

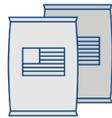
# USAID HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

USAID's Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance (BHA) leads and coordinates the U.S. Government's disaster response efforts overseas. Helping people affected by disasters is at the core of what we do every day, all over the world. It reflects our values as Americans, demonstrates our global leadership, and makes the world a safer place.

**How We Help:** USAID helps tens of millions of people by providing critical aid to people in need.



Agriculture



Food Assistance and Nutrition



Health



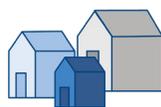
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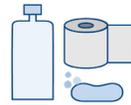
Protection



Relief Commodities



Shelter



Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene

**Global Presence:** USAID humanitarian staff and resources are strategically located around the world.

**45+**

Countries

with full-time humanitarian response staff

**11**

Advisory Offices

at USUN missions, CDC, USEU, and U.S. military combatant commands

**6**

Emergency Stockpiles

Djibouti, Italy, South Africa, United Arab Emirates, USA-Florida, USA-Texas

**5**

Regional Offices

in Bangkok, Thailand; Budapest, Hungary; Dakar, Senegal; Nairobi, Kenya; San José, Costa Rica

IN FISCAL YEAR  
**2020**

USAID responded to **66 disasters** in **49 countries**, providing nearly **\$7.2 billion** in assistance.



USAID also had five Disaster Assistance

Response Teams

(DARTs) deployed during the year, responding to the Venezuela regional crisis, the DRC Ebola outbreak, the Lebanon explosions, and crises in Syria, and South Sudan.

**Strengthening Self-Reliance:** BHA doesn't just respond to humanitarian emergencies. We help lay the initial foundations for longer-term recovery.



Early Recovery efforts build on humanitarian responses and protect/restore basic systems and services



Risk Reduction programs prevent or reduce risks associated with chronic and recurrent hazards



Resilience activities help people, communities and countries mitigate, adapt to, and recover from shocks and stresses



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