

Immediate Crisis Resources

1. 211 LA County Resource Advisor:
 - Dial 2-1-1.
 - 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline:
 - Available 24/7. Call or text 988.
2. [California Fire Foundation:](#)
 - Distributes immediate \$250 emergency assistance cards to families who lost their homes.
3. California Peer-Run Warmline:
 - Call or text 1-855-600-WARM.
4. Crisis Text Line:
 - Text "LA" to 741741.
5. Disaster Distress Helpline:
 - Call 800-985-5990.
6. [Gobble Gobble Give:](#)
 - Delivers hot meals, shelter, and essential supplies to homeless individuals impacted by fires.
7. [Los Angeles Regional Food Bank:](#)
 - Supplies emergency meals and groceries to families displaced by fires.
8. [National Alliance on Mental Illness Helpline:](#)
 - Call 1-800-950-6264 or text "HelpLine" to 62640.
9. Substance Abuse Service Helpline:
 - Call 844-804-7500.
10. [The Partnership for Inclusive Disaster Strategies:](#)
 - Has a hotline for disabled people seeking help evacuating or getting care.
 - Call or text the Disability & Disaster Hotline at 800-626-4959.
 - Email at hotline@disasterstrategies.org.
11. [United Way of Ventura County:](#)
 - Provides direct financial relief to Palisades Fire victims for emergency expenses.
12. [Warm Lines](#)
 - Find additional warmline options for non-emergency mental health support.

Music Industry-Focused Resources

This list will be updated as new resources arise.

1. [MusiCares](#)

- **Who can apply:** Professionals in theater, film, television, music, radio, and dance with documented industry earnings.
- **What it covers:** Basic living expenses such as health care, housing, and utilities.
- **Grant amount:** Determined based on individual financial needs.
- **How to apply:** Submit online.
- **Apply Here:**
<https://entertainmentcommunity.org/services-and-programs/disaster-resources>

2. [Sweet Relief Musicians Fund](#)

- **Who can apply:** Musicians and music workers with verified financial need.
- **What it covers:** Medical expenses, living costs, utilities, and other emergencies.
- **Grant amount:** Varies based on need and available funds.
- **How to apply:** Submit an online application with proof of financial hardship.
- **Link:**
<https://care.us2.list-manage.com/track/click?u=3a3e3a8101d1b7f3e1f8b300c&id=8b5003d9e4&e=4af1b12a21>

3. [The Entertainment Community Fund](#)

- **Who can apply:** Professionals in theater, film, television, music, radio, and dance with documented industry earnings.
- **What it covers:** Basic living expenses such as health care, housing, and utilities.
- **Grant amount:** Determined based on individual financial needs.
- **How to apply:** Submit online.
- **Apply Here:**
<https://entertainmentcommunity.org/services-and-programs/disaster-resources>

4. [We Are Moving the Needle Microgrants Wildfire Relief Fund for Audio Professionals](#)

- **Who can apply:** Music producers, engineers, and creators in the Los Angeles area impacted by the LA wildfires
- **What it covers:** Provides micro grants for housing, transportation, and essentials
- **Grant amount:** Varies
- **How to apply:** Submit online
- **Link:** <https://www.wearemovingtheneedle.org/firefundapp2025>

5. [CERF + Emergency Relief Grant](#)

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Craft and visual artists affected by emergencies such as natural disasters or medical crises.
- b. **What it covers:** Studio repairs, medical bills, replacement tools, and lost income.
- c. **Grant amount:** Up to \$5,000 per emergency.

