



**State Emergency
Response Team**



FEMA

Disaster News

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DON'T DELAY, REGISTER NOW WITH FEMA FOR HELP

ORLANDO – If you are one of the thousands of people affected by Tropical Storm Fay's widespread flooding, recovery help is at your fingertips – dial the Federal Emergency Management Agency's hotline to register.

If you live in Baker, Brevard, Collier, Duval, Glades, Hendry, Jefferson, Lake, Lee, Leon, Marion, Nassau, Okeechobee, Orange, Polk, St. Lucie, Seminole, Volusia or Wakulla counties, you may be eligible for assistance.

Due to the demand caused by multiple national disasters, off-peak hours and weekends are an ideal time to register. So don't delay. Call **800-621-FEMA (3362)** or the **TTY number 800-462-7585** for the hard of hearing, deaf or speech impaired.

The lines are open 7 a.m. to midnight daily until further notice. Multilingual operators are available. You can register online at www.fema.gov any time.

If a Disaster Recovery Center has closed in your area, stay in touch via the helpline option by calling the toll-free teleregistration number.

If you want to talk to a recovery specialist in person, you can go to any of the nine recovery centers located around the state. The centers are open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily until further notice.

The centers are located at:

Brevard County:

Near Lamplighter Village
503 N. John Rodes Blvd.
Melbourne 32934

Seminole County:

520 W. Lake Mary Blvd.
Suite 101
Sanford 32773

Duval County:

Emmett Reed Community Center
1093 W. 6th St.
Jacksonville 32209

St. Lucie County:

St. Lucie Logistics Center
3855 S. U.S. Highway 1
Fort Pierce 34982

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Hendry County:

Montura Ranch Estate Clubhouse (through
Sunday, 9/14)
255 N. Hacienda St.
Clewiston

Lee County:

Bonita Springs Community Center
26738 Pine Ave.
Bonita Springs 34135

Leon County:

LeRoy Collins Library
200 W. Park Ave.
Tallahassee 32301

Volusia County:

Wal-Mart parking lot
2400 Veterans Memorial Parkway
Orange City 32763

Wakulla County:

Agriculture Building
84 Cedar Ave.
Crawfordville 32327

FEMA coordinates the federal government's role in preparing for, preventing, mitigating the effects of, responding to, and recovering from all domestic disasters, whether natural or man-made, including acts of terror.

Disaster recovery assistance is available without regard to race, color, religion, nationality, sex, age, disability, English proficiency or economic status. If you or someone you know has been discriminated against, call FEMA toll-free at 800-621-FEMA (3362). For TTY call 800-462-7585.

For statewide disaster information and to find out how you can *Get A Plan!* for disasters, please visit www.FloridaDisaster.org

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