



## Individual Assistance Center

If you have been affected by a disaster, you may be eligible for federal assistance. Review the instructions below to ensure you are ready to complete the application process.

If you are applying for multiple disasters, you will need to complete an Online registration for each disaster.

If you experience technical difficulty in completing your registration for any other reason, please contact FEMA at 1-800-745-0243 or TTY 1-800-462-7585 for the speech and hearing impaired.

If you are filing for both home and business disaster assistance, you will complete a single registration for the combined losses.

The application process will take 10-15 minutes and is authorized by the Office of Management and Budget under Control number 1660-0002.

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You will need the following information to complete the registration:

### Social Security Number

You will be asked to provide your social security number; if you are registering for a business, your tax ID number should be provided. If you do not have a social security number, your household may still be able to receive assistance if there is a minor child in the household who is a U.S. Citizen, Non-Citizen National, or Qualified Alien with a social security number.

### Insurance information

You will be asked to identify the type(s) of insurance coverage you have.

### Financial information

You will be asked to enter your family's gross total household income at the time of the disaster.

### Contact information

Along with the address and phone number where the damages occurred, you will be asked for information on how FEMA can contact you. It is very important that you provide FEMA with your current mailing address and phone numbers where you can be contacted.

### Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)/Direct Deposit Information (optional)

If you are determined to be eligible for assistance and would prefer that funds be transferred to your account, you will be asked for your banking information, which includes; the institution name, type of account, routing and account number.

**Please have pen and paper available to record information during the registration process.**

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