2019

to provide medical assistance in support of the
Central and South America, and the Caribbean
USNS Comfort will conduct stops throughout
(including wheelchairs). While deployed, the
humanitarian aid in partnership USNS
World Hope International provided
June 2019

EMERGENCY RESPONSE

A BRIEF HISTORY OF

2018

Honduras from October 11 – December 20, 2018. USNS Comfort visited Ecuador, Peru, Colombia, and
due in part to an increase in migrants crossing. The
Comfort. WHI staffed 5 medical practitioners on the ship
week medical assistance mission aboard the USNS
partnership with the U.S. Southern Command on an 11-

World Hope International provided
hospitals across the smoke-filled region.
dozens of industrial air-scrubbers to shelters and
communities, also created some of the worst air
In November 2018, wildfires raged across California
california wildfires: usa |
did not touch American soil. We were also able to support clean-
water filters for churches and mosques.
In October 2018, we were able to provide safe drinking
drip water filters for churches and mosques.
In September 2018, we responded to the destruction
HURRICANE MICHAEL: USA |
did not touch American soil. We were also able to support clean-
water filters, water desalination units,
and electric generators.
In December 2017, we responded with shipments of
FLORIDA, AND PUERTO RICO |

HURRICANES IRMA & MARIA: CARIBBEAN,

In August 2016, we mounted an immediate emergency
response to bring water treatment solutions on-line,
with over 1.5 million people in need of clean water.

In March 2014-March 2016, as one of the largest non-
EBOLA VIRUS OUTBREAK: SIERRA LEONE |

In February 2018, major winds across the kingdom
brought down power lines, smashed churches, and
in homes and communities. We rescued 4,000

In January 2010, the massive earthquake killed more
than 230,000 people, injured over 300,000, and left
over 1.5 million homeless. We surveyed the

In September 2009, Typhoon Ketsana, the strongest
cyclone in nearly a decade, atop the Philippine Islands.

In August 2009, we responded to the destruction
TYPHOON HAIYAN: PHILIPPINES |

In April 2009, a 7.1 magnitude earthquake struck
; destroyed over 50% of the city.

In February 2009, we responded to the destruction
VOLCÁN DE FUEGO: GUATEMALA |

In January 2009, an earthquake struck Haiti.

In December 2008, Typhoon Parma swept across the
Caribbean hurricane in nearly a decade, devastated

In November 2008, a 8.0 magnitude earthquake hit
HURRICANE MATTHEW: HAITI |

In October 2008, we served over the long-term recovery
HURRICANE HARVEY: USA |

In September 2008, we evaluated the short-term needs
of those who were injured or displaced by Hurricane

In July 2008, we arrived in the city of Beira, Mozambique,
to provide relief supplies to those affected by
CYCLONE ROANU: SRI LANKA |

In May 2008, we brought clean water to children who
had not previously received any assistance.

In April 2008, we handed out high-quality tarps,
food, water, and hygiene kits, water desalination units,
and electric generators.

In March 2008, we served over the long-term needs
of those in the town of L’Ariane who were
impacted by the disease.