Recovery Resources

**U.S. Department of Education (ED)**
ED provides a variety of recovery-focused resources including materials and Web Pages.

- Department of Education Recommendations to Ensure the Continuity of Learning for Schools (K-12) During Extended Student Absence or School Dismissal
- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Disclosure of Student Information Related to Emergencies and Disasters Fact Sheet
- Hurricane Help Web Page
- Non-Regulatory Guidance on Flexibility and Waivers for Grantees and Program Participants Impacted by Federally Declared Disasters
- Hurricane Help Web Page
- Non-Regulatory Guidance on Flexibility and Waivers for Grantees and Program Participants Impacted by Federally Declared Disasters Webinar (October 5th, 2017)
- Planning for Potential School Closures
- The McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act Web Page
- Tips for Helping Students Recovering from Traumatic Events Web Page
- U.S. Department of Education Website

**Office of Safe & Healthy Students & Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools (REMS) Technical Assistance (TA) Center**
In addition, OSHS and the REMS TA Center provide additional resources. These include opportunities to collaborate with colleagues and other emergency managers across the country in the Community of Practice; training opportunities via online forums, specialized training packages (which include PowerPoints, handouts, and tabletop exercises), on-site Trainings by Request, and archived one-hour Webinars; publications; and Web pages on specific topics.

Community of Practice (CoP) Forums:
- Emergency Management Assistance Teams for Recovery
- Mitigation and Resiliency Web Chat
- Recovery Web Chat
- #REMSOnTheRoad | Resilience Strategies
- Understanding Educator Resilience Web Chat

Online Courses:
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans (EOPs) K–12 101
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans (EOPS) IHE 101
- School EOPs In-Depth: Developing a COOP Annex
- School EOPs In-Depth: Developing a Bereavement and Loss Annex

Specialized Training Packages:
- Continuity of Operations Planning (COOP) Specialized Training Package
Developing a Recovery Annex
Overview of the Six-Step Planning Process
Understanding Educator Resilience & Developing a Self-Care Plan

Trainings by Request:
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans (EOPs) IHE 101 Train-the-Educator
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans (EOPs) IHE 101 Train-the-Trainer
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans K–12 101 Train-the-Educator
- Developing Emergency Operations Plans K–12 101 Train-the-Trainer
- Resilience Strategies for Educators: Techniques for Self-Care and Peer Support Train-the-Educator
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Webinars:
- How Schools and Higher Ed Institutions Can Access FEMA’s Public Assistance Program (September 2017)
- Planning to Recover From Emergencies at Districts and Schools (August 2017)
- Using the Five Preparedness Missions to Help Ready Your District and School for Emergencies (February 2017)
- Incorporating Sextortion Prevention, Response, and Recovery into School EOP Planning (September 2016)
- Implementing Psychological First Aid in School and Postsecondary Settings (August 2013)

Publications:
- A Coordinated Response to Multiple Deaths in a School Community Helps the Healing Begin
- Bus Crash at Lakeview Public Schools
- Recovering From Natural Disasters: Preparation Is Key
- Responding to and Recovering From an Active Shooter Incident that Turns Into a Hostage Situation
- Supporting Continuity of Teaching and Learning During an Emergency

Web Pages:
- Continuity of Operations (COOP) Annex
- Emergency Management Virtual Toolkit
- Public Health, Medical, and Mental Health Annex
- Psychological First Aid for Schools
- Recovery Annex
- Supporting Efforts to Create a Public Health, Medical, and Mental Health Annex as Part of Your Emergency Operations Plan