

HEARTS Georgia

Travel Trailers Program



What is the HEARTS program?

HEARTS Georgia (Housing Emergency Assistance and Recovery Through Sheltering), a Non-congregate and temporary shelter program available to survivors whose residences were majorly damaged, destroyed, or deemed not habitable in one of the 61 counties federally declared for FEMA's Public Assistance and Individual Assistance programs as a result of Hurricane Helene on September 24-October 30, 2024. The program will provide emergency sheltering in hotels or motels to survivors who are unable to locate rental homes or apartments and agree to the terms and conditions of the program.

Who is eligible?

The Program is for survivors from the counties impacted by Hurricane Helene and declared for both FEMA Individual and Public Assistance, as well as FEMA Direct Housing.

To be eligible for the State of Georgia Trailer Sheltering Program, survivors must:

- Be registered with FEMA
- Be seeking shelter in their eligible county
- Have a primary residence that is majorly damaged, destroyed, or not habitable
- Agree to the program terms

If eligible, our shelter coordinators will be in touch to let you know if your household qualifies for temporary housing in a travel trailer or hotel. Please be aware that travel trailers are extremely limited, therefore most households will be provided with hotel or motel-based temporary sheltering.

This is a temporary program that may last up to 6 months with a focus on transitioning survivors into sustainable housing.

How do I apply?

Survivors must first apply to FEMA for Individual Assistance to be considered for the State of Georgia Hurricane Helene temporary sheltering program.

For more information, visit the [HEARTS Georgia](#) webpage or call the HEARTS Georgia Program Contact Center at (833) 575-4411

Registration

To apply in English, visit [here](#).

To apply in Spanish, visit [here](#).

Is my county participating in this part of the HEARTS program?

Residents of the following counties may be eligible for temporary housing in a travel trailer:

- Appling
- Berrien
- Burke
- Clinch
- Coffee
- Emmanuel
- Jeff Davis
- Jefferson
- Lanier
- Lowndes
- McDuffie
- Toombs

