

Home Inspections After Hurricane Zeta

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If you reported that you cannot or may not be able to safely live in your home, it may be necessary for FEMA to perform an inspection of the damaged dwelling.

Home Inspections and COVID-19

Due to the COVID-19 nationwide emergency and the need to protect the safety and health of all Americans, many normal FEMA field operations are suspended so inspections will be conducted remotely.

FEMA inspectors will contact applicants by phone to ask questions about the type and extent of damage sustained.

Survivors with minimal damage who can live in their homes will not automatically be scheduled for a home inspection when applying to FEMA. They may request an inspection if they find significant disaster-caused damage later.

Certain other help, like Other Needs Assistance, do not require an inspection. These include support for childcare, transportation, medical and dental fees, funeral expenses, and moving and storage costs.

The deadline to register for federal disaster assistance for damage sustained during Hurricane Zeta is March 15.

If you have any questions, call the FEMA Helpline at 800-621-3362. For TTY call 800-462-7585. Those who use a relay service such as a videophone, InnoCaption or CapTel should alert FEMA as to the specific number assigned to that service.

For the latest information on Hurricane Zeta, visit [Louisiana Hurricane Zeta \(DR-4577-LA\) | FEMA.gov](#). Follow the FEMA Region 6 Twitter account at [twitter.com/FEMARegion6](#).

