

DISASTER SURVIVOR APPLICATION CHECKLIST

To apply online at DisasterAssistance.gov:

- Go to www.DisasterAssistance.gov on your desktop, mobile, or tablet device.
- Complete an application or look for assistance you may be able to apply for.
- Check the status of your application or update information after you apply.

To apply by phone for FEMA assistance only:

- 1-800-621-FEMA (1-800-621-3362)
- TTY 1-800-462-7585
- 711 or VRS 1-800-621-3362



INFORMATION CHECKLIST

Before you start your application, please have the information below and a pen and paper ready.

- Social Security Number**
You, another adult member or minor in your household *must* have a social security number. They must also be a U.S. citizen, non-citizen national, or qualified alien.

If you don't have a number, follow the steps below to find out what you need to do, and exactly what documents you need to have.

1. Go to faq.ssa.gov.
2. Click on *How do I apply for a new or replacement Social Security number card* in the **Most Popular FAQs** section.

Once you have your number, you can go to DisasterAssistance.gov or call FEMA at one of the phone numbers above to apply.

- Insurance Information**
Describe the type(s) of insurance coverage you have. This could include coverage under policies like homeowners, flood, automobile, or mobile home.

- Damage Information**
Describe the damage caused by the disaster. Include the type of disaster (like flood, hurricane, or earthquake) and type of dwelling or vehicle (like condo, house, or mobile home, or car, boat, or truck).

- Financial Information**
Provide your total annual household income, before taxes, at the time of the disaster.

- Contact Information**
Provide the address and phone number of the property where the damage happened, and the address and phone number of where we can reach you now.

- Direct Deposit Information (optional)**
If approved, we can deposit the funds directly into your bank account. You just need to provide the following banking information:
- Bank name
 - Type of account (like checking or savings)
 - Routing number
 - Account number

NEED HELP? If you need help with the application, please call FEMA at one of the phone numbers above.