

United States relief efforts in Pakistan

Photo summary of operations to date

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A Pakistani soldier stands guard near a U.S. Navy UH-60 helicopter at Chaklala Air Base in Islamabad, Pakistan, 26 Oct. 2005. The U.S. government is participating in a multinational humanitarian assistance and support effort lead by the Pakistani government to bring aid to victims of the devastating earthquake that struck the region Oct. 8, 2005.

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U.S. Army soldiers load a piece of excavating equipment to a U.S. Chinook helicopter in Muzaffarabad, Pakistan, Oct. 25, 2005. The U.S. government is participating in a multinational humanitarian assistance and support effort lead by the Pakistani Government to bring aid to victims of the devastating earthquake that struck the region Oct. 8, 2005.

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U.S. Chinook helicopter taking off for a relief run, carrying a piece of excavating equipment to help reach earthquake victims in remote areas near Muzaffarabad, Pakistan, Oct. 25, 2005. The U.S. government is participating in a multinational humanitarian assistance and support effort lead by the Pakistani Government to bring aid to victims of the devastating earthquake that struck the region Oct. 8, 2005.

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USAID volunteers load earthquake relief supplies on to trucks to reach earthquake victims in remote and often inaccessible areas. To date, USAID has provided more than \$39 million in humanitarian assistance. USAID has provided shelter materials for 67,500 people, blankets for 15,000 people, water containers for 15,000 families, medical supplies to last 3 months for 100,000 people, water storage capacity for 8 communities, and water treatment units supplying safe drinking water for 20,000 people per day.

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Seeds of Peace (SEEDS) youth visit the 146 earthquake patients from different parts of the Northwest Frontier Province evacuated to the Railway Hospital in Rawalpindi on Oct. 23, 2005. Seeds of Peace is the recipient of U.S. grants for work on conflict resolution with youth in Pakistan, India, and Afghanistan.

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