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hour 1 updates

- The U.S. Geological Survey says that a strong earthquake has hit off the Pacific coast of Guatemala, rocking the capital and shaking buildings as far away as Mexico City and El Salvador.
- The magnitude-7.5 quake, about 20 miles deep, was centered off the town of Champerico.

hour 2 updates

- President Otto Perez Molina told a news conference that he has been informed that the death toll stands at 39 people.