

1 What is disaster unemployment assistance?

You may be able to get disaster unemployment assistance if you cannot work because of a disaster. These payments will replace part of your lost income. You may be able to get these payments if you were working or scheduled to begin work.

2 Can I get help if I am self-employed?

Yes. If you cannot work because of the disaster, you may be able to get help even if you do not have an employer. You may be able to get these payments if you were self-employed or scheduled to begin self-employment.

3 How long can I get assistance?

You may get assistance only during the disaster period, as determined by the state. See <http://www.twc.state.tx.us/jobseekers/disaster-unemployment-assistance> for more information.

4 Is there a deadline to apply?

Yes. The deadline to apply is **July 14, 2016** for Austin, Brazoria, Brazos, Fort Bend, Grimes, Hidalgo, Hood, Montgomery, San Jacinto, Travis, Waller and Washington Counties.

5 Do I have to live in the disaster area to get assistance?

Yes, usually. You must live in, or work in, one of these above listed counties and now be unable to work, to get disaster assistance:

Turn page over for more information.

1-800-733-8394 | www.lonestarlegal.org



6 How do I ask for help?

Call 1-800-939-6631.

You may also ask for help online at www.texasworkforce.org at this site:
<https://apps.twc.state.tx.us/UBS/changeLocale.do?language=en&country=US&page=/security/logon.do>

7 What information do I need when I call or apply online?

You must be ready to give this information:

- Your social security number
- Your most recent income tax form or check stub
- Documents showing that you were working at the time of the disaster

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