

2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires: Resource Guide

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CA

Arcadia Mental Health Center — County Mental Health Services

Walk-in Resource · Open

330 E. Live Oak Ave., Arcadia, CA 91006

Phone: (626) 821-5858 After Hours: (800) 854-7771

Hours: 8-5 M-F

Eligibility: Residents Impacted by the Triangle Complex, Sayre & Station Wildfire

Serves: Los Angeles County

LTel 9/4/09: Once the 6 free sessions are exhausted, counseling cost is on a sliding scale based on income. The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their... (more online)

Offers: Counseling (\$ NOT FREE) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services)

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West Valley Mental Health Center — Disaster Recovery

Walk-in Resource · Open

7621 Canoga Avenue, Canoga Park, CA 91304

Phone: (818) 598-6900 After Hours: (800) 854-7771

Hours: 8-5 M-F

Eligibility: Residents Impacted by the Sayre Fire – 11/08

Serves: Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

9/09: The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their feet and talk to their children about what happened. More information is available about these... (more online)

Offers: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery; Support for "All" Disasters

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Chatsworth High School — Red Cross Evacuation Shelter, School

Shelter · Standby

10027 Lurline Ave, Chatsworth, CA 91311

Phone: 818-837-2609

Serves: Granada Hills, Porter Ranch, Knollwood, Sylmar, CA Evac'ed Areas

This shelter was closed 11/16/08 (LTel) Sayre Fire started at 10:30 pm at the Veterans Memorial County Park in Sylmar, CA 11/14/08 Evacuation Orders: N of the 118 & 5 Fwy N to Hwy. 126 / N of the 118 Freeway between Woodley & Reseda – All of Rinaldi – No. Porter Ranch/Granada Hills/ Knollwood – All... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; School, High School; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter

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Clearpoint Financial Solutions — Credit Counseling

Info/Hotline · Open

16800 Devonshire, #301, Granada Hills, CA 91344

Phone: 1-877-422-9040

Web: www.clearpointfinancialsolutions.org

Hours: See notes

Serves: San Fernando Valley

ClearPoint Credit Counseling Solutions is an established, national non-profit organization that helps consumers obtain a clear perspective of their financial situation through counseling and education. Working closely with our clients, we help identify and resolve the source of their financial... (more online)

Offers: Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Housing Counseling; Services, Financial, for Folks w/Bad Credit (that want to get better)

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Kennedy High School — Red Cross Shelter/School

Shelter · Standby

11254 Gothic Ave, Granada Hills, CA 91344

Phone: (818) 271-2900

Eligibility: Evacuee's – Sayre Fire

Serves: Granada Hills, Knollwood Area, Sylmar, Porter Ranch, CA

This shelter was closed 11/16/08 (LTel) This shelter is open as a result of the Sayre Fire that started at 10:30 pm at the Veterans Memorial County Park in Sylmar, CA on 11/14/08. Evacuation Orders: N of the 118 & 5 Fwy N to Hwy. 126 / N of the 118 Freeway between Woodley & Reseda – All of Rinaldi... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; School, High School; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter

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San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center (Los Angeles County Mental Health Dept.) — Mental Health Services

Walk-in Resource · Open

10605 Balboa Blvd., Suite 100, Granada Hills, CA 91344

Phone: (818) 832-2400 After Hours: (800) 854-7771

Hours: 8-5 M-F

Eligibility: Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08

Serves: Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services (for the first 6 sessions – thereafter it's sliding scale) to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley centers. Those locations are: San Fernando Valley Mental Health Center, 10605... (more online)

Offers: Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Government, County, Department of Mental Health; Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery

Updated May 2009

California Department of Insurance — Governmental

Info/Hotline · Open

Consumer Services Division; 300 South Spring Street, South Tower, Los Angeles, CA 90013

Phone: 800-927-HELP (4357)(Calling from within Ca.), 213-897-8921

(Outside California), 800-482-4833 (TDD)

Web: www.insurance.ca.gov/wf-con-info/index.cfm

Eligibility: Impacted by the '09 Station Wildfires

Serves: Los Angeles County

Consumer Services Consumer Communications Bureau (Hotline) The Department's statewide toll-free consumer Hotline, 800-927-HELP (4357), provides callers with immediate access to current information on insurance issues. The Hotline is staffed by knowledgeable insurance professionals who can answer... (more online)

Offers: Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Support for "All" Disasters

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Catholic Charities (Los Angeles) — Faith-Based, Non-Profit Community

Walk-in Resource · Open

1531 James M. Wood Blvd.; P.O. Box 15095, Los Angeles, CA 15095

Phone: (213) 251-3400 Fax: (213) 380-4603**Web:** www.catholiccharitiesla.org**Eligibility:** Residents Impacted by the Sayre & Tea Wildfires (11/08) / Low Income / Immigrant Folks**Serves:** Los Angeles, Ventura & Santa Barbara Counties

Catholic Charities, Los Angeles: Donations to assist the victims of the recent wild fires in Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties will be used to assist individuals and families with housing, food, clothing, financial assistance and counseling. Call Catholic Charities at (213) 251-3494,...

(more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Migrants/Immigrant Workers ; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Case Management Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Counseling, Crisis Counseling and 28 more

Updated Mar 2009

Disability Rights California — Advocacy Group

Info/Hotline · Open

(Address not provided on website), Los Angeles, CA

Phone: 1-800-776-5746 or (213) 427-8747 / TTY: 1-800-719-5798**Web:** www.pai-ca.org/index.htm**Eligibility:** Disabled folks & Sayre/Marek Wildfires '08 Survivors w/ Disabilities**Serves:** California Statewide

Programs Disability Rights California works to bring about fairness and justice for people with disabilities. To reach those goals of fairness and justice, we may: File lawsuits on behalf of individuals or groups, Investigate charges of abuse and neglect, Build peer/self advocacy groups, Forge...

