

# Continued Temporary Housing Assistance Available for Wildfire Survivors

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If you received two months of FEMA rental assistance after the Maui wildfires and need more time to plan your recovery, you may be eligible for *Continued Temporary Housing Assistance*. Under the Individuals and Households Program, if you provide the required documents, you may receive rental assistance for another three months and possibly longer, if needed.

The rental assistance you receive may be used to rent a house, apartment, manufactured home, recreational vehicle, or other dwelling.

## 1. Who is eligible?

- To be eligible for *Continued Temporary Housing Assistance*:
- You must have received an initial two months of rental assistance and used it as instructed.
- You must be *unable* to return to your pre-disaster residence because it was damaged, destroyed or made uninhabitable by the wildfires.
- You cannot pay for housing without assistance.
- You can demonstrate that your financial need was caused by the disaster.
- You are not receiving temporary housing assistance from any other source.
- You are able to show you're developing a longer-term or permanent housing plan or demonstrate progress toward that plan.

## 1. If You Need More Rental Assistance

- To receive continued rental assistance, complete an ***Application for Continued Temporary Housing Assistance***.
- **Homeowners:** If your real property FEMA-verified losses exceed the amount of the initial Rental Assistance award, an *Application for Continued Temporary Housing Assistance* will be mailed to you. It is automatically generated about two weeks after the initial Rental Assistance award is approved. If the Real Property Loss does not exceed the amount of the initial Rental Assistance, you



