

Kentucky Emergency Management

This state agency works with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to coordinate response to declared disasters. President Trump has directed FEMA to assist state, local, tribal, territorial governments and other eligible entities with the health and safety actions they take on behalf of the American public.

- Emergency Protective Measures (Category B) – FEMA will reimburse local governments up to 75% of the cost for actions taken before, during, and after the COVID-19 pandemic to save lives, and to protect public health and safety. Examples of measures that may be eligible for reimbursement include but are not limited to:
 - Warning of risks and hazards;
 - Transportation, care, shelter, and essential needs for humans affected by the outbreak and spread of an the COVID-19 pandemic;
 - Protection, security for an eligible facility and areas;
 - Provision of food, water, ice, and other essential items at central distribution points;
 - Temporary generators for facilities that provide health and safety services (this may include mobile health services);
 - Emergency operations centers to coordinate and direct the response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and
 - Removal of health and safety hazards.
- Contact [Kentucky Emergency Management \(KYEM\)](#) to determine specific eligibility for emergency protective measures and how to seek federal funding.
- Follow KYEM Coronavirus (COVID-19) Data Mapping - <https://kyem.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=4a185cde02f54008b18edc474a768cfe>