(more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Advocacy, Health & Human Rights; Advocacy, Housing, Community, Housing Development; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks; Demographic Served: Disabled, Persons With Disabilities; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated Jan 2009

ENLA (Emergency Network Los Angeles – Los Angeles County VOAD) — Non Profit – Disaster Preparedness/Response/Recovery (VOAD)

Info/Hotline · Open

900 West James Wood Blvd. (9th St.), Los Angeles, CA 90015

Phone: (424) 421-4349, (213) 629-1974**Web:** www.enla.org

2025 fire response: <https://www.laworks.com/2025fires> NOT accepting supply donations, need money and volunteers info@enla.org 3/1/10 2010 CHILE EARTHQUAKE http://www.enla.org/breaking_news.htm LTel 11/25/08: ENLA had their first meeting which included the VOAD member representatives and registered... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Health; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, First Response, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Training Classes, First Response, Search & Rescue

Updated Jan 2025

Goodwill Southern California — Disaster Relief

Walk-in Resource · Open

342 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone: Toll Free: (888) 4-GOODWILL or (888) 446-6394 Local: (323)

223-1211

Web: www.goodwillsocal.org**Eligibility:** Needy, Disaster Impacted Communities**Serves:** Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, CA

Aug. 31, 2009 — Goodwill is now accepting donations of used clothing and household items on behalf of Southern California wildfire victims who are being assisted by the American Red Cross of Greater Los Angeles.

Donations will enable victims of the current wildfires to obtain free vouchers that can... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers; Warehouse, Warehouse Space

Updated Sep 2009

L.A. Works — Volunteer Registry

Info/Hotline · Open

570 W. Ave 26, Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90065

Phone: (323) 224-6510**Web:** www.laworks.com**Serves:** Los Angeles County

9/09 from the website: Many people want to volunteer in response to the fires burning in Los Angeles County. The most important thing you can do, however, is to not self-deploy to a fire-affected area, shelter, or other area where fire response or recovery is taking place. The situation remains... (more online)

Offers: Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer, Long-Term Volunteer Opportunities; Volunteer Opportunities, Holiday; Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accommodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accommodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Misc. * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Short-Term, Volunteer(s); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accommodates Teen Volunteers); Volunteers, Youth Volunteers (This facility accommodates Youth Volunteers) ; Volunteer, Volunteer Referral Services and 2 more

Updated Aug 2010

Operation Hope Global Headquarters — Community Service

Info/Hotline · Open

707 Wilshire Boulevard, 30th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90017

Phone: 888-388-HOPE**Web:** www.operationhope.org

Financial Literacy Programs. Mission: To eradicate poverty through (1) partnership, (2) investment, (3) lending, (4) practical education, (5) technical assistance, (6) advocacy and outreach, is to "bridge the gap. Locations and Hours of Operation HOPE Center, Baldwin Hills 3721 South La Brea Avenue... (more online)

Offers: Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Counseling, Consumer Credit Counseling; Counseling, Financial/Budget Counseling; Counseling, Financial, Home Buying Process; Counseling, Personal Finance Counseling; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types) and 7 more

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Red Cross, Greater Los Angeles (CROWN/BRIGGS WILDFIRE EVAC UPDATES – 7-29-10) — Red Cross

Info/Hotline · Open

11355 Ohio Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90025

Phone: 310-445-9900 OR Public Inquiries, Call (310) 943-5268 HOTLINE for general hotline / 1(866) GET-INFO (438-4636)**Web:** www.redcrossla.org

Serves: Los Angeles, Agoura Hills, Bell, Beverly Hills, Burbank, Calabasas, Carson, Cudahy, City of Commerce, Compton, Culver City, El Segundo, Gardena, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Hidden Hills, Huntington Park, Inglewood, Lawndale, Lynwood, Malibu, Manhattan Beach
 Wildfire in Acton, Palmdale forces thousands to evacuate; Red Cross opens shelters (Updated July 29, 10:00 pm) There are two fires burning in the Acton and Agua Dulce area of Los Angeles County. The Briggs Incident and Crown Incident broke out in the Acton area this afternoon. The Crown fire has... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Shelter, Red Cross Shelter Updates; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness; Training Classes, Emergency/Evacuation Shelter Operations; Training Classes, Red Cross, Disaster Action Team Training; Training Classes, Safety Training; Training, Medical, Education, Certification, CPR, First-Aid Certification and 1 more

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Salvation Army, Los Angeles Area — Faith-Based, Non-Profit, Disaster Response/Recovery, Community

Info/Hotline · Open

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA DIVISION; 900 West James M. Wood Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015

Phone: (213) 389-6774 / (213) 896-9160**Eligibility:** 2008 California Wildfire Survivors**Serves:** Los Angeles County

The Salvation Army is currently providing case management services to Sayre, Sesnon & Marek Wildfires survivors through the San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group To register for survivor assistance, go to: www.rebuildsylmar.org

Offers: Case Management, Long-Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Homeless; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters
 Updated Aug 2009

Society St. Vincent De Paul — Faith-Based Community

Walk-in Resource · Open

210 North Avenue 21, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone: (323) 224 - 6280**Web:** www.svdpla.org

Serves: Los Angeles County, CA / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire ealthy Communities . . . depend on dedicated volunteers who care about their neighborhoods and the quality of life in their local areas. Volunteering with the Society will allow you to meet other community-minded individuals, discover a real sense of satisfaction and have fun while reaching out to... (more online)

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Case Management, Homeless; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location; Facilities: Restrooms; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types) and 8 more

