



WILDFIRE RECOVERY FUND: **COMMUNITY HEALING & RESTORATION** GRANTEE LIST





The Community Healing and Restoration initiative is funded through CCF's [Wildfire Recovery Fund](#), in partnership with a coalition of foundations and donors who pooled and aligned their resources to support the well-being of wildfire survivors.

The following organizations received grants as part of CCF's commitment to helping neighbors build stronger bonds and nurture social networks, a vital strategy for community healing. Organizations will provide peer-based, culturally affirming services that focus on strengthening community connections, promoting collective well-being, and addressing the emotional, spiritual, and social needs of those affected by the 2025 Los Angeles wildfires.

Organization	Project Title	Description
<u>18th Street Arts Center</u>	Rebuilding Together: Art + Healing for Fire-Displaced Angelenos	18th Street Arts Center will activate its artist community center to support healing and rebuilding for Palisadians and host gatherings to connect fire-impacted communities. The project will culminate in a documentary, public artworks, and a StoryMap of survivor histories, amplifying their voices and promoting new community visions.
<u>Altadena Earthseed Community Land Trust</u>	Planting Earthseeds	Altadena Earthseed Community Land Trust will educate the community about land trusts and engage fire survivors through town halls, film screenings, and cultural events, including educational talks, bioremediation volunteer days, land trust field trips, remembrance walks, communal meals, and storytelling sessions.
<u>Altadena Girls</u>	Healing Through Girlhood: Community Care & Creative Recovery for Fire-Affected Youth	Altadena Girls, founded after the Eaton Canyon Fire, will provide a safe space for girls of color to heal, express themselves, and rebuild a sense of belonging. They will expand their creative wellness hub with year-round programs focused on community healing and youth leadership, offering activities such as art therapy, cultural storytelling, dance, journaling, wellness rituals, and peer mentoring, all co-designed with the girls.
<u>A Resilient Tomorrow, formerly Altadena</u>	Healing Together: Wellness,	ART will support wildfire recovery through <i>Healing Together</i> , a community-led initiative focused on wellness, cultural connection, and advocacy. Key activities include yoga and wellness sessions, a

<u>Recovery Team</u>	Creativity, and Advocacy for Recovery	back-to-school bash, paint-and-sip events, a creative collective, a book club, and "know your rights" advocacy trainings.
<u>Altadena Rotary Charities</u>	Building Community with Pancakes, Music and Dancing	The Altadena Rotary will foster community connections through shared meals, pancake breakfasts, and support for the summer concert series at Loma Alta Park.
<u>Altogether</u>	Building Collective Recovery	Altogether is a group of organizers and Altadena residents helping neighbors recover through a neighborhood captain model, guiding post-wildfire recovery, supporting residents, and advancing collective rebuilding.
<u>Amigos de los Rios</u>	Healing Our Community - Protecting Nature is Protecting Ourselves	Amigos de Los Rios will support Altadena's recovery after the Eaton Fire by preserving remaining legacy trees, providing watering support to families, collecting and honoring family tree stories, and hosting workshops on tree care and environmental stewardship.
<u>Arlington Garden in Pasadena</u>	Offering Space: Arlington Garden As A Healing Hub Across Community	Arlington Garden in Pasadena will provide accessible, community-driven programs, including expanded nature journaling field trips for students and ongoing wellness offerings such as the Post Fire Series, Resonance: A Yoga & Music Series, and Holding Space, while increasing capacity to host free, community-initiated activities.
<u>Armory Center for the Arts</u>	Eaton Fire Creative Recovery	The Armory Center for the Arts will provide free and subsidized art programming and classes for fire-displaced individuals. The Creativity & Community Care Room will serve as a hub for healing and collaboration, providing wellness-focused programs such as youth future envisioning workshops, a residency centered on rest, community sound healing circles, and oral history facilitation, ensuring continued access to art, resilience building, and community connection, particularly for youth.

