, 888-407-4747, www.state.gov for US Citizens
 - Contact International Committee of the Red Cross for Haitian citizens, www.icrc.org