Updated Nov 2008

United Way of Greater Los Angeles — Faith-Based Community

Outreach/Disaster Recovery/Relief

Walk-in Resource · Open

523 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, CA 90014

Phone: (213) 808-6220**Web:** www.unitedwayla.org/Pages/default.aspx**Hours:** 8:30-5 M-F

Eligibility: Impacted by Poverty/Substance Abuse, In Need of Community Services / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire

Serves: Los Angeles County, CA

United Way's of Southern California have set up a fund to help the victims of the recent devastating wildfires. The fund will focus primarily on the aftermath to ensure community-wide healing. Questions can be directed to 1-866-571-7193 or by email to socalfund@unitedwayla.org or donate online at... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Financial Assistance, Utility Bill Assistance; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Distribution, Emergency Food Program; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services) and 7 more

Updated Feb 2009

Westside Rentals — Housing Resource

Info/Hotline · Open

Los Angeles, CA

Phone: 818-264-RENT**Web:** www.westsiderentals.com**Hours:** 7 days / 9 am - 5 pm**Eligibility:** Homeless as a result of the Sayre Wildfire 11/08**Serves:** Los Angeles County

Those displaced by the fires and seeking rental housing can call request a free Westside Rentals membership. A standard membership to WestsideRentals.com gives 60 days of access to the rental listings for \$60, but fire survivors can can request a FREE pass. Landlords who wish to help with housing... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Directories, Online Database Resource; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Rental Listings

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Mission Animal Center — Animal Services / Pet Evacuation

Animal Shelter · Open

15321 Brand, Mission Hills, CA

Phone: 818-837-2609**Eligibility:** Pet Evacuee's - Sayre Fire**Serves:** Sylmar, Granada Hills, Knollwood, North Porter Ranch, CA

LTel 9:30 am 11/15/08: Per shelter director, they do not need any supplies or volunteer help at this time. They have 100 pets checked in due to the Sayre fire.

Offers: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)

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World Vision, Los Angeles Storehouse — Faith-based Humanitarian Outreach

Warehouse · Open

800 W. Chestnut Ave. Mail Stop #744, Monrovia, CA 91016

Phone: (323) 888-2121**Web:** www.worldvision.org/losangeles

Eligibility: Eligible org's must be 5013c's serving disaster related needs AND/OR serving ongoing community needs (ie. homeless shelter, community programs, etc.).

NOTE: Items listed as available, are strictly the typical that is available. This is not a guarantee that 100% of the time those items are available. Check with the storehouse to confirm the types of donations on hand.

Offers: Bags, Backpack; Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Clothing, Bra's, All Sizes * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; * KITS, SCHOOL BAG KITS, NEW Items ONLY; School, Supplies * (ANY/ALL Types); School, Supplies, Backpacks (For School Children); Sports Equipment, Balls * (ANY/ALL Types); Sports Equipment, Balls, Basketballs and 6 more

Updated Oct 2009

Food Net, Santa Clarita Service Center Food Pantry — Faith-Based Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

24271 San Fernando Road, Newhall, CA 91321

Phone: 661-254-0070**Hours:** SEE NOTES**Eligibility:** Low income-Needy Families / Marek & Sayre '08 Wildfire Families in need of emergency food / Proof of income, picture ID that matches a utility bill)**Serves:** Santa Clarita, Los Angeles County, CA / Sylmar, Lake View Terrace, CA

Tuesdays & Fridays – 11:00 A.M. – 3:00 P.M.

Offers: Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)

Updated Dec 2008

Faith Community Health Partnership (Providence Health Services) – Partnered w/St. Didacus Church — Senior Services

Walk-in Resource · Open

6801 Coldwater Canyon Ave., Suite 1A, No Hollywood, CA 91605, No. Hollywood, CA 91605

Phone: 818-847-3845**Eligibility:** Seniors / Seniors/Survivors Impacted by the Marek/Sesnon/Sayre '08 Wildfires**Serves:** East San Fernando Valley, Los Angeles County, CA

Anyone can refer or be referred. Contact information for Senior Peer Counseling: Carolyn Young, LCSW, Phone # 818-847-3845 Volunteers for Seniors – B.J. Valencia, Case Manager, Phone # 818-847-3846. Address for both: 6801 Coldwater Canyon Ave., Suite 1A, No Hollywood, CA 91605 Carolyn Young, LCSW... (more online)

Offers: Case Management, LTRC, Long Term Recovery Committee; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Community Outreach Programs; Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services) and 6 more

Updated Mar 2009

North Hollywood Interfaith Food Pantry (Coalition) — Faith-Based, Food Pantry, Coalition

Walk-in Resource · Open

4390 Colfax Avenue, No. Hollywood, CA 91604

Phone: Pantry Phone: 818-760-3575 / To Volunteer: 818-760-3575**Web:** www.vic-la.org/HungerCoalition/NHollywood_coalition.htm**Eligibility:** Impacted by Poverty, Joblessness, Low-Income / Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08**Serves:** Middle and eastern portions of the San Fernando Valley / Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

Sylmar, CA residents impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire (and any other folks who need emergency food) that need Food Assistance questions answered should contact: Eve Marcus, Food Pantry Director 818.762.6746 Pantry Operation Hours: Mondays & Fridays 8:30 A.M. –1:00 P.M.