- d. **How to apply:** Submit an online application with proof of emergency and financial need.
- e. **Apply here:** <https://cerfplus.org/grants/emergency-relief/>

6. **Guitar Center Foundation**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Los Angeles-based musicians impacted by the LA wildfires
- b. **What it covers:** Instrument Replacement (via gear)
- c. **How to apply:** Submit a request for instrument replacement
- d. **Apply here:** <http://guitarcenterfoundation.org/fires/>

7. **Fender**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Los Angeles-based musicians impacted by the LA wildfires
- b. **What it covers:** Instrument or gear replacement
- c. **How to apply:** Submit a request
- d. **Apply here:** <https://www.fender.com/en-US/ca-fire-relief.html>

8. **American Federation of Musicians**

- a. **Who can apply:** Members of the AFM in good standing and who reside in or were employed as a musician in impacted areas designated by FEMA as Federal Disaster Areas for Individual Assistance
- b. **What it covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant amount:** Unspecified
- d. **How to apply:** Apply online, must log into the AFM dashboard
- e. **Link:**
<https://www.afm.org/emergency-assistance/#:~:text=Download%20the%20AFM%20Emergency%20Relief.hurricanes%2C%20wildfires%2C%20or%20tornadoes>

9. **The 100 Percenters**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Professional songwriters, producers, artists, or music professionals with verifiable industry contributions who are residents of wildfire-impacted areas of LA County and can demonstrate wildfire-related loss and financial need
- b. **What it Covers:** Available grants are split between needs of immediate financial requirements of housing, transportation, and essentials, rebuilding efforts to replace equipment and spaces, and mental health support.
- c. **Grant amount:** Immediate financial assistance up to \$2,500, rebuilding support up to \$10,000, and mental health support up to \$2,000.
- d. **How to apply:** Application link not live yet
- e. **Fund Link:** <https://www.the100percenters.com/la-wildfire-relief-fundraiser>

10. [For the Future](#)

- a. **Who can apply:** Artists impacted by the Altadena Fires (though likely also of other fires as well)
- b. **What it covers:** Replacing lost instruments and essential equipment, access to studio time and creative spaces, and connecting artists with resources to help them rebuild
- c. **Grant amount:** Unspecified
- d. **How to apply:** Online application
- e. **Link:** <https://forms.gle/p7iBYk6q5ccELsED9>

11. [National Music Education Disaster Relief Coalition](#)

- a. **Who Can Apply:** School music programs that have been affected by a natural disaster
- b. **What it Covers:** Will provide instruments and essential resources to rebuild music programs
- c. **Grant Amount:** Unspecified
- d. **How to Apply:** Email or phone call
- e. **Contact:** musicrising@mhopus.org or 818-762-4328

12. [Newport Festivals Foundation](#)

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Artists and crews who have experienced unexpected hardship, including natural disaster
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant Amount:** Unspecified
- d. **How to Apply:** Online application
- e. **Fund Link:** <https://form.jotform.com/NewportFestivals/musicianrelieffund2021>

13. [The California Jazz Foundation](#)

- a. **Who Can Apply:** California Jazz musicians affected by the LA wildfires - validation will be required.
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant Amount:** \$1,000
- d. **How to Apply:** Email name, email address, phone, former/current address and zip code of your affected area, instrument, and specific reason for request (lost home, evacuated, lost gigs/instruments, etc.). **Deadline is April 1.**
- e. **To apply, email:** help@californiajazzfoundation.org

14. [Sound Royalties Wildfire Relief Program - Advances](#)

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Royalty rights holders earning a minimum of \$5,000 in annual royalties whose primary residence or work is located in FEMA or CA state-designated emergency zones
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Advance Amount:** Up to \$50,000
- d. **How to Apply:** Online form or call (877) 795-0094
- e. **Link:**
https://soundroyalties.com/soundroyaltieswildfirereliefprogram/?id=0114&utm_source=wildfirerelief&utm_medium=pressrelease&utm_campaign=2025

15. **The SONA Foundation Songwriter Fund**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Songwriters and composers demonstrating need in areas of homelessness, job security, and medical care.
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant Amount:** \$500
- d. **How to Apply:** Online application
- e. **Application link:**
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfKW9C-IPOwPrycp4SSYTSbcyF6XJzgjTCqTpYu46QxdJLpDg/viewform>

16. **ASCAP**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** ASCAP Writer Members in good standing who have suffered loss or damage to their primary residence, or studio, or been evacuated from their homes as a result of the LA fires.
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant Amount:** \$1,500
- d. **How to Apply:** Online application
- e. **Application link:**
<https://www.ascap.com/news-events/articles/2025/01/la-fire-relief/application>

