

## community action ideas

Haiti

### To Educate

- [www.unicefusa.org/volunteer](http://www.unicefusa.org/volunteer)
- [www.teachunicef.org](http://www.teachunicef.org)

### To Advocate

- Hold a vigil
- Write a letter

### To Fundraise

- [www.unicefusa.org/donate](http://www.unicefusa.org/donate)
- [www.causes.com/charity\\_gifts/38](http://www.causes.com/charity_gifts/38)
- Host an event

### To Donate

- *By Mail*  
U.S. Fund for UNICEF  
125 Maiden Lane  
New York, NY 10038

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1.800.FOR.KIDS

## Take Action

In response to the earthquake disaster in Haiti, UNICEF is quickly deploying necessary supplies to assist with recovery efforts including clean water and sanitation, medical supplies, therapeutic foods, and temporary shelter. UNICEF is also focusing on children separated from their families to protect them from harm or exploitation. Children are the priority. Nearly half the population of Haiti is under 18 years of age—making children the first call for assistance.

As global citizens, our response is essential. Our role is to inform and engage students and community members about the situation and solutions. The support that we have received is tremendous. You can help by hosting fundraisers and education events to benefit Haiti. Below are several ways to support UNICEF's relief efforts in Haiti.

## Educate

**Register** as a volunteer to receive the most up-to-date information, resources and ideas at [www.unicefusa.org/volunteer](http://www.unicefusa.org/volunteer)

**Talk** to young people in your life about the disaster in Haiti. Use the information found online at [www.teachunicef.org](http://www.teachunicef.org)

**Join** the TeachUNICEF Facebook group to access useful links and share ideas on how to talk to youth about the Haiti earthquake.

**Introduce** youth to UNICEF's Voices of Youth where young people from around the world are engaging in discussions about Haiti: [www.unicef.org/discusshaiti](http://www.unicef.org/discusshaiti)

## Advocate

**Host** a candle light vigil for Haiti. Read poems and messages about our global community, and illustrate that our thoughts are with the people of Haiti.

**Write** a letter to the editor of your local newspaper discussing why this emergency is important to you, and why it should remain in the headlines.

**Raise awareness** about the issues that impact children and families and UNICEF's action in Haiti through social media. Please follow UNICEFUSA on Facebook, twitter, YouTube, TeacherTube, and [unicefusa.org](http://unicefusa.org)'s blog. Repost or retweet this up-to-date information from UNICEFUSA on your group pages, individual profiles, blogs, and twitter accounts. Guide people to our main page and our main profiles at [www.unicefusa.org](http://www.unicefusa.org)

## Fundraise

**Light** a virtual candle on Facebook to contribute \$5 for UNICEF's relief work in Haiti. Go to [causes.com/charity\\_gifts/38](http://causes.com/charity_gifts/38)

**Participate** in the UNICEF Tap Project. UNICEF Tap Project funds will go to long-term water and sanitation solutions in Haiti. Register with your friends as volunteers at [tapproject.org/volunteer](http://tapproject.org/volunteer)

**Start** an online fundraising campaign and ask your friends, family, and community to donate to UNICEF's lifesaving work at [www.unicefusa.org/ert](http://www.unicefusa.org/ert)

**Host** a UNICEF happy-hour, dinner party, or create your own fundraising event for Haiti. Complete our online application at [volunteers.unicefusa.org/haiti\\_fundraisers](http://volunteers.unicefusa.org/haiti_fundraisers)



## Thank You!

Haiti's recovery begins with children. All funds raised for earthquake relief efforts in Haiti should include "Haiti" in a cover letter or memo section of checks and money orders. Please make checks payable to the *U.S. Fund for UNICEF*.