Offers: Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Boxes, Emergency Food Boxes * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers) and 2 more

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Providence Health Services (Senior Outreach Program) — Non-Profit Community / Long Term Disaster Recovery

Info/Hotline · Open

6801 Coldwater Cyn., No. Hollywood, CA

Web: www.providence.org/losangeles/general/community-outreach.htm**Eligibility:** Seniors/Disaster Survivors – 2008 SoCal Wildfires**Serves:** Los Angeles County, CA

Providence Health Services / Sr. Outreach Program is providing Sayre/Sesnon/Marek Wildfire survivors with Case Management and is part of the San Fernando Valley Long Term Recovery Group. Faith Community Health Partnership (Senior Outreach Program offered through Providence Health Services)... (more online)

Offers: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Seniors/Elders; Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster, Post Disaster Needs Assessment; Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs and 2 more

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Do Your Part — Non-Profit Disaster Recovery/Relief

Info/Hotline · Open

15835 Bahama Street, North Hills, CA 91343

Phone: Schlene Boundy: 818-326-5037**Web:** www.doyourpart.org**Eligibility:** Residents impacted by the '07 & '08 SoCal Wildfires / Organizations/Agencies needing Disaster Response/Recovery Support & Coordination**Serves:** Southern California (Los Angeles County) currently

FACEBOOK: https://www.facebook.com/DYPCommunity/ TWITTER:

@doyourpartorg

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Drive, Fundraising Drives, Backpacks; First Responder, West Coast Region; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Management, Supply Chain Management Advice; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Disaster Recovery ; Services, Disaster Relief; Support for "All" Disasters and 5 more

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CARe, Inc. (Community Assisting Recovery) — Non Profit – Disaster Preparedness/Response/Recovery

Info/Hotline · Open

19360 Rinaldi Street, PMB 220, Northridge, CA 91326

Phone: 888-216-8264 OR 800-748-9791 (leave a message)**Web:** www.carehelp.org**Eligibility:** Impacted by Disaster/Wildfires**Serves:** Poway, Rancho Bernardino, Lakeside and East County, Los Angeles County, Orange County, Santa Barbara County

CARe, Succeeds in Additional \$46 Million Sayre Fire Insurance Recovery CARe worked in conjunction with Los Angeles city councilman's office, Richard Alarcon, to identify and resolve insurance settlement issues that resulted in the California Department of Insurance announcement of \$46,000,000 in... (more online)

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Information Resource, Online Networking, Twitter Page/Twitter Feeds; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services) and 2 more

Updated Aug 2009

Children's Hunger Fund — Faith-Based, Humanitarian Aid

Donor · Open

CHF Headquarters; 12820 Pierce St., Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone: 818.899.5122**Web:** www.chfus.org**Serves:** National/International – Sayre Wildfire 11/08

Food Paks We've found that the most effective way to communicate love to a family is to bring help directly to their homes. At CHF, we give 20 pound boxes full of nutritious foods called Food Paks® which volunteers use as relationship-building tools. This strategy puts love into action and provides... (more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Child Advocacy; Demographic Served: Hungry; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Bulk Distribution; Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Supplies, International Distribution of Supplies; Distribution, Supplies, National Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Pickup, Pick Up Service and 11 more

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Eliza Shanks Homes, Inc. — Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

13055 Weidner Street, Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone: 818-335-1233**Eligibility:** No specific requirements**Serves:** Pacoima, Sylmar, (Northeast San Fernando Valley) Los Angeles County, CA

Call ahead for an appointment (no set hours). Provides canned/frozen foods for the needy and serving Sayre/Marek wildfire families. (Also see CAT Facility record index for Emergency Food for '08 Wildfire families at: <https://ccc.haghy.com/shelters/3938>)

Offers: Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Frozen * (ANY/ALL Types)

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MEND (Meet Each Need With Dignity) — Non-Profit Community

Walk-in Resource · Open

13460 Van Nuys Blvd., Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone: (818)897-2443 or (818)896-0246 Fax (818) 897-0128**Web:** www.mendpoverty.org**Eligibility:** Needy/Low-Income Families / Sayre Wildfire Families**Serves:** Sylmar, Pacoima, Arleta, San Fernando, Van Nuys, CA

Our philosophy rests on the principles that every person, created in the image of God, has innate human dignity and the right to be treated with respect; and every person has the fundamental right to what is needed for a fully human life. Meeting Each Need in the early 1970's, MEND (Meet Each Need... (more online)

Offers: Case Management, Low Income (Individuals/Families); Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Dental, Facility, Dental Clinic; Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Boxes (General Public Distribution) and 10 more

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Neighborhood Legal Services — Legal Services

Info/Hotline · Open

13327 Van Nuys Boulevard, Pacoima, CA 91331

Phone: 1(800) 433 6251**Web:** www.nls-la.org**Eligibility:** Low Income Folks / Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire**Serves:** Los Angeles County

Neighborhood Legal Services is a non-profit legal services organization that gives free civil legal services to low-income residents of Los Angeles County. If we cannot help you directly or you are over our income limits, we can still assist in placing your case with a pro bono attorney or by... (more online)

Offers: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Advocacy, Consumer Issues; Advocacy, Disabled/Handicapped; Advocacy, Disaster Survivors; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Disabled, Accessible Housing Referrals for Disabled and 14 more

Updated Feb 2009

Volunteer Center of Los Angeles (Assistance League of So. California) — Volunteer Registry

Info/Hotline · Open

8134 Van Nuys Blvd., #200, Panorma City, CA 91402

Phone: 818.908.5066 Fax: 818.908.5147**Web:** www.vcla.net/home.htm**Hours:** 9.00am –5.00pm M–Fri.**Serves:** Los Angeles County, CA / Impacted by the 11/07 Sayre Wildfire

Many people want to volunteer in response to the fires burning in Los Angeles County. The most important thing you can do, however, is to not self-deploy to a fire-affected area, shelter, or other area where fire response or recovery is taking place. The situation remains unpredictable and... (more online)

Offers: Community Service Program; Services, Senior Programs; Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, ESL (English as a Second Language); Training Classes, Non-Profit Managers; Training, Services, Employment /Job Training ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Elder/Senior Volunteers (This facility accomodates Elder Volunteers); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers) and 9 more

