



Hurricane Aftermath Resources

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These links are drawn from a larger list of web-based mental health resources selected by SPRC staff and created in response to the Gulf hurricanes of 2005.

http://www.sprc.org/hurricane_resources/index.asp

GENERAL

Disasters and emergencies: Hurricanes

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

<http://www.hhs.gov/emergency/hurricane.html>

Disaster relief technical assistance

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

<http://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/training/relief.aspx>

Hurricane Katrina information

Federal Emergency Management Administration

http://www.fema.gov/press/2005/resources_katrina.shtm

MENTAL HEALTH NEEDS

After the emergency is over: Post-traumatic stress disorder in children and youth

Emergency Medical Services for Children

<http://www.ems-c.org/downloads/pdf/ptstress.pdf>

Coping with Hurricane Katrina

National Mental Health Association

<http://www.nmha.org/katrina/index.cfm>

Disaster response: Resources for Gulf Coast families and clinicians

American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

<http://www.aacap.org/publications/DisasterResponse/index.htm>

Hurricane mental health awareness information

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

http://www.samhsa.gov/Matrix/professional_disaster.aspx

In the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina: Addressing emergent psychological needs

American Academy of Experts in Traumatic Stress

<http://www.aaets.org/column6.htm>

Katrina response: Coping with trauma

Addiction Technology Transfer Center

<http://www.nattc.org/katrina.htm>

Managing traumatic stress: After the hurricanes

American Psychological Association

<http://www.apahelpcenter.org/articles/article.php?id=107>

Mental health intervention for disasters

National Center for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder

http://www.ncptsd.va.gov/facts/disasters/fs_treatment_disaster.html

SPRC Customized Information Series

Suicide Prevention Resource Center

Suicide prevention information geared for specific groups: AOD counselors, clergy, college students, co-workers, first responders, law enforcement personnel, media, nurses, primary care physicians, school health providers, social workers/counselors, survivors, teachers, and teens.

http://www.sprc.org/featured_resources/customized/index.asp

VOLUNTEERING AND CONTRIBUTING

General Public

Relief efforts in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina

The Foundation Center

<http://www.fdncenter.org/>

Health Professionals

Disaster response network: Information on volunteering

American Psychological Association Practice Organization

http://www.apapractice.org/apo/public/apa_hurricane_relief/american_red_cross.html#

RESOURCES FOR SCHOOLS**CampusRelief.Org**

<http://www.campusrelief.org>

American Council on Education and the National Association of College and University Business Officers

Crisis resources

National Association of School Psychologists

<http://www.nasponline.org/NEAT/crisismain.html>

Hurricane help for schools

U.S. Department of Education

<http://www.ed.gov/news/hurricane/factsheet.html>

Hurricane Katrina school information

Louisiana Department of Education

<http://www.doe.state.la.us/lde/index.html>