



Hurricane Katrina Relief Listserv

Working in Partnership Regionally to Best Serve Hurricane Katrina Evacuees

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The Hurricane Katrina Listserv is a vehicle by which people and organizations looking to provide evacuee relief can post and receive breaking news and information, as well as ask questions that will be made available to a number of public, private and non-profit organizations working to provide aid to evacuees.

If you're sending out press releases, have breaking news or other information, or would like to post a question, please forward to them to crisis.response@uwsem.org.

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Coordinated Assistance Network implemented in support of Hurricane Katrina

The Coordinated Assistance Network (CAN) is a multi-organizational partnership among some of the nation's leading non-profit disaster relief organizations. Working in tandem with state and local relief agencies, CAN is forging a new model of disaster recovery and

preparedness for the United States.

In response to Hurricane Katrina and at the request of Emergency Support Function 6 (ESF-6) under the National Response Plan, CAN has been activated in support the ESF-6 Mass Care Coordination Group.

[Click here to learn more about CAN.](#)



LSSM offers housing and other services to Katrina victims

Lutheran Social Service of Michigan (LSSM) has a number of HUD units available for immediate occupancy for evacuees throughout the state and tri-county area, in addition to Senior Independent Living units. LSSM can also provide assessments, service coordination and referral in various parts of the state, as well as offering counseling, therapy and foster care in select areas.

[Click here to find out more information.](#)



Local 2-1-1 director coordinates efforts in Louisiana

El Cabrel Lee, director of United Way's Tel-Help/2-1-1 Call Center in metro Detroit and a veteran of Florida's hurricane relief efforts, is in Baton Rouge to help coordinate and enhance local 2- 1-1 call centers.

His observations about Hurricane Katrina and the response to this unprecedented disaster will be captured in a daily blog located at www.uwsem.org/katrina/blog.html.

Quick Links

- [UW Metro Detroit Katrina Relief Website](#)
- [United Way TelHelp/2-1-1 Resource Listing - Daily Update](#)

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