Updated Aug 2010

UMC, California-Pacific Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church — Faith-Based Conference

Info/Hotline · Open

MAILING ADDRESS;; P.O. Box 6006; Pasadena, CA 91102-6006; 110

South Euclid, Pasadena, CA 91101

Phone: (310) 838-1819**Web:** www.cal-pac.org**Serves:** See general notes

The California counties of Imperial, Inyo, Kern (only that portion described as the Antelope Valley to the base of the Tehachapi Mountains and that portion extending easterly from the Sierra Nevada Mountains), Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara... (more online)

Offers: Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction)

Updated Jan 2009

Shepherd of the Hills Church (Pet Friendly) — Red Cross

Evacuation Shelter, Church

Shelter · Standby

19700 Rinaldi St, Porter Ranch, CA 91326

Phone: (818) 831-9333**Eligibility:** Sesnon Fire Evacuees**Serves:** Porter Ranch, Granada Hills, Chatsworth, CA

Pets are set up outside. Kids have a separate space to watch movies and library volunteers are reading to them to keep them distracted.

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Services, Church/Worship Services; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Sep 2009

California Emergency Mobile Patrol (C.E.M.P.) — First Responder

Info/Hotline · Open

P.O.Box 924, Reseda, CA 91337

Phone: (800) 491-3916**Web:** www.cemp.org**Serves:** Station Fire Impacted Communities

C.E.M.P. went on official standown status 9/3/09 for the Station Fire. C.E.M.P. had an active role and deployment in the massive Station Fire, one of the largest in California. The team was primarily involved in evacuating residents from the areas around Sunland and Little Tujunga Canyon. The team... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; First Responder, West Coast Region; Medical, Services, Emergency Medical Services; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Medical, Volunteer, First Response, Volunteer Services * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Emergency Response; Training Classes, Disaster Ops, Volunteer Training; Training Classes, Disaster Preparedness and 3 more

Updated Sep 2009

TAG (The Associates Group for Affordable Housing) — Non-Profit
Info/Hotline · Open

110 East Avenida Palizada, Suite 201A, San Clemente, CA 92672

Phone: (949) 492-9970 / Fax: 949-492-3697**Web:** www.associatesgroup.org/Default.asp**Eligibility:** Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire**Serves:** Sylmar, CA

The Associates Group for Affordable Housing, Inc. is very pleased to have been asked to establish the Oakridge Fire Victim's Fund for the victims of last month's devastating Sayre Fire in Sylmar, California. The fund has been established with donations from local churches and individuals, and seeks... (more online)

Offers: Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types)

Updated May 2009

Tzu Chi Foundation (HQ) — Non-Profit Disaster Relief

Info/Hotline · Open

TAIWAN BUDDHIST TZU CHI FOUNDATION,; U.S.A. NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS; 1100 S. Valley Center Ave., San Dimas, CA 91773

Phone: (909)447-7799**Web:** www.us.tzuchi.org**Eligibility:** Impacted by SoCal Wildfires 11/08**Serves:** Southern California Wildfires Regions

2011 JAPAN EARTHQUAKE, Tsunami BLOG – <http://www.us.tzuchi.org/usa/home.nsf/fd4adc073f7366fe88256fa70060285a/cd3873edb70de70e882578550026eabc?OpenDocument> Japan record at: <https://ccc.haghy.com/shelters/7756> Date: 2008/11/18 Tzu Chi volunteers ease the evacuees' minds and discuss relief plans As of... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Emergency Financial Assistance; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); First Responder, West Coast Region; First Responder, Worldwide; Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter, Volunteer; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Mar 2011

San Fernando High School — Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School

Shelter · Standby

11133 O'Melveny Avenue, San Fernando, CA

Phone: 818-837-2609**Eligibility:** Evacuee's – Sayre Fire**Serves:** Sylmar, Granada Hills, Knollwood, CA Area

This shelter closed on 11/16/08 (LTel) This Red Cross Shelter opened 11/14/08 due to the Sayre Fire that started at 10:30 pm at the Veterans Memorial County Park. Evacuation Orders: N of the 118 & 5 Fwy N to Hwy. 126 / N of the 118 Freeway between Woodley & Reseda – All of Rinaldi – No. Porter... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; School, High School; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter

Updated Sep 2009

Animal Shelters, Los Angeles County, Non-City Shelters – INDEX — Los Angeles Animal Services

Animal Shelter · Open

See Notes, See notes, CA

Phone: See notes**Eligibility:** Animals**Serves:** Los Angeles County

NON-CITY SHELTERS HUMANE ORGANIZATIONS SPCALA Administrative Office 5026 W. Jefferson Blvd. Los Angeles, CA 90016 (213)-730-5338 www.spcala.com No animals for adoption at this location SPCALA P.D. Pitchford Animal Adoption and Educational Center 7700 E. Spring St. Long Beach, CA 90815 (562)... (more online)

Offers: Animals, Adoption, Animals for Adoption; Animals, Animal Control Professionals; Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Animal Shelter; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Jan 2025

Shelters, Emergency Sheltering, Southern California – INDEX

— Shelter

Shelter · Open

SEE NOTES, SEE NOTES, CA

Phone: SEE NOTES**Eligibility:** Homeless / Folks impacted by the So. Calif. '08 Wildfires**Serves:** Los Angeles County, CA

Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority Phone: 1(800) 548-6047 TTY: 1(800) 660-4026 (Shelter Hotline) Los Angeles Emergency Shelters: Los Angeles Mission Address: 303 E. Fifth Street Mailing Address: P. O. Box 5330, Los Angeles, CA 90055 Phone: (213) 629-1227 Midnight Mission Address: 396 S. Los... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Homeless; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Sep 2009

