

Housing Repair, Rebuild & Stabilization

Assistance focused on making a survivor's home safe, sanitary, and functional after a disaster.

- **Major Home Repair or Rebuild:** Structural repairs such as foundations, framing, roofing, electrical, plumbing, HVAC, or full reconstruction when the home is uninhabitable.
 - **Minor Home Repair:** Repairs to drywall, flooring, doors, windows, siding, insulation, cabinets, and other non-structural damage.
 - **Accessibility Modifications:** Installation of wheelchair ramps, handrails, grab bars, widened doorways, or other changes needed for people with disabilities or mobility limitations.
 - **Temporary Housing Support:** Short-term rental assistance or help securing transitional housing while permanent repairs are completed.
 - **Mold Remediation:** Professional cleaning or repair to address mold caused by flood or water damage.
 - **Debris Removal:** Clearing disaster-related debris from homes or properties to allow repairs or rebuilding.
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Financial & Essential Needs Assistance

Support to help survivors meet basic living needs that were disrupted by the disaster.

- **Unmet Needs Financial Assistance:** Limited financial grants to cover recovery-related expenses not met by insurance, FEMA, or other programs.
 - **Rent or Mortgage Assistance:** Short-term help to prevent eviction or foreclosure due to disaster-related financial hardship.
 - **Utility Assistance:** Help with electricity, water, gas, or other essential utilities to maintain safe living conditions.
 - **Essential Household Items:** Replacement of basic items such as beds, refrigerators, stoves, tables, or basic furnishings.
 - **Clothing and Personal Items:** Assistance replacing everyday clothing, shoes, and personal care items lost in the disaster.
 - **Food Assistance:** Support to address food insecurity during recovery gaps.
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Disaster Case Management & Recovery Navigation

Personalized support to guide survivors through the recovery process.

- **Disaster Case Management:** One-on-one assistance to assess needs, develop a recovery plan, and coordinate services.
 - **Recovery Planning:** Identifying short- and long-term recovery goals and steps needed to achieve them.
 - **Referrals & Resource Coordination:** Connecting survivors to local, state, federal, nonprofit, and faith-based resources.
 - **Application & Documentation Assistance:** Help completing applications for FEMA, SBA, insurance claims, and other aid programs.
 - **Advocacy:** Support communicating with landlords, insurers, contractors, or government agencies.
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Volunteer Labor & In-Kind Assistance

Non-financial support that reduces recovery costs.

- **Volunteer Labor:** Skilled or unskilled volunteers assisting with repairs, rebuilding, cleaning, or landscaping.
 - **Donated Materials:** Building supplies, appliances, furniture, or other donated goods.
 - **Tools & Equipment Support:** Temporary access to tools or equipment needed for home repairs or cleanup.
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Health, Wellness & Emotional Care

Support for emotional and mental well-being during recovery.

- **Mental Health Referrals:** Connections to counseling, therapy, or crisis services.
 - **Trauma-Informed Support:** Assistance recognizing and addressing disaster-related stress and trauma.
 - **Spiritual or Emotional Care:** Chaplaincy services or faith-based emotional support.
 - **Peer Support Groups:** Opportunities to connect with others recovering from the same disaster.
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Support for Vulnerable or Special Populations

Targeted assistance for individuals with additional recovery barriers.

- **Older Adults:** Help navigating recovery programs or addressing mobility and health-related needs.
 - **People with Disabilities:** Support services and accommodations to ensure equal access to recovery assistance.
 - **Undocumented or Mixed-Status Families:** Confidential assistance and referrals not dependent on citizenship status.
 - **Language Access Services:** Interpretation and translation services to ensure clear communication.
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Legal & Administrative Assistance

Help resolving legal or paperwork issues caused or worsened by the disaster.

- **Vital Document Replacement:** Assistance replacing IDs, birth certificates, Social Security cards, or other documents.
 - **Legal Aid Referrals:** Help with landlord-tenant issues, insurance disputes, or contractor fraud.
 - **Property & Title Issues:** Assistance addressing heir property, title problems, or ownership documentation barriers.
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Transportation & Access Support

Help survivors reach recovery-related services and appointments.

- **Transportation Assistance:** Rides or vouchers for appointments, inspections, or case management meetings.
 - **Vehicle Repair or Replacement Referrals:** Support when a vehicle was damaged or destroyed in the disaster.
 - **Fuel or Transit Support:** Gas cards or public transportation assistance.
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Employment, Livelihood & Small Business Support (*Limited & Case-Dependent*)

Assistance aimed at restoring income or work capacity.

- **Tool or Equipment Replacement:** Support replacing essential tools for work or self-employment.
 - **Employment Referrals:** Connections to workforce development or job placement services.
 - **Small Business Recovery Referrals:** Links to SBA or local economic recovery programs.
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Key Reminders

- LTRGs focus on **long-term, unmet needs** after insurance and government assistance.
- All assistance is **needs-based, limited, and not guaranteed**.
- Survivors generally must work with a **disaster case manager** to access LTRG support.