

A Lifeline in Times of Crisis

When disaster strikes—a fire, flood, or other unforeseen emergency—it can upend lives in an instant. For families in Suburban Cook County, these events often leave them without basic necessities like shelter, clothing, or even food. The financial and emotional toll of recovering from such disasters can feel insurmountable, especially for households already facing economic challenges.

The CEDA Emergency Services Program provides critical post-disaster recovery relief, helping families regain stability after devastating events. From securing temporary shelter to replacing essential household items, we're here to bridge the gap between crisis and recovery. Our goal is to empower families to rebuild their lives with dignity, offering tailored assistance to meet their immediate needs.

Program Benefits

- **Temporary Shelter:** Safe accommodations for families displaced by disaster.
- **Essential Replacements:** Assistance with replacing furniture, appliances, clothing, and other critical items lost in a disaster.
- **Food Support:** Distribution of gift cards for groceries to ensure no family goes hungry during recovery.
- Post-Disaster Recovery Relief:
 Comprehensive support tailored to the unique challenges of fire, flood, or similar events.

Our program helps families recover from disasters by providing assistance to replace essential items lost due to fire, flood, or other emergencies. From temporary shelter to food support or replacing damaged furniture, we help households regain stability and move forward.

Contact Us Today

Call our Information & Referral Helpline at **(312) 795-8948** for more information or to pre-apply.



This program proudly serves residents of suburban Cook County.

Get the support you need to rebuild and recover—contact us today!

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be a resident of suburban Cook County.
- Household income must be at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL).
- Provide proof of identity, such as a valid government-issued photo ID.

Household Size	Max. 30-day Income	Max Annual Income
1	\$2,608	\$31,300
2	\$3,525	\$42,300
3	\$4,442	\$53,300
4	\$5,358	\$64,300
5	\$6,275	\$75,300
6	\$7,192	\$86,300
7	\$8,108	\$97,300
8	\$9,025	\$108,300





How It Works

You will meet with a Case Manager to assess your post-emergency needs and connect you with additional support services. This program focuses on recovery assistance and is not a rapid response service.

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Service Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Friday: 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM



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