Haiti

HHRD Programs

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Orphan Support
500 orphans assisted

Skills Development And Livelihood
10 projects

Emergency Relief & Disaster Management
2,230 beneficiaries

In-Kind Gifts
4,800 beneficiaries

Seasonal Food:

Ramadan Food
3,600 beneficiaries

Udhiya/Qurbani
3,480 beneficiaries

Ageeqah & Sadaqah
3,200 beneficiaries

HHRD in Haiti

HHRD works globally, focusing on countries where most of the population lives below the poverty line. HHRD is in Haiti, assisting residents with necessities. Our In-Kind Gifts program distributes medical supplies, clothing, food, and bedding to families and individuals. Our Skills Development and Livelihood Program for students teaches self-sufficiency, and Ramadan food boxes provide nourishment to families during the month of fasting. In addition, HHRD continues to give educational support to orphaned children through our Orphan Sponsorship Program.

HHRD Status

From 2010 until 2021, over 50,000 people have benefitted from our services. HHRD immediately launched its Haiti Earthquake Emergency Relief fund to assist with food, water, shelter, and medicine after the 2010 earthquake. During the Emergency Relief phase in January 2010, HHRD organized 59 rotational clinics treating around 20,000 people with doctors from the USA who volunteered their services. In addition, our Global Zabiha, Seasonal, Healthcare, Orphan Support, Water for Life, Skills Development, and Shelter Village programs have provided upliftment to the people of Haiti. Furthermore, our Youth for Haiti program has allowed countless college students the opportunity to witness first-hand the humanitarian efforts of HHRD.

200 Million lives changed
85+ Countries served
4-Star Top Rated Zakat Charity in US by Charity Navigator
16 years of service
Country Context

The year 2020 was marked by the COVID-19 pandemic, tropical storm Laura and socio-political events. There was also an increase in violence in the second half of the year. These events contributed to a further deterioration in the country’s economic situation, reducing the income of a large part of the population and increasing the vulnerability of many Haitians. Haiti’s endemic poverty and civil unrest—combined with recurring shocks from natural disasters, including droughts, earthquakes, floods, and hurricanes—have resulted in food insecurity and other humanitarian needs throughout the country. Haiti sits over an active fault line which revealed itself ten years ago in one of the worst earthquakes the country had ever seen. An orphanage fire killed thirteen children in February of 2020, casting light on conditions suffered by children throughout the country. The government closed around 160 orphanages in the past five years, yet some groups continue to operate without official permission. Food insecurity is a growing concern, with more than one-third of the population hungry. Access to health care and water, hygiene, and sanitation services has drastically declined, leading to a drop in immunization and increased cases of diseases.

Key Figures

- **4.4 million** in need of Humanitarian Assistance
- **4.4 million** acutely food insecure
- **1.58 million** Covid-19 cases
- **70%** of the population doesn’t have access to clean water
- **3.6 million** children lack access to school