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SINAPROC Official Report #20: 12,365 homes assessed after 9 October quake

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Summary

SINAPROC's 22 October update on the magnitude 7.5 quake of 9 October reports 12,365 homes and 40,880 people assessed, 27 injured, two dead, 619 schools and 120 health facilities affected, and 5,779 people in 160 shelters.

Details (summary of the article)

Panama's civil protection agency SINAPROC issued its 20th official report on the response to the 9 October magnitude 7.5 earthquake, with figures as of 9 p.m. on 22 October. Damage and needs assessments now cover 12,365 homes and 40,880 people; 27 people were injured and two died. Damage has been reported at 619 schools and 120 health facilities, and 853 schools nationwide have been inspected. Relief shipments total more than 208,317 pounds by air and 365 tonnes by land, reaching 175 communities, with 38 air evacuations. There are 160 shelters housing 5,779 people. About 760 firefighters are deployed, all provincial operations centres are active, and a command post operates in Tonosí, Los Santos, where rivers are monitored by drone and some twenty large tents have been set up with Senafront's help. SINAPROC says figures will keep changing as reports are verified.

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Panamá, 22 de octubre de 2026.- El Sistema Nacional de Protección Civil (SINAPROC), a través del Centro de Operaciones de Emergencias (COE) Nacional, mantiene las acciones de respuesta, asistencia humanitaria y seguimiento a las comunidades afectadas por el sismo de magnitud 7.5, ocurrido el pasado 9 de octubre. De acuerdo con el balance preliminar, con [...] The post Comunicado oficial #20 first appeared on Sinaproc .