



# Local Resources: Storm Support

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Below are online resources that may be able to assist you in locating and receiving aid in the wake of the **bomb cyclone in California**. To access the websites, please click on the resource name or follow the link below.

You can always reach out to Carelon Wellbeing 24/7 for additional resource connection and support: 888-275-0021.

## Severe Weather Preparedness and Recovery

- <https://www.ready.gov/severe-weather>
- <https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/thunderstorm.html>
- <https://www.weather.gov/safety/thunderstorm>
- <https://www.weather.gov/safety/wind>
- <https://www.alz.org/help-support/caregiving/safety/in-a-disaster>

## California Power Outages Map

### Power Outage Preparedness and Recovery

- <https://www.redcross.org/get-help/how-to-prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/power-outage.html>
- [https://www.ready.gov/sites/default/files/2020-03/power-outage\\_information-sheet.pdf](https://www.ready.gov/sites/default/files/2020-03/power-outage_information-sheet.pdf)
- <https://www.consumerreports.org/home-safety/how-to-survive-a-prolonged-power-outage-a1579830430>

### Road Closures and Evacuations

For information about road closures, you can also dial 511.

### Local Red Cross Locator

### Red Cross Smartphone Apps

These apps offer updates on the current emergency and provide information on safety during a disaster. **Or text:** "GETEMERGENCY" to 90999



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## 2-1-1

2-1-1 is an easy-to-remember phone number that connects callers to information and services in times of need. It is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, even during disasters. Please call if you are seeking resources such as clothing, food, or programs for your family.

## 2-1-1 United Way Bay Area (San Francisco, CA)

<https://211bayarea.org>

## 2-1-1 Alameda County (Oakland, CA)

<https://211alamedacounty.org>

## Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

500 C Street Southwest  
Washington, DC 20472  
800-621-FEMA  
<https://www.fema.gov>

## Disaster Assistance

If a disaster is declared in your area, please call to apply for assistance.

## FEMA Text Message Program

- To locate an open emergency shelter, text SHELTER and a zip code to 43362 (4FEMA).
- To locate an open Disaster Recovery Center, text DRC and a zip code to 43362 (4FEMA).

Please note that standard message and data rates apply.



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## California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

- <https://www.caloes.ca.gov>
- [https://x.com/cal\\_oes](https://x.com/cal_oes)
- <https://www.facebook.com/CaliforniaOES>

## California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKS)

## SAMHSA Disaster Distress Helpline

Nationwide hotline: 800-985-5990

Text "TalkWithUs" to 66746

<https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/disaster-distress-helpline>

## VRBO

VRBO may offer reduced rates for housing in times of disaster.

<https://www.vrbo.com>

## Red Cross Shelter Locator



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