


# Emergency Disaster Programs Administered by the Farm Service Agency

<b>TYPE OF LOSS SUFFERED</b> 	<b>CROP LOSS</b>	<b>LIVESTOCK LOSS</b>	<b>DAMAGED FARM PROPERTY</b>
<b>What FSA disaster programs are available?</b>	<p>For production losses, both quantity and quality, for most agricultural crops including grains, oilseeds, forage, grazing, cotton, nursery, aquaculture, floriculture, honey, maple sap, seed crops, Christmas trees and more.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>NAP - Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program</b> to cover production losses for crops when federal crop insurance is not available.</li> <li><b>SURE - Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payments Program</b> for crop losses in counties declared a disaster by the Secretary of Agriculture.</li> <li><b>TAP - Tree Assistance Program</b> for tree losses.</li> </ol>	<p>For death and feed losses for livestock, farm raised fish, honeybee colonies and hives.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>ELAP - Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and Farm-Raised Fish Program</b> for livestock death not covered by LIP, for grazing losses not covered by LFP; for farm-raised fish and honeybee death and feed losses.</li> <li><b>LFP - Livestock Forage Disaster Program</b> for grazing losses.</li> <li><b>LIP - Livestock Indemnity Program</b> for livestock deaths.</li> <li><b>CRP - Emergency Haying and Grazing of Conservation Reserve Program</b> acreage may be authorized to provide relief to livestock producers in areas affected by a severe drought or similar natural disaster.</li> </ol>	<p>For physical losses to crops, livestock, real estate, real estate improvements, machinery and equipment. Farmland damage including debris removal, repairing of fence and conservation structures, and providing water to livestock.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>ECP - Emergency Conservation Program</b> to rehabilitate farmland damaged by natural disasters and for carrying out emergency water conservation measures.</li> </ol>
<b>Must coverage be obtained before the disaster strikes?</b>	<p>You must purchase federal crop insurance or NAP coverage before the disaster strikes to be eligible for SURE, TAP, ELAP, and LFP. Exceptions to this requirement are made for limited resource, socially disadvantaged and beginning farmers or ranchers. You do not need to purchase federal crop insurance or NAP coverage prior to applying for ECP, EM, DSA, or emergency haying and grazing.</p>		
<b>How do I know if I am eligible for assistance?</b>	<p><b>Locate your local FSA Service Center at:</b> <a href="http://offices.USDA.gov">http://offices.USDA.gov</a>  <b>Visit FSA's disaster web page at:</b> <a href="http://disaster.fsa.usda.gov">http://disaster.fsa.usda.gov</a></p>		

For losses due to natural disasters such as drought, floods, hurricanes, blizzards, wild fires, disease.

