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Viewing Guide: *The Quake*

Directions: Watch the video clip from *The Quake* and respond to the questions below. Be prepared to discuss your answers.

1. How did the Haitian government try to help the people of Haiti after the earthquake?

2. How did the Haitian people feel about the government's reaction?

How would you have felt?

3. List some of the various NGOs (non-governmental organizations) that tried to provide aid in the days immediately following the earthquake.

4. How effective were the relief efforts during the first two weeks after the earthquake?

5. List at least three reasons why getting aid to the Haitian people was problematic.

A.

B.

C.

6. Do you agree with the U.N.'s decision NOT to coordinate the relief efforts? Why? Give two specific reasons.

A.

B.

7. As you listened to the relief workers, health care providers and the Haitian people, what are your thoughts about the way aid was rendered by the world in this situation? Why do you feel this way?