Sunland Senior Center — Senior Services

Walk-in Resource · Open

8640 Fenwick, Sunland, CA

Phone: 818-353-1413**Eligibility:** Seniors / Impacted by the Marek/Sayre 2008 Wildfires

Serves: Sunland, Lake View Terrace, Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA Sunland Senior Center (Meals on Wheels Programs/Congregate Senior Feeding): The Sunland Senior Center offers lunch at 11:20 A.M. Mon.-Fri. (The cost is a \$2.50 donation), as well as Movie Day and Senior Exercise activities on a weekly basis (Mondays & Fridays). If you are homebound and need home... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Facilities: Senior Center; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Congregate Feeding, Meals (Elders/Seniors); Meals, Home Delivered Meals (For Seniors/Elders); Meals, Lunches (Hot); Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Senior/Elderly Services; Services, Senior Programs and 1 more

Updated Dec 2008

Food Pantry, Los Angeles County, NE San Fernando Valley – INDEX — Food Pantry/Local Distribution

Walk-in Resource · Open

SEE NOTES, Sylmar, CA

Phone: SEE NOTES**Eligibility:** Impacted by the '08 Sayre/Marek Wildfires**Serves:** Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

Sylmar Area Food Pantries: San Fernando First Methodist Church 1525 Glenoaks, Blvd. (Corner of Harding) San Fernando, CA 91340 Contact: If you or your family needs food, you can register for the Food Pantry by calling (818) 365-3156, (818) 269-9143 or (818) 571-6912 or visiting the church office... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Facility: Food, Emergency Food Center; Food, Canned, Meals * (ANY/ALL Types); Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food, Non-Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks)

Updated Sep 2009

Hansen Dam Equestrian Center (Accepting Livestock/Horses) –

Animal Services – County

Animal Shelter · Standby

11127 Orcas Ave, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: (818) 896-6514 / Hotline: 818-837-2609**Eligibility:** Animals/Livestock Evacuee's – Station Wildfire

Serves: La Canada-Flintridge, La Crescenta, Sunland, Tujunga, Los Angeles County, California

9/4/09 LTel: This site serves as a 'layover' for livestock/horses. Horses are transported to Pierce College for sheltering. Livestock is transported to other available large animal Los Angeles County Animal Services facilities for sheltering. It's not confirmed but I am guessing since evac's are... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Livestock Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters

Updated Sep 2009

Red Cross, Sayre Wildfire Call Center — American Red Cross

Info/Hotline · Standby

Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: (310) 943-5268**Eligibility:** Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire, 11/08**Serves:** Sylmar, CA

A 24-hour call center (Red Cross) has been established to handle general inquiries relating to the Sayre wildfire: (310) 943-5268. Callers will be given information regarding donations, volunteering, and making contact with loved ones affected by the fires. The recording says "if you need help as a... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Donations * (ANY/ALL Types); Donations, Disaster Fund; First Responder, West Coast Region; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)

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St. Didacus Church (in partnership with Catholic Charities) —

Faith-Based Disaster Recovery & Relief

Walk-in Resource · Open

14337 Astoria St., Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: (818) 367-6181**Web:** www.stdidacus.org/church/church.php**Eligibility:** Residents Impacted by the Sayre Wildfire 11/08**Serves:** Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

St. Didacus Assistance: is offered to all victims of the Sayre Fire. Prior to completing the St. Didacus Assistance Form all victims need to apply/register with FEMA at (800) 621-3362. Your FEMA number is a necessary to complete St. Didacus Assistance. The St. Didacus Assistance form is available... (more online)

Offers: Case Management, Long-Term Case Management; Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Case Management, Wildfire Survivors; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Distribution, Gift Cards for Disaster Survivors; Donations, Disaster Fund; Financial Assistance, ** Financial Assistance (ANY/ALL Types); Gift Cards * (ANY/ALL Types) and 4 more

Updated May 2009

Sylmar Chamber of Commerce — Business Association

Walk-in Resource · Open

13867 Foothill Blvd. #104, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: (818) 367-1177**Web:** www.thetransitcoalition.us/sylmarcc**Serves:** Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

Updated Nov 2008

Sylmar High School — Red Cross Emergency Evacuation Shelter, School

Shelter · Standby

13050 Borden Avenue, Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: (818) 833-3700**Eligibility:** 11/08 Sayre Wildfire Evacuees**Serves:** Sylmar, Los Angeles, County, CA

11/08: This shelter is the only one remaining open in the San Fernando Valley currently. Sayre Fire in Sylmar started at 10:30 pm 11/14/08 at the Veterans Memorial County Park. It is currently full. They accept small pets. Capacity is unknown This shelter is FULL Evacuation Orders: N of the 118 & 5... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; School, High School; Shelter, Animals, Small Pet/Animal Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Evacuation Shelter

Updated Sep 2009

Sylmar Neighborhood Council — Disaster Recovery/Community

Walk-in Resource · Open

13515 ½ Hubbard St., Sylmar, CA 91342

Phone: 818-833-8737**Web:** www.sylmarneighborhoodcouncil.org/index.htm**Eligibility:** Residents Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire / Sylmar, CA Residents**Serves:** Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

How to Help Sylmar Fire Victims The SNC has been contacted by various thoughtful individual offering help. We would like to provide this update regarding the needs that we are aware of. Regarding donations: We do NOT need: clothing, food, hygiene kits or other household items. We are already... (more online)

Offers: Community Service Program; Demographic Served: Social Peers; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Resources Available to Disaster Survivors; Long Term Recovery Committee (LTRC), Unmet Needs Committee Meetings; Management, Volunteer Coordination Services; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Apr 2009

