

# How can I help people displaced by Hurricane Katrina?

## Organization information

## Telephone Number

## Address

### **Donations (canned good and personal care items)**

#### **Salvation Army**

Atlanta Temple  
Cobb County Community Center  
Gwinnett County Community Center  
Jonesboro Community Center  
Hispanic International Community Center

2090 North Druid Hills Road, Atlanta GA 30329  
202 Waterman Street, Marietta GA 30060  
3455 Sugarloaf Parkway, Lawrenceville GA 30044  
130 Spring Spring, Jonesboro, GA 30236  
3771 Central Avenue, Doraville, GA 30340

### **Volunteer/Donation Information**

#### **American Red Cross**

Anyone wishing to volunteer should contact their local chapter of the Red Cross.

404-876-3302

<http://www.atlantaredcross.org/>

#### **Faith Based Assistance**

##### **Connecting Georgia's Faith Based Partners -**

Register your congregation as a resource for relocated individuals and families. Connect with others to serve our displaced neighbors.

<http://www.connections.org/>

#### **Medical Volunteer Information**

##### **United States Department of Health and Human Services**

The Office of the Surgeon General and the Office of Public Health Emergency Preparedness are in the process of mobilizing and identifying healthcare professionals and relief personnel to assist in Hurricane Katrina relief efforts.

1-877-696-6775

<https://volunteer.ccrf.hhs.gov/>

##### **Georgia Division of Public Health**

If you are in the medical profession and would like to volunteer to assist Hurricane Katrina survivors in for locations and contact information.

<http://health.state.ga.us/>

#### **DHS National Emergency Resource Registry**

If you or your organization / agency / corporation have resources that may be made available to the response agencies, please list them in this Resource Registry.

<https://www.swern.gov/>

## **Housing Registry**

A registry for property owners with property available for Hurricane Katrina victims.

[www.GeorgiaHousingSearch.org](http://www.GeorgiaHousingSearch.org)

# Assistance and Information for Hurricane Katrina Victims

## **Missing Persons Registry Information**

If you need to report or find missing loved ones:

Katrina Missing persons Hotline	1-888-544-5475
Alabama	1-866-GET-INFO
Louisiana	225-925-7345
Mississippi	866-438-4636

## **Family News Network of the International Committee of the Red Cross**

Family Registry and Locator

<http://www.familylinks.icrc.org/katrina/locate>

## **Salvation Army**

In addition, the Salvation Army has activated its Team Emergency Radio Network for people to send a health and network request for people who are unable to locate loved ones.

678-225-0885 8am -6 pm 7 days a week

[http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/www\\_usn.nsf](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/www_usn.nsf)

## **Medical Assistance**

Displaced residents of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama should call **1-866-752-3442** for all health care needs, such as information on local hospitals, medical clinics and dialysis centers, prenatal care, referrals and transportation to family physicians,

1-866-752-3443

## **Federal Assistance Information**

There are two primary types of disaster assistance made available through the Federal Emergency Management Agency - Housing Assistance and Other Needs Assistance. The total assistance an individual can receive from FEMA from any combination of these progr

1-800-621-FEMA

[www.fema.gov/register](http://www.fema.gov/register)

## **Department of Family and Children Services (DFCS)**

DFCS will assist you in applying for Federal assistance, locating a healthcare provider, obtaining prescription refills, finding housing and housing vouchers, replacing your personal identification documents, locating employment or unemployment payments,

[www.dfcs.dhr.georgia.gov](http://www.dfcs.dhr.georgia.gov)

## **Housing Needs**

The Georgia Department of Community Affairs has utilized two databases to help match evacuees with temporary and permanent housing.

[www.georgiahousingsearch.org](http://www.georgiahousingsearch.org)  
[www.hurricanekatrinahousing.org](http://www.hurricanekatrinahousing.org)

## **Shelter Information**

American Red Cross

404-575-3734

[www.gema.state.ga.us](http://www.gema.state.ga.us)

## **Education and Child Care**

The Georgia Department of Education, the Department of Early Care and Learning, the Board of Regents, the Department of Technical and Adult Education, the Student Finance Commission and the Office of Student Achievement have placed all available informati

[www.gadoe.org](http://www.gadoe.org)

## **Employment Search**

Individuals unemployed as a result of a major disaster, and not covered by regular state or private unemployment insurance programs, may still be eligible for unemployment benefits. The Georgia Department of Labor has coordinated with Alabama, Louisiana,

AL 866-234-5382  
MS 601-321-6420  
LA 225-342-2840

[www.laworks.net](http://www.laworks.net)

## **Georgia's Department of Labor**

Georgia's Department of Labor has also developed a searchable database to assist people in locating new place if employment.

[www.dol.state.ga.us/js.find\\_a\\_job.htm](http://www.dol.state.ga.us/js.find_a_job.htm)

**Personal Identification Replacement**

The Georgia Department of Driver Services is assisting individuals in obtaining new copies of their state's Driver's license or photo identification. If you need a reprint of your Alabama or Mississippi ID, please contact your nearest DFCS office for assistance.

[www.dds.ga.gov](http://www.dds.ga.gov)

**General Information**

Governor's Office of Consumer Affairs

To report complaints about gas price gouging 800-869-11223

Georgia Emergency Management Agency

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Louisiana Homeland Security And Emergency Preparedness

Mississippi Emergency Management Agency

Alabama Emergency Management Agency

Florida Division of Emergency Management

[www.gema.state.ga.us](http://www.gema.state.ga.us)

[www.fema.gov](http://www.fema.gov)

<http://www.ohsep.louisiana.gov/>

<http://www.msema.org/index.htm>

<http://www.ema.alabama.gov/>

<http://www.floridadisaster.org/>