<u>Big Heart Ranch</u>	Rescued Herd to the Rescue: Community Healing & Equine/Farm-Animal Care for LA Metro Fires Recovery	Big Heart Ranch will offer survivor-led, trauma-informed programs and equine therapy focused on community healing at their Malibu sanctuary.
<u>Boys & Girls Club of Pasadena</u>	Centered and Focused: Mental Health and Wellness Programming for Fire-Affected Teen Members	The Boys & Girls Club of Pasadena will offer wellness programming for youth at the Dena Teen Center, providing a calming space to de-stress, practice mindfulness, and build life skills through creative, hands-on activities guided by teen input, while fostering connections to supportive services.
<u>Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Monica</u>	Building Youth Resiliency and Supporting Long Term Recovery	The Boys & Girls Club of Santa Monica will offer mental health, creative expression, and family-focused programs, including mindfulness and social-emotional learning, and will host community events and workshops using music, digital media, and storytelling to foster connection, resilience, and ongoing support for youth and families.
<u>Boys & Girls Club of Malibu</u>	Community Preparedness as a Catalyst for Healing (CPCH)	The Boys and Girls Club of Malibu's will bring together the Community Brigade's expertise to help folks heal by empowering them with the knowledge and tools they need to be prepared and aware in disaster recovery & challenging situations.
<u>Chinatown Service Center</u>	CSC Wildfire Recovery Project	CSC's will support individuals affected by wildfires by providing resources, services, and emotional recovery. Integrating Traditional Chinese Medicine with community-driven strategies, they offer psychological first aid, connect survivors to basic needs, provide mental health therapy, and focus on rebuilding community resilience.
<u>Clergy Community Coalition (CCC)</u>	Families United: A Family Wellness and	Clergy Community Coalition will support immigrant families affected by the Eaton Fire and immigration challenges. Through clinics in

	Preparedness Initiative	community spaces, legal experts will help families create emergency plans and complete essential documents, while workshops and shared meals foster resilience, social connections, and wildfire recovery.
<u>Collaborate PASadena</u>	Collective Strength: Queer Youth Community Building Project	Collaborate PASadena and a coalition of youth and LGBTQ wellness partners will provide creative self-advocacy and knowledge-sharing programming for queer youth affected by the Eaton Fire, while engaging parents, caregivers, and queer elders to promote collective well-being and foster resilient, inclusive communities.
<u>College Access Plan</u>	Fire Survivor College Attainment & Persistence Support	CAP will train trauma-informed peer advocates (College Champions) to support college readiness and assist fire-affected students with financial aid appeals, help seniors and college students adjust their plans, and, in partnership with school counselors and the Long-Term Recovery Group, provide enrollment, financial aid, and mental health support while guiding families on the value of postsecondary education.
<u>Community Compound (Lewis Tribe Compound)</u>	Adopt-a-Block	The DENA Soil Project's Adopt-a-Block initiative will create spaces for community healing through collective land restoration, workforce training, and culturally grounded wellness practices. Residents will restore soil and engage in healing activities that support long-term resilience.
<u>Community Women Vital Voices</u>	Eaton Fire Senior Summit	Community Women Vital Voices (CWVV) will support families affected by the Eaton Fire through the Eaton Fire Senior Summits, serving African American elders in Pasadena and Altadena. In partnership with over 45 local nonprofits, the Summits provide trauma-informed wellness, health services, housing guidance, personalized coaching, workshops, and the Eaton Fire Resource Book.
<u>CORE (Community Organized Relief Effort)</u>	CORE LA Wildfire Resource & Rebuild Hub	The CORE Resource & Rebuild Hub will serve as a collaborative recovery center in Altadena, providing wildfire survivors with technical expertise, emotional support, and culturally affirming services. As survivors meet with

architects, case managers, and peer mentors, they will have the opportunity to also participate in design workshops, healing circles, and community education events that are trauma-informed, age-inclusive, and responsive to evolving needs.

Day One

Recipes for Resilience: Dinner at the Collaboratory

Day One will host monthly wellness dinners in Altadena that brings fire-impacted families together to cook, share meals, and build intergenerational connections. Elders will lead cooking sessions, share recipes, and pass down cultural traditions to youth and families, while activities include storytelling, family portraits, and contributions to a Community Cookbook. A Kid Zone will offer play-based healing for children as caregivers connect.

