Hurricane Resources for Louisiana

Below are online resources collected by NGCare that may be able to assist you in locating and receiving aid in the wake of the storms in Louisiana. You may wish to contact these providers for additional information.

Open Shelters as of 8/24:

New Wine Christian Fellowship
1929 West Airline Highway
Laplace, LA 70068

Hurricane Preparedness and Recovery
http://www.redcross.org/get-help/prepare-for-emergencies/types-of-emergencies/hurricane
https://www.ready.gov/hurricanes
https://www.nationwide.com/hurricanes.jsp
http://hurricanesafety.org/prepare/hurricane-safety-checklists
https://www.aplaceformom.com/planning-and-advice/articles/hurricane-preparedness
https://www.alz.org/help-support/caregiving/safety/in-a-disaster

National Hurricane Center and Central Pacific Hurricane Center
https://www.nhc.noaa.gov/graphics_at4.shtml
https://www.nhc.noaa.gov/graphics_at3.shtml

Road Closures and Evacuations
For information about road closures, you may dial 511 or obtain information online at http://www.511la.org.

Red Cross Smartphone Apps
These apps offer updates on the current flooding situation and provide information on safety during a disaster.
Louisiana Association of United Ways
http://www.louisiana211.org
2-1-1 is an easy to remember phone number that connects callers to information and services in times of need. It is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, even during disasters. Please call if you are seeking resources such as clothing, food, or programs for your family.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
500 C Street Southwest
Washington, DC 20472
800-621-FEMA
https://www.fema.gov

If a disaster is declared in your area, please call to apply for assistance or visit https://www.disasterassistance.gov.

FEMA Text Message Program
- To locate an open emergency shelter, text SHELTER and a Zip Code to 43362 (4FEMA).
- To locate an open Disaster Recovery Center, text DRC and a Zip Code to 43362 (4FEMA).
Please note that standard message and data rates apply.

Governor’s Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness
http://gohsep.la.gov
https://twitter.com/gohsep
https://www.facebook.com/gohsep

Local Red Cross Locator
https://www.redcross.org/find-your-local-chapter.html

Locating Missing Loved Ones
Individuals are encouraged to use the Red Cross Safe and Well Program. Individuals may use this website to search for loved ones in a disaster
area. Additionally, individuals in areas affected by a disaster may list themselves as safe and well if loved ones are searching for them.  
https://safeandwell.communityos.org/cms/index.php

Local Salvation Army Locator  
http://www.salvationarmyusa.org

SAMHSA Disaster Distress Helpline  
Nationwide hotline: 800-985-5990  
Text "TalkWithUs" to 66746  
https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/disaster-distress-helpline