



WILDFIRE DISASTER RELIEF

Apply TODAY for Food and Unemployment Assistance

Don't miss the application deadlines!

Food and unemployment disaster relief assistance programs have deadlines coming up...

**Disaster CalFresh deadline
is November 1, 2017**

**Disaster Unemployment
Assistance (DUA) deadline
is November 16, 2017**

FEMA Assistance

FEMA oversees the Individuals and Households Program (IHP), a joint Federal and State program. This program can offer help with rent, temporary housing, home repair or replacement, transportation repair or replacement, funeral expenses, personal property, medical, dental or other miscellaneous expenses. Each situation is unique and reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

You or someone in your household must be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or "qualified" immigrant to apply. This may include a child. Please consult with an immigration attorney if you have questions or concerns about applying.

To apply or to make changes to an existing application, the FEMA disaster number is 1-800-621-3362 or TTY 1-800-462-7585. You can also apply at DisasterAssistance.gov.

What is D-CalFresh?

Disaster-CalFresh provides people with temporary food assistance after a disaster. People who qualify for Disaster-CalFresh receive a debit card with one month of benefits that can be used to buy food, including hot and prepared food.

Disaster-CalFresh is for ANYONE who lived or worked in Butte, Lake, Mendocino, Napa, Nevada, Sonoma, and Yuba counties on October 8th, experienced loss due to the fires, and experienced one (or more) of the following:

- Cannot work or get paid because of the fire;
- Had your home or place of employment damaged;
- Have disaster-related costs (including lost food); or
- Cannot access savings or checking accounts

How do I apply for D-CalFresh?

To apply go online at <https://benefitscal.org>, visit the nearest county welfare office, visit a local assistance center, or meet with a D-CalFresh outreach worker in your area.

To find out how to apply for benefits in your county, please call the toll free number 1-844-719-8808.

What is DUA?

Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) is a federal program that provides financial assistance and employment services to work authorized jobless workers and the self-employed who cannot work as a direct result of a major disaster

DUA is available to any *work authorized* unemployed worker or self-employed individual who lived, worked, or was scheduled to work in the disaster area on October 8th, and due to the disaster experienced one (or more) of the following:

- No longer has a job or a place to work;
- Cannot reach the place of work;
- Cannot work due to damage to their work place;
- Cannot work because of an injury caused by the disaster

How do I apply for DUA?

To apply go online at <https://eapply4ui.edd.ca.gov> (available in English and Spanish), or by phone between 8 a.m. and 12 p.m. noon, Monday-Friday.

English: 1-800-300-5616

Spanish: 1-800-326-8937

For more information on Disaster Relief services visit www.wildfirerecovery.org and www.immigrantguide.ca.gov