DENA Heals Wellness Center

DENA Heals: Health, Healing, and Storytelling for Wildfire Recovery

DENA Heals Wellness Center is a survivor-led initiative at The Paseo Outdoor Mall in Pasadena, providing year-round, free programming for fire-impacted families. Offerings include healing circles, wellness workshops, meditation classes, dance, grief circles, music, storytelling, and basic needs support. All activities are trauma-informed, culturally relevant, and survivor-led, with storytelling programs capturing survivor voices to support creative campaigns and long-term recovery.

Didi Hirsch Mental Health Services

Fostering Community Resilience and Emotional Recovery Post-2025 LA Wildfires

Didi Hirsch will bring together survivors of the 2025 Eaton and Palisades fires with peers from past California wildfires, featuring survivor-led panels, creative healing practices such as sound baths, yoga, and massage, shared meals, and resource-sharing from local partners. Wellness Workshops will offer mindfulness, meditation, emotional wellbeing, and Psychological First Aid training for community leaders.

Disability Community Resource Center

Disaster Mental Health Education and Support for People with

DCRC will offer educational events and healing circles for people with disabilities and older adults to create a welcoming, supportive space for wildfire survivors to share their experiences, build community, and foster resilience for the future.

<u>Downtown Women's Center</u>	Disabilities and Older Adults DWC's Wildfire Recovery Support – Outreach and Community Building	DWC will support women and gender-diverse individuals experiencing homelessness in Los Angeles, with a focus on those affected by the 2025 Eaton Fire. Programming will include weekly enrichment classes (dance, music, and art therapy), support groups, and cultural celebrations tailored to communities such as LGBTQ+ and Black women.
<u>Eaton Fire Collaborative</u>	The Community Healing Well: Building Collective Resilience	The Eaton Fire Collaborative's Community Healing Well will support renters, immigrants, elders, and displaced families by offering healing circles, trauma-informed workshops, and cultural gatherings that honor Black, Latino, and immigrant traditions. Programming will combine faith-rooted practices, storytelling, music, and cultural activities, with materials available in English, Spanish, and print for elders. "Help the Helper" workshops provide resilience training, pastoral care frameworks, mindfulness, and peer-led practices, while neighborhood captains and case managers connect participants to relevant resources, fostering collective healing and community support.
<u>EmpowHer Institute</u>	Healing Safe Spaces for Wildfire-Impacted Communities	EmpowHer Institute will provide wellness support for youth and frontline workers impacted by the Eaton Fire. Programming will "Heal the Healer" sessions for nonprofit employees and EmpowHer classes for girls and gender-expansive youth (ages 11–18) at Brick City Boxing in Pasadena.
<u>First AME Zion Church-Pasadena</u>	Rose Common Collective	The Rose Commons Gather and Grow Collective will operate as a community resilience hub supporting Eaton Fire survivors through culturally responsive healing, peer connection, and practical skill-building. The program delivers workshops, peer groups and shared meals, and ongoing open space access, alongside events and an annual community gathering. Activities are trauma-informed, community-led, and designed to

rebuild social connection, reduce stress, and support long-term recovery.

Foothill Family Service

The Power of Dance– Dance Workshops

Foothill Family's dance workshops will use movement, creativity, and peer support to promote wellness and emotional resilience among Eaton Fire survivors. Held in schools and community spaces across Altadena and Pasadena, the workshops will serve children, youth, families, teachers, and older adults, providing a safe environment to process trauma, reduce stress, and restore daily routines essential for recovery.

Hands in the Soil

Root & Rise: Community Healing & Wellness Initiative

Hands in the Soil will provide culturally grounded care for wildfire survivors in Altadena and Pasadena through trauma-informed yoga, mindfulness, and healing circles, seasonal events such as Sōl Day and Holding Space, and Community Care Training Clinics that empower residents to lead peer circles.

