CDP MAXIMIZE YOUR DISASTER GIVING

The Center for Disaster Philanthropy (CDP) is the only full-time resource dedicated to helping donors make more strategic disaster-related giving decisions.

With the increasing frequency and intensity of disasters comes the critical need for knowing when and how to respond effectively. CDP's innovative strategies advance donors' values, increase the impact of their contributions, meet the needs of vulnerable populations and ultimately strengthen communities.



CDP's mission is to transform disaster giving by providing timely and thoughtful strategies to increase donors' impact during domestic and global disasters.









With an emphasis on medium- to long-term recovery, CDP's work:

- Increases the effectiveness of contributions given to disasters.
- Brings greater attention to the life cycle of disasters, from preparedness and planning, to rebuilding and recovery efforts.
- Provides timely and relevant advice from experts with deep knowledge of disaster philanthropy.
- Conducts due diligence so donors can give with confidence.
- Creates plans for informed giving for individuals, corporations and foundations.
- Supports targeted, localized and holistic grantmaking.

CDP services, signature projects and resources connect leading disaster experts and disaster philanthropists for more effective disaster-giving solutions:



Consulting Services

For donors who prefer custom approaches, we work one-on-one to align disaster giving with larger philanthropic goals. Clients include a broad range of private and community foundations, consortiums of donors, corporations, and donor-advised funds. Our client-centered services include grants management, strategic planning, research and analysis, technical assistance, webinars, and events. *Contact: regine.webster@disasterphilanthropy.org*

CDP Disaster Recovery Funds

Our collaborative funds maximize your donations to disaster-affected areas in the U.S. and abroad by supporting strategic, long-term recovery to build stronger, more resilient communities. Emphasis is placed on investing well in order to address the greatest needs and the gaps in funding that may emerge. CDP has also established innovative readiness grantmaking programs like the 10-state Midwest Early Recovery Fund and the Louisiana Disaster Recovery Alliance to build local capacity and resilience. *Contact: laura.starr@disasterphilanthropy.org*





Disaster Philanthropy Playbook

This interactive, online Playbook platform is a comprehensive resource of best practices and innovative approaches to guide the philanthropic community in planning for and responding to disasters. Users can easily create a customized 'My Playbook' where they can save and share relevant strategies, toolkits and resources. *disasterplaybook.org*

Measuring the State of Disaster Philanthropy

Through a partnership with Candid (formerly Foundation Center), CDP produces an annual report, online dashboard and interactive map to help donors make informed giving decisions by tracking where, when and how dollars are allocated to disasters globally. *disasterphilanthropy.foundationcenter.org*





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