



UNITED WAY
Northern California

UWNC Disaster Services

WHAT WE DO

PRE-DISASTER (BLUE SKIES)

- Preparation & Prevention Programs - Listos
- Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD)

RESPONSE PHASE

- Evacuation Relief
- Emergency Financial Assistance (EFA) Program
- Emergency Response Grant Program

RELIEF PHASE

- Immediate Relief
- Emergency Financial Assistance (EFA) Program
- RV Assistance Program

RECOVERY PHASE

- Stable Household Opportunity Program - Disaster Recovery
- Unmet Needs Roundtable

PRE-DISASTER (BLUE SKIES)



Preparation & Prevention Programs

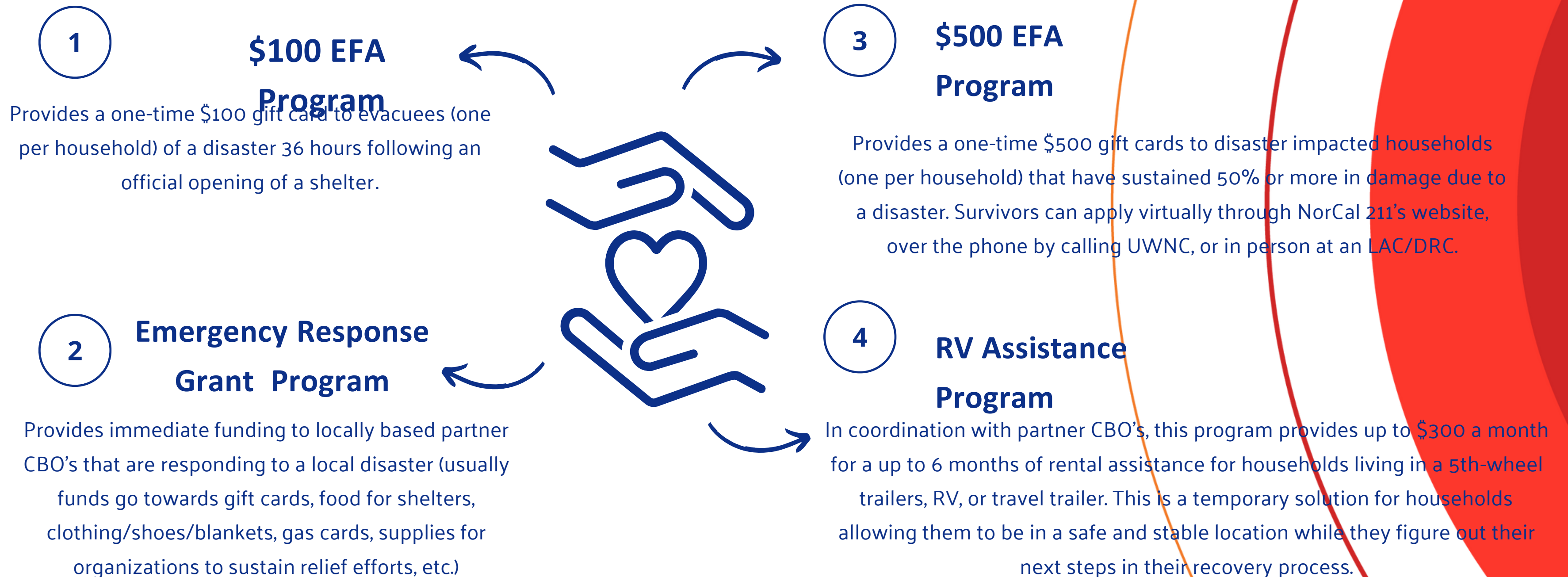
In collaboration with CalOES, “Listos 3.0” supports 15 Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOADs), expanding over 24 counties. Through this grant, we are able to help vulnerable households prepare for disasters using these steps: **1. Get alerts 2. Make a plan 3. Pack a Go Bag 4. Make a stay box 5. Help others**

Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD)

A network of nonprofits, faith-based, governmental, and community organizations who come together to coordinate, cooperate, communicate, and collaborate with each other before, during and after disasters. UWNC participates in Shasta/Tehama VOAD, Trinity VOAD, Siskiyou/Modoc VOAD, Butte/Glenn VOAD, Plumas VOAD and California VOAD.



Response & Relief Phases



Recovery Phase

STABLE HOUSEHOLD OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM DISASTER RECOVERY

Typically, in coordination with partner CBO's that do Disaster Case Management, SHOP-DR provides small grants up to \$5,000 to vendors on behalf of disaster impacted households. SHOP-DR can assist a household with moving expenses, furniture costs, down payments or deposits on housing; all in effort to get the household into a stable and sustainable living situation.

UNMET NEEDS ROUNDTABLE

In collaboration with Long Term Recovery Groups, VOADs, and other funding CBO's, we provide grants to uninsured/under-insured households that were impacted by a disaster. Survivors must be signed up with Disaster Case Management to begin the process.

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211 All Hazards Watch

Plumas, Shasta, Siskiyou & Tehama Counties

211 NorCal is a free, confidential telephone helpline and website that connects people with the local resources they need. People of all ages can quickly get information and referrals to health and human services in over 250 languages. We're here 24 hours a day, seven days a week, for both everyday needs and times of crisis.

211 All Hazard Watch is 211 NorCal's specialized disaster preparedness and response program that enhances our emergency support capabilities across Plumas, Shasta, Siskiyou and Tehama counties. During disasters and emergencies—including wildfires, floods, earthquakes, severe weather, and other hazards—All Hazard Watch provides critical real-time information and resource coordination. United Way of Northern California is a trusted leader in disaster response, relief, and recovery, working with partner organizations across multiple sectors to meet the needs of communities impacted by disasters.

The program connects residents with emergency shelters, evacuation information, disaster relief services, and recovery resources, while maintaining our 24/7 multilingual support. All Hazard Watch serves as a vital communication hub, helping coordinate between emergency services, community organizations, and residents to ensure timely access to life-saving information and assistance when disasters strike our rural Northern California communities.

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ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS

SHOP – COMMUNITY RESILIENCE

Similar to SHOP-DR, SHOP-CR was a pilot program with the intent to address climate impact solutions for households who are financially affected by climate-based disasters and events. Approved households were eligible for a \$500 gift card to assist in purchasing items to stabilize their household.

WINTER STORMS

In collaboration with partnering agencies, UWNC was able to provide \$5,000 in gift cards to households impacted by the 2022 winter storms to buy propane for their generators. UWNC was able to provide \$5,000 grant to those impacted by the 2023 winter storms in Butte County.

MCKINNEY PROPANE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

In collaboration with partnering agencies, UWNC was able to provide funding to help jumpstart a propane assistance program for McKinney Fire & Happy Camp Complex survivors. Through this program, households who were impacted by the 2022 McKinney Fire and 2023 Happy Camp Complex fires are eligible for monthly assistance, up to \$100 per month, towards their propane bills/fills.

DISASTER SERVICES DATA



Since 2018, UWNC has responded to **26 disasters** within our 9-county region. UWNC was also requested by Maui United Way to assist in the response to the 2023 Maui wildfires and by CA VOAD to assist in the response to the 2025 Los Angeles wildfires. These agencies compensated UWNC for our disaster response services.



Since 2018, UWNC has assisted **4,429 households** through our disaster relief and recovery programs.



Since 2018, UWNC has disbursed over **\$9.5 million** to those impacted by disasters.



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