Intercultural Engagement Center at Pasadena City College

Gathering Grounds: Racial Justice, Truth, Trauma & Community Healing

Gathering Grounds: Racial Justice, Truth, Trauma & Community Healing supports Pasadena City College's healing-centered community programming through trauma-informed and justice-centered initiatives focused on storytelling, restorative dialogue, intergenerational healing, and culturally grounded care for wildfire-impacted and historically marginalized communities. Through healing circles, community storytelling projects, educational learning cohorts, and collaborative partnerships with local organizations and cultural healers, the initiative will strengthen PCC's as a trusted community hub for collective healing, racial justice education, resilience, and restoration.

Jazzy Jam For Empowerment

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Jazzy Jam for Empowerment, Inc. will support wellness, education, and community resilience, particularly for those impacted by the Eaton Canyon Fire by serving youth, families, and educators in Pasadena and surrounding areas using arts, wellness practices and trauma

informed programming to heal, uplift, and empower.

Jericho Road Pasadena

Nonprofit Staff
Healing &
Resilience
Program for
Wildfire
Recovery

Jericho Road Pasadena will support nonprofit staff involved in wildfire recovery by providing culturally affirming healing through storytelling, art-making, therapeutic horticulture, and trauma-informed resilience practices. Staff will engage in resilience gatherings, drop-in support groups, biannual cohorts for survivors of home loss, and workshops featuring creative and nature-based approaches. These activities offer grounding, self-expression, connection, and practical tools to strengthen coping skills, restore social bonds, and foster long-term community resilience.

Lineage Dance Company (Lineage Performing Arts Center)

Healing
through Dance,
Story, and Song

Lineage Performing Arts Center will offer storytelling, music, and dance workshops for Eaton Fire survivors, culminating in a benefit concert featuring participants alongside professional artists. The program provides a culturally affirming space for grief processing, resilience-building, and community celebration, guiding participants to create collective narratives through rhythm, movement, and song, with final performances and a visual arts display highlighting their stories.

Live Above the Hype

The Institute,
Rising Phoenix,
& Trauma-
Informed
Community
Healing
Expansion

Live Above the Hype will expand The Institute and launch the Rising Phoenix Wellness Series to support wildfire recovery and trauma-informed professional development. Programs will equip justice-impacted individuals with leadership skills, train educators and staff, and create healing spaces for fire-affected communities. Offerings include The Institute cohorts, the Rising Phoenix Wellness Conference, healing events in fire-impacted neighborhoods, and trauma-informed training for educators, building long-term capacity and community impact.

Los Angeles Brotherhood Crusade

Brotherhood
Crusade
Wildfire

The Brotherhood Crusade will provide students in Altadena/Pasadena with a trauma-informed youth development programming addressing

	Trauma-Informed Youth Development Project	unresolved fire-related trauma. The program will offer psychosocial support, cultural rituals, and healing circles, helping youth develop life skills, leadership, and employment readiness.
<u>Los Angeles Unified School District Education Foundation</u>	Mental Health & Community Wellness for the Palisades School Communities	LAUSD Education Foundation will support Marquez Charter Elementary, Palisades Charter Elementary, and Palisades Charter High School in providing wellness support and community healing programs for students, staff, and families. They will offer wellness services, host community events with music, food, and screenings, and provide wellness sessions to help manage stress and trauma.
<u>LOV Olive Branches</u>	Trans4mation 4 Cycles of Life	LOV Olive Branches will provide wildfire survivors in Altadena/Pasadena with workshops, mentorship, creative arts, and community outreach to help them build resilience and navigate challenges. Programming includes youth life skills training, parent workshops, family support circles, and mentorship, along with community service projects, leadership development, intergenerational dialogue, and personal renewal retreats.
<u>Loveland Community Development Corporation & Honey Bunz Inc</u>	Build the Block: Eaton Fire Recovery Initiative with Honey Bunz Inc.	Loveland Community Development Corporation and Honey Bunz Inc. will provide recovery-focused, youth-centered programming for families impacted by the Eaton Fire. Together, they will host mental health workshops and empowerment workshops for girls focused on supporting community education and community connections.
<u>Mar Vista Family Center</u>	MVFC Wildfire Recovery	Mar Vista Family Center will provide year-round programming to support socio-emotional well-being for families affected by the Palisades wildfire. This includes community meetings for information sharing, storytelling and peer support groups, potlucks and recreational activities, and the development of a second community garden as a space for healing and reflection. MVFC will also offer ongoing case management and support

for children and youth through preschool and youth-focused programs.

