

**BRIEF IMPACT REPORT**  
December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025

**SUPPORTING FAMILIES AFFECTED BY THE  
DISPLACEMENT CRISIS IN HAITI**

Myriad Canada - With World Central Kitchen Inc.



**1. GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE PROJECT**

- **Title of charitable project:** Supporting families affected by the displacement crisis in Haiti
- **Geographical area:** Verrettes, Petite Rivière de l'Artibonite, Haiti
- **Total project budget:** \$623,236.07   **Currency:** USD
- **Project from/until:** June 2025 / December 2025
- **In collaboration with:** World Central Kitchen Inc.
- **Organization's mission:** To provide food for vulnerable people, to support local agriculture, to promote environmentally sustainable cooking fuels and technologies, and to take such actions as the Board of Directors may determine from time to time in furtherance thereof.

## 2. THE PROJECT

**The problem:** Gang violence has gripped Haiti in early 2025, displacing an estimated 1.3 million people. Around 85% of Port-au-Prince, the capital, was controlled by gangs, and violence has spread to other parts of the country including the Centre and Artibonite departments. In Verrettes in the Artibonite department, an estimated 12,000 Haitians have been displaced from their homes in Petite Rivière.

Displaced families were “sheltering in schools and public buildings in overcrowded and unsanitary conditions with limited access to clean food, water and healthcare”. The violence also disrupted the movement of goods, broken down civil order, and created a displacement crisis.

The Integrated Food Security Phase Classification report released in April 2025 says that “more than half of Haiti’s population – approximately 5.7 million people are facing high levels of acute food insecurity, driven by relentless gang violence and ongoing economic collapse”. In addition, an estimated 2.85 million children, or one quarter of the child population in Haiti, are facing high levels of food insecurity.

**The goal:** To provide nourishment through hot, freshly-prepared meals for internally displaced Haitians in the Verettes region who have been impacted by the ongoing violence.

### **The impact of your financial support:**

- A total of 306,618 meals has been provided to over a dozen locations to impacted families.
- Meals included:
  - o Fried chicken, rice, beans and fried plantain
  - o Okra stew with meat
  - o Fried fish in sauce with withe rice and bean purée
- Over the course of the project, World Central Kitchen was able to lower the per-meal cost from \$2.5 USD to \$2 USD thanks to their long-term engagement in Haiti, achieving economies of scale and increasing the quantity of meals provided.
- World Central Kitchen has sourced from local farmers, butchers, and distributors to stimulate the local economy, supporting vendors who haven’t been able to get their goods to market.
- To date, World Central Kitchen has hired 400+ people, including many existing food vendors (most of them women) to support kitchen operations.
- Despite the very dire humanitarian situation, the crisis has not received much attention in the news and in philanthropy. Canadian donors have stepped in to fill a critical need and support an under-funded response, for which World Central Kitchen is deeply grateful.

3. A FEW PICTURES FROM THE PROJECT



*Cooking for their community*



*Large-scale meal preparation*



*Preparing fresh vegetables*



*Displaced families waiting in line for the meal distribution*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT OF THIS PROJECT.**