17. **Live Nation's Crew Nation**

- a. **Who Can Apply:** Individuals currently employed within the industry facing displacement expenses due to mandatory evacuation orders, damage, or loss.
- b. **What it Covers:** Unspecified
- c. **Grant Amount:** Up to \$5,000
- d. **How to Apply:** Online application
- e. **Application link:** <https://crewnation.submittable.com/submit>

18. **Music Health Alliance**

- **Who can apply:** Music industry professionals with verified financial need.
- **What it covers:** Ongoing, long-term support in the form of various medical care resources such as dental care, group health services, healthcare advocacy and

confidential guidance, individual/family health insurance, senior care support, and vision resources. **Note - also a Backline partner with their Music's Mental Health Fund.*

- **How to apply:** Request assistance online
- **Link:** <https://www.musichealthalliance.com/request-assistance/>

General Mental Health Resources

1. Mental Health Coalition

- **Resources:** Offers guides and a comprehensive [Resource Library](#) to support mental health during crises.
- **Immediate Assistance:** Contact the Disaster Distress Helpline at 1-800-985-5990 for 24/7 support.

2. Asian Mental Health Project

- **Services:** Hosted an online peer support space for AAPI folks affected both directly and indirectly by the disaster; likely will hold more.
- **Support Areas:** They support AAPI mental health year-round, offer micro-grants for mental health assistance, and most of the founders and team are LA-based with creative crossover.
- **Contact:** Follow on [Instagram](#) or their [LinkTr.ee](#) for updates.

General Practical Resources

1. Federal Fire Disaster Assistance (FEMA)

- **Resources:** FEMA may be able to help you with home repairs, temporary housing, or property damage (appliances, furniture, vehicle, etc). You may also qualify for help with child care, medical, lodging, moving, and funeral expenses. If you have business losses, including property damage and economic losses, you may qualify for assistance from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA).
- **Contact:** Call 1-800-621-3362, or visit disasterassistance.gov

2. LA Mutual Aid - All kinds of resources

- **Resources:** Offers a comprehensive and growing [Resource Document](#) for shelters, food and goods donations and distribution, animal boarding, and more.

3. Disaster Strategies - Disability Support

- **Resources:** Providing support to people with disabilities who have been affected by wildfires
- **Contact:** Call or text the Disability & Disaster hotline 1-800-626-4959. Email hotline@disasterstrategies.org

4. LA Restaurants - Food and Shelter

- **Resources:** L.A. County restaurants offering food and relief to fire evacuees and first responders
<https://www.latimes.com/food/list/los-angeles-restaurants-providing-food-shelter-evacuees-first-responders-fire>

5. LA 211 and Airbnb - Shelter

- **Resources:** LA 211 has paired up with Airbnb. Anyone who has been evacuated because of the Palisades fire can stay in an Airbnb for one week at no charge.
- **Contact:** Call 2-1-1 or visit www.211LA.org

6. Uber - Transportation

- **Resources:** Residents who've been ordered to evacuate can get a \$40 credit valid to trips to active shelter.
- **Contact:** Use code WILDFIRE25

7. Lyft - Transportation

- **Resources:** Residents who've been ordered to evacuate can get a \$25 VOUCHER, for valid two trips from now until January 15th.
- **Contact:** Use code CAFIRERELIEF25

8. Chatbooks - Photos

- **Resources:** Reprinting lost photos at no cost.
- **Contact:** support@chatbooks.com

9. Community Loving - Hygiene Kits and Clothing

- **Resources:** Providing hygiene kits and clothing available for pickup in Torrance
- **Contact:** Email communityloving.org@gmail.com

10. The Rare O Project - Baby Essentials

- **Resources:** For young parents between the ages of 14 and 25 the rare project is providing diapers, wipes, baby food (if available), and baby formula (if available)
- **Contact:** Fill out their form on their website therareproject.org can also contact them via email info@therareproject.org

11. Babyletto - Baby Cribs

- **Resources:** Cribs for any family who has lost their home or been impacted by the fires
- **Contact:** Email info@babyletto.com