

Disaster Relief & Preparedness

For additional resources, go to <https://in211.findhelp.com/> or call 2-1-1
or ask at the Reference Services desk

DISASTER RELIEF

Disaster Relief by American Red Cross of Northwest Indiana

Phone: 574-234-0191

Services provided:

- Disaster preparedness
- Health services
- Mental health services
- Overnight shelter
- Meals and snacks
- Reunification
- Emergency supplies

Emergency Disaster Services by The Salvation Army USA MidWest

Phone: 269-344-6119

Services provided:

- Shelter
- Disaster preparedness
- Advocacy
- Food and water
- Spiritual support
- Long term recovery
- Identification registration
- Reconstruction
- Financial assistance

DisasterAssistance.gov by Disaster Assistance Improvement Program (DAIP)

<https://www.disasterassistance.gov> for more information

<https://www.fema.gov/webform/disaster-assistance> to schedule services

Services provided:

- Evacuate or shelter in place
- Find emergency shelter
- Get food and water
- Handle emergency medical situations until help arrives
- Find family, friends, and even lost pets
- Find disaster assistance that meets your personal needs
- Learn about more than 70 forms of assistance from 17 federal agencies
- Apply for disaster assistance and reduce the number of forms you have to fill out
- Check the status of your application
- Find a FEMA Disaster Recovery Center (DRC) near you
- Find a hotel or a new place to live
- Find programs to help with food and nutrition needs
- Change the address for your Social Security, VA, or other federal benefits
- Learn about Small Business Administration (SBA) loans for homeowners, renters, and businesses

Emergency Disaster Services by The Salvation Army

Phone: 800-725-2769

<https://centralusa.salvationarmy.org/usc/contact-us/> to schedule on their website

Services provided:

- Emergency preparedness
- Survivor and family location and identification
- Immediate emergency response
- Meal services
- Volunteer staffing
- Advocacy
- Disaster shelter
- Long-term disaster recovery
- Reconstruction
- Spiritual and emotional care
- Financial assistance

Disaster Relief by Gleaning For The World, Inc.

Phone: 434-993-3600

<http://gftw.org>

Services provided:

- Food
- Water
- Supplies to manage clean-up

Free disaster preparation guide which includes information about:

- First-aid
- Disaster specific preparations
- What you will need to work with insurance companies and FEMA

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

Build A Kit - Disaster Supply Kit by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

<https://www.ready.gov/kit>

Services provided:

- Instruction on how to build a basic disaster supplies kit
- A list of additional emergency supplies
- Advice on maintaining and storing your kit

Diabetes Disaster Preparedness Plan by Diabetes Disaster Response Coalition (DDRC)

Phone: 800-342-2383

<https://www.diabetesdisasterresponse.org/> to get more info.

Services provided:

- Disaster relief for individuals living with diabetes
- Help finding medical supplies (insulin) for emergency situations
- Resources for people living with diabetes in a natural disaster

Disaster American Sign Language (ASL) Videos by Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

<https://www.cdc.gov/disasters/hurricanes/asl/index.html>

Services provided:

- ASL Disaster Information

Our videos provide information on how prepare for an emergency, create an emergency plan, how to shelter in place, even how to evacuate and more.



Questions? Call 574-259-5277 ext. 1300

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