

# Magnitude 5.1 aftershock felt in Chiriquí on 29 October

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| When       | 2026-10-29 08:42                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Where      | Chiriquí, Veraguas, central provinces                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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## Summary

A 5.1 magnitude aftershock struck at 8:42 a.m. on Thursday 29 October, 24 km northwest of Tonosí (Los Santos) at 8 km depth, and was felt strongly in Chiriquí, Veraguas and the central provinces. No damage or injuries were reported.

## Details (summary of the article)

Mi Diario reports that Panama was shaken again on the morning of Thursday 29 October by a magnitude 5.1 aftershock. The University of Panama's Institute of Geosciences located it 24 km northwest of Tonosí in Los Santos province at a shallow depth of 8 km, at 8:42 a.m. It was felt strongly in Chiriquí, parts of Veraguas and the central provinces; some buildings were evacuated as a precaution but no damage or casualties were reported. The tremor is part of the ongoing sequence following the 9 October earthquake in the Azuero region, which has now produced more than 1,154 aftershocks and over 9,000 landslides. The strongest aftershocks so far have been a 6.9 on the day of the main quake, a 5.6 on Tuesday 27 October and this 5.1. Authorities say magnitude and frequency are generally declining, although activity continues. Geoscience teams are checking satellite-detected landslides on the ground with civil protection and local authorities, prioritising river basins where heavy sediment could cause flooding.

## Original (es)

¡Otro sismo de 5.1 sacude a Panamá, la réplica se sintió fuerte en Chiriquí, Veraguas y provincias centrales!  
El movimiento telúrico se registró la mañana de este jueves, a 24 kilómetros al noroeste de Tonosí, con una profundidad de 8 kilómetros. Fue sentido con fuerza en Chiriquí y provincias centrales.