



Florida homeowners and renters in counties who had uninsured damage or losses caused by Hurricane Milton may be eligible for FEMA disaster assistance.

**Currently eligible counties:** Brevard, Charlotte, Citrus, Clay, Collier, DeSoto, Duval, Flagler, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Lake, Lee, Manatee, Marion, Martin, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Putnam, Sarasota, Seminole, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Sumter, and Volusia.

### Ways to Apply for Disaster Aid:

#### **FEMA Disaster Assistance**



**Online:**

<https://link.edgepilot.com/s/fb84b1f5/PkwH05U180Ozo9QU8fjzKw?u=http://www.disasterassistance.gov/>



**Call:** (800) 621-3362

**When you apply, have the following information on hand:**

- The address of your damaged home or apartment
- Names of people living in your household
- A description of your disaster damages
- Insurance information
- Your Social Security Number
- A telephone number where you can be reached or left a message
- An address where you can get mail
- If you want your disaster assistance funds sent directly to your bank, provide FEMA your bank information

**Have questions about FEMA's disaster assistance?**

Visit [Frequently Asked Questions About Disasters](#)

#### **FEMA Hurricane Rumor Response**

Rumors and misleading information can spread quickly after any disaster. Following Hurricanes Helene and Milton, FEMA has seen many rumors that have the potential to seriously hamper storm response efforts or prevent people from getting assistance quickly. To learn more, visit [Hurricane Rumor Response](#)

#### **SBA Disaster Assistance Loans**



**Online:** [https://link.edgepilot.com/s/0f799478/dX2iyrlYj0Cyf5bo\\_Q55Rw?u=http://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/disaster-assistance](https://link.edgepilot.com/s/0f799478/dX2iyrlYj0Cyf5bo_Q55Rw?u=http://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/disaster-assistance)



**Call:** (800) 659-2955

#### **USDA - Agriculture Assistance**



**Online:**

[https://link.edgepilot.com/s/8179cbda/s4p9PNpibUaXqUHth\\_CIA?u=http://www.farmers.gov/protection-recovery](https://link.edgepilot.com/s/8179cbda/s4p9PNpibUaXqUHth_CIA?u=http://www.farmers.gov/protection-recovery)



**Call:** (352) 379-4500

#### **Red Cross**

## Operation Blue Roof

Operation Blue Roof is available to impacted residents by Hurricane Milton as a free service for homeowners and permanently occupied rental properties, providing fiber-reinforced, industrial-strength sheeting to protect storm-damaged roofs until homeowners can make permanent repairs. Homeowners who wish to apply must complete a right-of-entry (ROE) form to allow the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) and its contractors to access the property.

**Eligible counties:** Brevard, Citrus, Charlotte, DeSoto, Hardee, Hernando, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Lake, Manatee, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Sarasota, Seminole, St. Lucie, Sumter, and Volusia.



**Online:** [bluroof.gov](http://bluroof.gov)



**Call:** 888-ROOF-BLU (888-766-3258)

**If you need emergency help, please call 9-1-1.**

**Senator Rubio's staff can assist with a concern, complaint, or question of eligibility or benefit as it relates to a federal agency.**

**To request assistance with an agency, please complete this [form](#).**

**You may also contact us toll-free in Florida at (866) 630-7106 or email at [casework@rubio.senate.gov](mailto:casework@rubio.senate.gov).**

To unsubscribe [click here](#)