

December 2021 tornadoes: How to support long-term recovery

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Statistics

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45 out-of-season tornadoes – Dec. 10 to 11, 2021

National Weather Service (NWS) confirmed 46 tornadoes so far.

- 1 x EF-U (unknown)
- 10 x EF-0
- 16 x EF-1
- 11 x EF-2
- 7 x EF-3
- 1 x EF-4 (plus)
- 0 x EF-5

9 states: Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio and Tennessee,



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Impact - Fatalities

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Deaths

- 88 people have died so far
- 74 in Kentucky and 14 people outside
- Deaths occurred in 5 states
- 100 people still missing

Missing

- 48,000 customers without power across the states impacted by the tornadoes last week
- Half a million from last night's wind events

Damage

- Over 1,000 homes destroyed in KY



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Key Takeaways

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- Think strategically.
- Don't send stuff.
- Remember that rural communities are different.
- Connect with local organizations.



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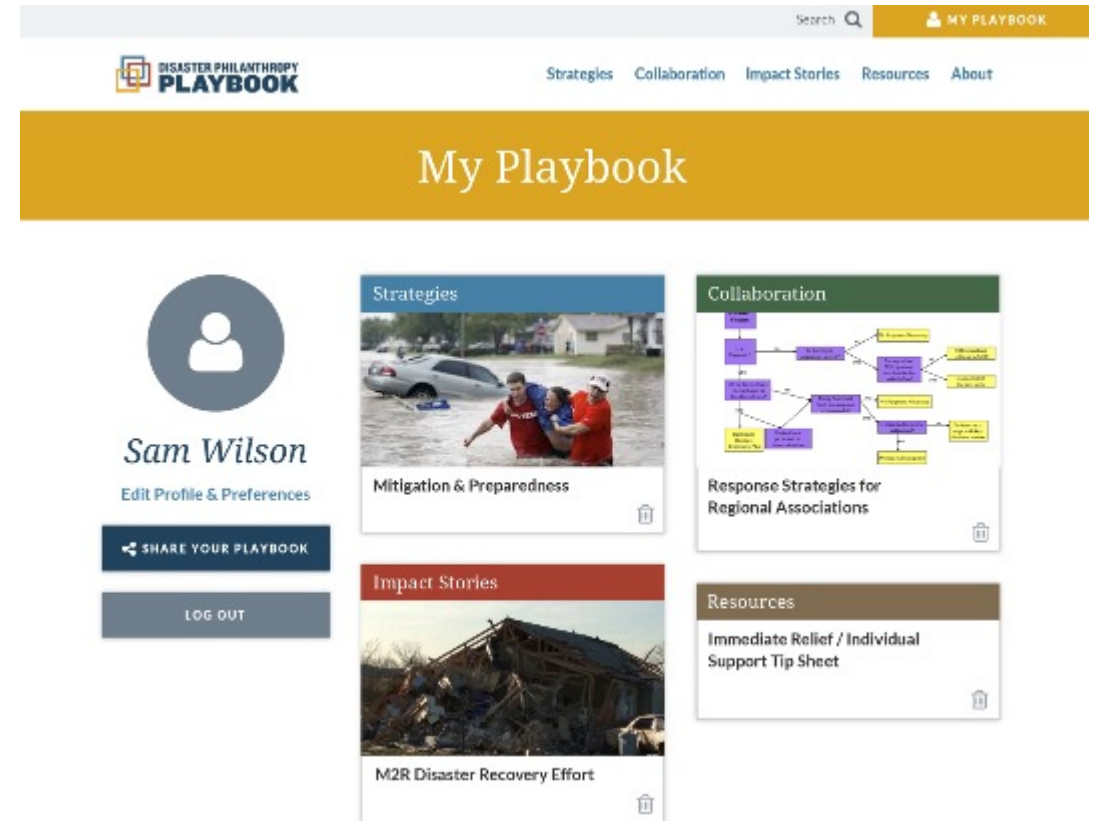
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