Tujunga United Methodist Church — Faith-Based Food Pantry, Clothes Closet

Walk-in Resource · Open

9901 Tujunga Canyon Blvd, Tujunga, CA 91042

Phone: 818-352-1481**Web:** www.tumc.net**Eligibility:** Photo ID (Accepting Sayre Wildfires families)

Serves: Tujunga, Sunland, La Crescenta, La Canada, Montrose, CA Bailey Human Care Center We serve people in need of food every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. For clothes, we open our clothes closet every Friday from 10:00 A.M to 11:30 A.M. Holidays are not open, yet we open every 4th Saturday from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM for the people who... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Services, Church/Worship Services

Updated Dec 2008

St. Elisabeth Church Service Center/Food Pantry — Faith-Based Food Pantry

Walk-in Resource · Open

6640 Cedros Avenue, Van Nuys, CA 91405

Phone: 818-782-1762**Eligibility:** No requirements**Serves:** Van Nuys, Los Angeles County, CA / Also serving Marek/Sayre Wildfire families in need

Pantry Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays – 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. This food pantry normally only serves Van Nuys, CA but is accepting Sayre/Marek fire families for emergency food assistance. Also see CAT Facility Record for Emergency Food Index at: <https://ccc.haghy.com/shelters/3938>

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)

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Insurance Tips/Contacts, INDEX — Private Business

Info/Hotline · Open

Various, CA

Phone: SCROLL DOWN TO NOTES

Policyholders who have suffered losses as a result of wildfires should contact their insurance agents at the following phone numbers: Allied Insurance: (800) 282-1446 AllState Insurance: (800) 54-STORM Auto Club: (800) 67-CLAIM Farmers Insurance: (800) 435-7764 Fireman's Fund Insurance Company:... (more online)

Offers: Assistance, How To, Navigating Disaster Survivor Insurance Process ; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Sep 2009

Sandbags, Available Locations – INDEX (Post Station Fire Burn Areas) — County, Disaster Response

Info/Hotline · Standby

See Notes, Various, CA

Eligibility: Residents living in the post Station Fire Burn Areas

Serves: Burn Areas, Los Angeles County

This is a link to a PDF of which fire stations residents can pick up sandbags in the post burn area's: <http://dpw.lacounty.gov/wrd/Fire/file/sandbags.pdf>

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Sandbags

Updated May 2010

United Animal Nations (Grants for Pets) — Non-Profit – Animal Disaster Relief

Donor · Open

Various, CA

Web: www.uan.org

PROGRAMS: UAN's main programs serve animals directly by providing financial assistance or volunteer support. Emergency Animal Rescue Service (EARS): Shelters and cares for animals displaced by natural disasters and other crises, such as criminal seizures and hoarding cases, in the United States and... (more online)

Offers: Animals, Rescue, Animal Rescue Disaster/Evacuation Services; Demographic Served: Animals; Grants * (ANY/ALL Types of Financial Grants); Grants, Pets (Impacted by Disaster)

Updated Sep 2009

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church — Faith-Based Food Pantry, Hot Meals, Clothes Closet, Showers, Free Haircuts

Walk-in Resource · Open

8520 Winnetka Avenue, Winnetka, CA 91306

Phone: 818-341-1629 (Pantry) / (818) 341-3460 (Church)

Web: www.our-redeemer.org/HOME.asp

Eligibility: Valid ID (& photo ID for family members – for kids school ID's are acceptable) – Best to call ahead to verify requirements in advance – No new clients accepted on Thursdays

Serves: Impacted by the Sylmar Sayre Wildfire 11/08 / Low-Income/Needy Families

OPEN 10:00 AM TO 2:30 pm, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
Emergency Pantry Food is offered once per month to needy recipients. If you have additional emergency needs (more frequent than once a month, call for details) SERVICES OFFERED: FOOD PANTRY, CLOTHING AND SERVICES FOR THE NEEDY Hot meals... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing Distribution (To the Public); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Events, Social, Holiday Event * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types); Facilities: Shower Facilities, Disaster Survivors (Available To); Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public); Food Distribution, Holiday, Food Boxes/Basket, Misc.; Haircuts, FREE Haircuts and 9 more

Updated Dec 2008

Pierce College — Animal Evacuation Shelter Services – Equine

Animal Shelter · Standby

6201 Winnetka Ave., Woodland Hills, CA

Phone: 818-8372609

Eligibility: Horses Needing Evacuation – Sayre Fire

Serves: Sylmar, Granada Hills, Knollwood Areas

9/4/09: Confirmed they are only taking horses, donkeys & mules. Pierce College can take up to 200 horses. Some reports say they only take horses, but I saw a news broadcast on 8/30/09 and they had a few llamas, sheep, goats, etc. I think they prefer to take horses though. Citizen Action Team has... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Animals; Shelter, Animals, Equine (Horses), Emergency/Evacuation Shelter; Shelter, Livestock Evacuation Shelter; Support for "All Local" Disasters

Updated Oct 2009

West Valley Food Pantry (Prince of Peace Episcopal Church) —

Faith-Based, Coalition, Food Pantries

Walk-in Resource · Open

5700 Rudnick Avenue, Woodland Hills, CA 91367

Phone: (818) 346-5554 FAX: (818) 346-3349

Web: popwh.org/newpop/min_food_pantry.html

Hours: 5 days a week (Monday to Thursday from 10 am to 3:00) and 10 to Noon on Friday

Serves: West San Fernando Valley, CA

The West Valley Food Pantry is a coalition of eleven congregations located in the west San Fernando Valley providing emergency food to the needy and homeless in the area. It was founded in 1985 to make sure that the hungry, working poor and the homeless in the West Valley have access to emergency... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Low Income Folks; Food Distribution, Food Pantry (Distributes to the Public)

