

Eastern Queensland Bushfires: 8 – 12 November 2019

Australian Government Disaster Recovery Payment

The Australian Government Disaster Recovery Payment (AGDRP) provides one-off financial assistance to eligible Australians adversely affected by the bushfires.

The rate of AGDRP is \$1000 per eligible adult and \$400 per eligible child. Claims for this payment can be lodged with the [Department of Human Services](#) for a period up to six months.

AGDRP is available for people who have been seriously injured, have lost their homes or whose homes have been directly damaged, or are the immediate family members of a person who has died, as a direct result of the bushfires.

You have until 11 May 2020 to lodge a claim for AGDRP in the local government areas of Livingstone and Noosa.

Claims for AGDRP can be made from Wednesday 13 November 2019. For more information on eligibility, visit the [Department of Human Services](#) website or contact the Australian Government Information Hotline on [180 22 66](tel:1802266) for claims assistance.

Phone lines are open 8:00am to 8:00pm Monday to Friday, and 10:00am to 2:00pm on weekends, local time.