



**HURRICANE SANDY**  
**DISASTER ASSISTANCE**  
**RESOURCES & INFORMATION**  
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**FEDERAL DISASTER ASSISTANCE**

Anyone affected by Hurricane Sandy -- homeowners, renters, and businesses -- can apply for federal disaster assistance.

- Register at [DisasterAssistance.gov](http://DisasterAssistance.gov), by calling the Federal Emergency Management agency at 1-800-621-3362, or visiting a Recovery Centers.
- Representatives from FEMA are available at the following locations on Staten Island:
  - **1976 Hylan Boulevard (8 AM – 8 PM daily)**
  - **Miller Field: Corner of Mill Road and New Dorp Lane (9 AM – 5 PM daily)**

**SENATOR LANZA'S RELIEF HEADQUARTERS**

Donation & Supply Center (food, clothing, water, cleaning supplies etc. available for pickup/delivery)  
**Located at 4212 Hylan Blvd. - Open Daily 10 AM – 5 PM**

- Hot meals offered 11/17-11/ 21 beginning at 12 noon
- CHASI Mobile Health Unit offering free flu shots, tetanus vaccines, blood pressure readings and general medical and social needs assessments on Tuesday, Nov. 20th from 9 AM until dark.

**NYC RESTORE**

NYC Restore helps New Yorkers in the areas most affected by Hurricane Sandy get access to important information and services to help them recover. NYC Restoration Centers provide the following types of assistance:

- NYC Rapid Repairs\*
- Food and Nutrition Assistance
- Temporary Housing Information
- Health and Medical Benefits
- Business Restoration
- Counseling Services
- Financial Assistance
- Personal Records and Information

The Staten Island NYC Restoration Center is open from 8 AM – 8 PM daily at the following location:  
**1976 Hylan Boulevard**  
**Staten Island, 10306**

**NYC RAPID REPAIRS:**

NYC Rapid Repairs is a new program that sends teams of contractors and City inspectors to neighborhoods impacted by Hurricane Sandy to quickly and efficiently make necessary repairs to damaged homes.

**Homeowners are able to sign up for NYC Rapid Repairs by going to NYC.gov, calling 311, or visiting a Restoration Center located at 1976 Hylan Blvd., Staten Island, 10306.**

You will need a FEMA ID number, which you can get by registering at DisasterAssistance.gov, calling 1-800-621-3362, or visiting a Restoration Center.

### **MOBILE MEDICAL VANS**

Mobile medical vans staffed with primary care providers are providing medical care and distributing commonly prescribed drugs at the following location on Staten Island:

- Miller Field New Dorp Lane 9am – 5pm
- Midland Beach Midland Avenue & Kiswick Street 10am – 5pm

### **PREPARED/HOT FOOD SITES ON STATEN ISLAND**

Hot Food Distribution & Free Food Trucks located at:

**Miller Field: Corner of Mill Road and New Dorp Lane** (Hours of food distribution is 12 - 4 PM at food truck locations and 11 AM - dark at distribution centers)

### **EVACUCATION SHELTERS**

The public shelters are available to anyone who requires overnight shelter including food, water, and shower facilities. The shelter system will remain open until evacuees can return to their homes or find short-term housing.

**Staten Island Location: Susan Wagner HS 1200 Manor Rd, Staten Island, NY 10314 (Intakes and Referrals Only)**

### **AIR BNB TEMPORARY HOUSING**

Air BNB, an on-line service that connects people seeking temporary housing with those who have unused space, has launched a new platform to link New Yorkers displaced by Hurricane Sandy to New Yorkers who want to offer places to stay.

Air BNB is providing the service at no fee, and information is available at: [airbnb.com/sandy](http://airbnb.com/sandy).

### **HURRICANE SANDY HOTLINE CONTACTS AND NUMBERS**

- New York State Hurricane Sandy Helpline: 1-888-769-7243 / 1-518-485-1159
- For Aging/Elderly: 1-800-342-9871
- For Businesses seeking storm help: 1-888-769-7243 / [disastercustomerservice@sba.gov](mailto:disastercustomerservice@sba.gov)
- For Chemical/Oil Spills: 1-800-457-7362
- For Disability Assistance: 1-800-342-3009 / Temporary Disability Assistance: 1-800-342-3009
- For Insurance or Banking issues: 1-800-339-1759
- For Mental Health (Stress & Anxiety) Hotline: 1-800-985-5990
- For PETS (Residents unable to evacuate with, assistance, retrieval): (347) 573-1561
- For Sheltering/Meals: Salvation Army: 1-800-SAL-ARMY, The Red Cross: 1-800-RED-CROSS
- For Transportation: (518) 485-8621
- For Utilities: 1-800-342-3377 (7:30am - 7:30pm)
- To report fallen trees and sewer backups, use 311 Online, text 311 at 311-692, or call 311
- Power outages and live wires should be directly reported to Con Ed (1-800-75-CON-ED)