Emergency hardship assistance

# What is a disaster?

A disaster might be a:

• Bushfire 

• Flood 

• Severe storm 

• Earthquake 

• Cyclone 

# What are the grant payments for?

You can ask for money to pay for things you need now. For example:



• Food

• Clothes

• Medicine

• Somewhere   
to live

# How much are the grant payments?

The grant payments are:



• $180 for 1 person

• Or up to $900 for a family of 5 or more .



# Can I get a grant payment?

To get a grant payment you must:

• live in the disaster area



• Need help **now**

We do **not** check the money you get from your job before we decide about the grant payment.

# How can I apply for the grant?



• Call the Community   
Recovery Hotline on   
**1800 173 349**



• Visit a Community   
Recovery Hub

• Fill in the application form on our website   
**www.communityrecovery.qld.gov.au**



# How will I get my money?

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If we say yes to your grant payment you will get:

• Money in your bank



• Or a recovery debit card can be provided at   
a Community Recovery hub