Updated Nov 2008

211 Los Angeles County — Community Services

Info/Hotline · Open

CA

Phone: 211 (local) or 1(800) 339-6993

Web: www.infoline-la.org

Serves: Los Angeles County

211 is an easy to remember three-digit dialing code that enables a caller to access over 28,000 health and human service programs throughout Los Angeles County 24 hours per day, 7 days per week and is TTY accessible. 211 LA County, formerly known as INFO LINE of Los Angeles, has been providing... (more online)

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Assistance, How to, Navigate Disaster Relief Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Counseling, Disaster Survivor Counseling Referrals; Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Health Referrals; Assistance, Referrals, Information & Referral (For Seniors/Elders); Assistance, Referrals, Medical Resources Referral; Assistance, Referrals, Mental Health Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Services for Special Needs Folks and 20 more

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California Department of Social Services — Government

Info/Hotline · Open

CA

Phone: 800-759-6807

Web: www.cdss.ca.gov

The two programs that the Disaster Services Section are responsible for are supporting counties' mass care and shelter programs in California and State and federal grant recovery programs for individuals and households. These program responsibilities are delegated to the Department by an... (more online)

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Financial Assistance, Food Stamp Program; Financial Assistance, Food Stamps, Emergency Food Stamps; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Nov 2007

California Legal Senior Hotline — Legal Services/Seniors

Info/Hotline · Open

CA

Phone: 1(800) 222-1753

Web: www.seniorlegalhotline.org

Eligibility: Seniors

Serves: California – Statewide

CALIFORNIA SENIOR LEGAL HOTLINE The Senior Legal Hotline exists to provide seniors with fast, accurate advice on any legal subject, by phone and internet. We aim to empower callers to solve the problems they face, and when needed, we may offer limited extra assistance. When clients need more help... (more online)

Offers: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Legal Information & Resource Referrals (For Elders/Seniors); Demographic Served: Seniors / Elderly; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline * (ANY/ALL Types); Hotline, Legal Advice & Assistance (Seniors/Elders)

Updated Dec 2008

California Southern Baptist Convention (CSBC) — Faith-Based Disaster Clean Up Services

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Phone: (714) 636-9425

Web: www.csbc.com

Eligibility: Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire & 9/09 Station Wildfire

Serves: Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA (Oakridge Mobile Home Park)

California Southern Baptist Convention (CSBC) will help uninsured homeowners with site cleanup at no cost, preferably with a family member on site in case personal valuables are found. Phone: (714) 636-9425 Web site: www.csbc.com CSBC provides disaster areas with immediate and long-term recovery... (more online)

Offers: Cleanup, Ash & Fire Debris, Volunteer Services; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Spiritual; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Jan 2010

Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC/DRS) Changed Name to World Renew — Faith-Based Disaster Recovery

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Eligibility: Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire

Serves: Sylmar, CA

Offers: Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Services, Disaster, Post Disaster Needs Assessment; Support for "All" Disasters

Updated Nov 2012

D&S Homes — Housing Resource

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Phone: 1(877) 374-7637

Eligibility: Marek/Sayre Wildfires '08 Survivors w/Housing Needs

Serves: San Fernando Valley, CA

D&S Homes Developer Stephen Bock is offering a streamlined rental application process for residents who lost their homes in the Sayre & Marek Wildfires. D&S is committed to assisting residents that have had a devastating loss and making a contribution to assisting in their recovery. There is a... (more online)

Offers: Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Fairly Priced Rental Housing for Disaster Survivors

Updated Mar 2009

Department of Mental Health, Los Angeles County — County Mental Health Services

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Phone: 1-800-896-4042

Eligibility: Impacted by the 2007 & 2008 SoCal Wildfires

Serves: Los Angeles County, CA

LTel 9/4/09: Once the 6 free sessions are exhausted, counseling cost is on a sliding scale based on income. The L.A. County Department of Mental Health will help those affected by the Station Fire with six free clinics. A representative explained that they will be guided on how to get back on their... (more online)

Offers: Counseling, Crisis Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Hotline, Disaster Recovery Services Hotline for Survivors; Support for "All" Disasters

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L.A. County Online — County

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Web: lacounty.gov

Serves: Los Angeles County

This site provides vital community links for social services, disaster relief resources, animal services, etc., as well as Public Announcements.

Offers: Directories, Directory of Services, City/Town; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Maps, Fire Maps; Information Resource, Navigating the Disaster Recovery Process; Information Resource, Road Closures/Conditions; Support for "All" Disasters

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MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES/CRISIS COUNSELING – INDEX

— Crisis Counseling

Info/Hotline · Open
SEE NOTES, CA

Phone: SEE NOTES

Eligibility: Impacted by the 11/08 Sayre Wildfire & 8/09 Station Wildfire

Serves: Sylmar, Los Angeles County, CA

CRISIS COUNSELING/MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES * Los Angeles Department of Mental Health The Los Angeles Department of Mental Health is offering free mental health crisis counseling services to victims of the Sayre Fire at two San Fernando Valley Centers. Location: San Fernando Valley Mental Health... (more online)

Offers: Case Management, * (Providers of ANY Type of Case Management); Counseling, Crisis Intervention Counseling; Counseling (Free or Sliding Scale) * (ANY/ALL Types of Counseling); Counseling, Group Counseling; Counseling, Post Disaster Counseling; Counseling, Support Group * (ANY/ALL Types); Counseling, Support Group (Post Disaster); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Government, County, Department of Mental Health ; Mental Health Services

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Resource Assistance Guide – So. Calif. '08 Sesnon/Marek/Sayre Wildfires — Disaster Recovery/Resources

Info/Hotline · Open
CA

Web: www.rebuildsylmar.org

Serves: Lake View Terrace, Sylmar, Granada Hills, CA

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