

Disaster Housing Assistance Program-Ike (DHAP-Ike)

Disaster Housing Assistance Program - Ike (DHAP-Ike) is a program that provides monthly rental assistance, case management services, security deposit and utility deposit assistance for families displaced from their homes by Hurricanes Ike or Gustav. DHAP-Ike has been modeled after the Disaster Housing Assistance Program (DHAP) for families displaced by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. DHAP-Ike is an inter-agency agreement (IAA) between FEMA and HUD in which FEMA funds and HUD administers the program through its network of local Public Housing Authorities (PHAs). During the time that families are assisted by DHAP-Ike, each FEMA designated family Head of Household is required to participate in case management services. The objectives of these services are greater self-sufficiency and permanent housing for participating families. PHAs may choose to provide case management services in-house, through a contract or through a partnership with another local service provider.

