

Natural Disaster Relief for Caregivers

Dear Caregivers,

We unfortunately find ourselves again battling devastating wildfires in California. We are grateful to our physicians, providers and caregivers who care for patients amidst the anxiety that some may be dealing with in our personal lives. To ease your way, our Human Resource team would like you to be aware of the following resources which are intended to prioritize the safety and well-being of our caregivers.

Please see support resources below to support you:

DISASTER RELIEF AND SUPPORT

We are here to help navigate caregivers through the Providence disaster relief resources available to you. If you have been impacted by a natural disaster, please visit our [HR Disaster Relief page](#) and fill out the questions to the best of your ability. An HR representative will be in touch to discuss next steps.

WELLNESS RESOURCES

Mission Integration and **Spiritual Care** services are available to provide emotional and spiritual support to caregivers and/or their loved ones: [Spiritual Health Support](#) (or visit the [Caregiver Service Portal](#) and search “Spiritual Health Support”).

HOTEL RESOURCES

We have hotel partners in our service areas. Caregivers may be able access Providence-negotiated rates for short- or long-term housing. To book a hotel, or for more information, contact Travel Services at 425-687-3966 or phstravel@providence.org.

TEMPORARY LIVING RESOURCES

Residents affected by the fires may seek refuge at emergency shelters (human and animal). More information can be found [here](#).

Additionally, Airbnb is offering temporary housing to those affected by the fires. More information can be found [here](#).

CHILD AND ELDER CARE

If you have child and elder care needs, Bright Horizons backup care program is available to benefits-eligible caregivers, who are allotted up to 10 uses annually for situations like this. Bright Horizons is aware of the impacts the fires are having on Southern California and is prepared to help us ease your way wherever possible. You can learn more through this link: [Bright Horizons](#).

Please know that you are not alone and your efforts to uphold the spirit of our Mission and Values during these difficult times is very much appreciated. If there is more that we can do to support you, please speak with your Core Leader, HR Business Partner or fill out our contact form on our [HR Disaster Relief page](#).