

Mexico – Earthquake

- In the morning of 13 August (UTC), an earthquake occurred in the State of Oaxaca. The epicentre was located 11km west of the city of Pinoteca Nacional. USGS-PAGER estimates 74 000 people exposed to Strong shaking. Local authorities report neither damage nor injuries by the earthquake.

(GDACS, USGS, Mexican Government, Local Media)

Switzerland – Severe Weather

- Heavy rainfall has been affecting Switzerland in the past few days. As of 13 August, local media report a landslide in the canton of Grisons to have caused the derailment of a train. Eleven people were injured in the accident, five of which seriously.

(WMO, Local Media)

Israel, Palestine – Gaza Conflict

- A five-day extension of the ceasefire has been agreed. During the previous 72h ceasefire, five Palestinians and one Italian were killed; another six people were critically injured after an unexploded Israeli missile blew up in the northern Gaza Strip. Nearly 2 000 Palestinians have been killed during Israel's offensive on Gaza, most of them civilians.

(ECHO, Local Media)

China – Severe Weather

- Heavy rainfall continues affecting south-eastern China. The Chinese Government reports damage in Zhejiang, Fujian, Jiangxi, Guangxi and Hunan provinces. In Jiangxi, seven people have been killed, including five due to a landslide, while 300 houses have collapsed throughout the province.

(Chinese Government, CMA, WMO)



Chile – Earthquake

- On 14 August, midnight UTC, an earthquake occurred in the region of Tarapacá. The epicentre was located 16km north-east of the city of Iquique. USGS-PAGER estimates 14 000 people exposed to Moderate shaking.
- ONEMI reports that several thousands of households were temporarily affected by power outages in Iquique and Alto Hospicio.

(GDACS, USGS, ONEMI, Local Media)

West Africa – Ebola Virus Disease Outbreak

- Affected country airports and major regional Hubs have installed more stringent health checks on passengers. Guinea Bissau announced that it would close its borders with Guinea.
- Following WHO's approval to use untested drugs in the Ebola Virus affected countries, arrangements are underway between two drug producers, WHO and the affected countries.

(ECHO)

Sudan – Severe Weather

- The death toll due to the recent heavy rainfall and consequent floods in 15 states of the country, has reached 77, according to local media. The households affected exceed 36 200. Worst hit are the states of Khartoum, Kassala, River Nile, North Darfur, West Darfur and White Nile.

(Local Media 1, 2)

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