

FEMA Disaster Recovery Centers Open in Caguas and Mayagüez

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San Juan, Puerto Rico – Two Disaster Recovery Centers (DRCs) are now open in Caguas and Mayagüez. The joint DRCs, a partnership between the Municipality, the Government of Puerto Rico and FEMA, will help Hurricane Fiona survivors apply for FEMA assistance, upload documents needed for their application and answer questions in person.

Representatives from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) are on hand at the DRC to provide program information and explain how to apply for SBA's low-interest disaster loans for homeowners, businesses, private nonprofits, and renters, and provide printed information about repairs and rebuilding to make homes more disaster resistant.

Services are provided in English and Spanish. If you need a reasonable accommodation or a sign language interpreter to communicate with FEMA, please call 1-833-285-7448, press 2 for Spanish.

The center in Caguas is located at:

Centro de Bellas Artes de Caguas

Calle Padial

Esquina Calle Ruiz Belvis

Caguas, PR 00725

Open 7 days a week 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The center in Mayagüez is located at:

Cancha de Baloncesto Bo. Colombia

Calle Desengaño

Barrio Colombia

Mayagüez, PR 00680

Open 7 days a week 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

A FEMA Hazard Mitigation Community Education Outreach Specialist will be on site to assist survivors in preparing for future incidents.



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To find a DRC nearest you, click on the FEMA DRC link: [Fema.gov/drc](https://fema.gov/drc).

You may also register for assistance with FEMA through your smart phone, home computer or by phone. The fastest ways to apply for assistance are:

- Online at DisasterAssistance.gov
- By phone at **1-800-621-3362**. Press 1 for English, 2 for Spanish and 3 for all other languages. People who use a relay service such as video relay service (VRS), captioned telephone service or others, provide FEMA the number for that service. Phone lines operate from **7 a.m. to 11 p.m.** seven days a week.
- Download FEMA's [mobile app](#). Select Disaster Resources and click on Apply for Assistance Online.

