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HONDURAS – EARTHQUAKE

May 28, 2009



28 May 2009 - Earthquake off Honduras coast caused 1 death in La Lima district, several houses damaged in Honduras and Guatemala.

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An earthquake (magnitude of 7.1) with an epicenter off the north coast of Honduras resulted in damage to houses and infrastructure and caused 5 deaths.

The Hospital Mario Catarino Rivas sustained minor damage.

The Honduran government is currently assessing infrastructure damage especially in the health sector. The COPECO (Permanent Contingency Commission) Emergency Operations Center is activated and functioning 24 hrs/day.

BRAZIL – DAM BREAK/FLOODS

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Since the beginning of April, continuous heavy rains have caused extensive flooding in the North East of Brazil.

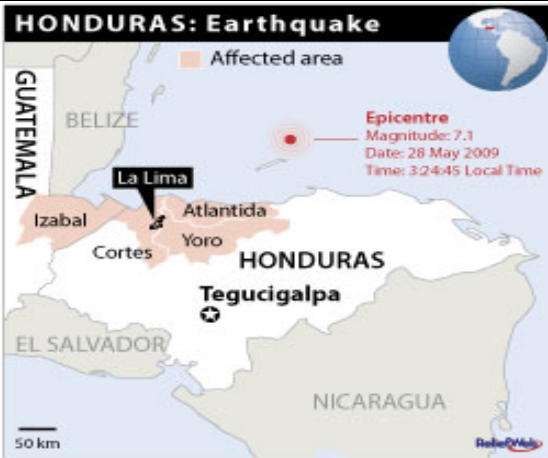
The heavy floods have resulted in a dam break in Piauí that caused 5 deaths, bringing the total number of deaths due to the floods to 56 and causing 426,886 people to be displaced.

Damage from the rains has affected 485 municipalities in 12 states of Brazil.

The Brazilian government is providing food, shelter, and cleaning kits. At this point, no international assistance is needed.

HONDURAS – SISMO

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Un sismo (de magnitud 7.1) cuyo epicentro tuvo lugar fuera de la costa norteña de Honduras, ocasionó daños en casas e infraestructura y cobró la vida de 5 personas.

El Hospital Mario Catarino Rivas sufrió daños menores.

El gobierno hondureño actualmente evalúa los daños a la infraestructura primordialmente las del sector salud. El Centro de Operaciones de Emergencia de la Comisión Permanente de Contingencia (COPECO) se mantiene activado y funcionando las 24 horas del día.

BRAZIL -- RUPTURA DE REPRESA/INUNDACIONES Mayo 28, 2009



Desde principios de abril, lluvias continuas han ocasionado grandes inundaciones en el sector nordeste de Brasil .

Las mismas han causado la ruptura de la represa Piauí ocasionando la muerte de 5 personas, llevando así el número total de muertes a 56 y un total de 426,886 personas desplazadas.

Las lluvias también han afectado unos 485 municipios en 12 estados de Brasil.

El gobierno brasileño está respondiendo a la emergencia con alimentos, albergues y kits de limpieza. Por el momento no se requiere de asistencia internacional.

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