**Fully Alive
Community
Health,
formerly
Medical
Mission
Adventures**

Hubs of Social
Capital and
Trust

Fully Alive Community Health will partner with local churches, shelters, and community centers, including the Eaton Fire Collaborative, to provide trauma recovery and strengthen community resilience. Using a blend of professional care, art therapy, mindfulness, and traditional practices, MMA will support long-term healing for fire-impacted neighborhoods

**National Day
Laborer
Organizing
Network**

ArtWorks:
Community
Healing and
Just Recovery

NDLON will lead an arts and justice project supporting healing and equitable recovery for fire-impacted communities. Activities include creating a public sculpture at Triangle Park by two affected artists, performances by Los Jornaleros del Norte with PPE and rights information, community events centered on immigrant and working-class voices, survivor listening sessions, cultural programming, leadership development, and a convening to document outcomes and guide equitable disaster recovery.

**Neighborhood
Survants**

Neighborhood
Survants Long
Term Recovery

Neighborhood Survants will assist fire-affected families through educational, wellness programs, and community events. Key activities include moving support, art-based storytelling, community murals, recovery festivals, youth art labs, and volunteer initiatives.

**Neighborhood
Unitarian
Universalist
Church**

Community
Support
Through
Pastoral Care

Neighborhood Unitarian Universalist Church's Community Support Through Pastoral Care project will provide compassionate care and practical support to congregation members in times of need. The program offers bereavement support, coordinates meals and transportation for those who are ill or homebound, and provides group support for wildfire survivors, while fostering opportunities for connection and community engagement.

<u>OMG Youth Sports and Enrichment</u>	Healing in Motion: Community Resilience Through Sports & Wellness	OMG Youth Sports Enrichment will provide healing opportunities for wildfire-impacted children, youth, families, and seniors in Los Angeles County through community sports and wellness days, arts and storytelling workshops, peer support circles, and family wellness gatherings.
<u>Outward Bound Adventures Inc.</u>	Youth Environmental Restoration Crew (YERT)	Outward Bound Adventures (OBA) will engage fire-impacted youth from Altadena and Pasadena in a recovery program emphasizing leadership, resilience, and community healing. Youth will participate in community action projects, land-tending, camping trips, outdoor programming, and practice wellness through nature connection and peer support.
<u>Pacific Palisades Long Term Recovery Group (Pali LTRG)</u>	Community Healing & Restoration: Youth, Women/Moms, Men/Dads & Seniors	Pali LTRG will support community healing after the 2025 Palisades Fire through programs for youth (Tile Memorial, arts/storytelling, animal therapy, reforestation), women/moms (therapist-led groups, trauma circles, wellness events, parenting seminars), men/dads (mentorship, financial resilience), and seniors (art therapy, social events, preparedness workshops).
<u>Palisades Charter High School (PCHS)</u>	Student Art Mural Project	Palisades Charter High School will host programming events to support students and the community as they return to their post-fire campus. The Student Art Mural Project will include hands-on mural creation, an art festival, a symposium, speakers, and arts education to foster creativity, belonging, and healing. Additional events will bring together students, families, staff, alumni, and local organizations for cultural activities, campus tours, educational sessions, mental health support, and a shared lunch to grieve, connect, and envision the path forward.
<u>Palisades Recovery Coalition</u>	Art for Healing - Creative Expression for Recovery in Pacific Palisades	The Palisades Recovery Coalition will implement the Art for Healing Project to help Palisadians process grief and rebuild community connections through creative sessions in painting, music, and poetry, with participants' artwork collected and

highlighted in a community-wide exhibit celebrating the Palisades' recovery journey.

**Palisades
Symphony
Orchestra, Inc.**

Healing
Through Music

The Palisades Symphony Orchestra, led by fire-impacted musicians, will offer free orchestral and choral performances for communities affected by the wildfires, including choral-orchestral concerts, a Young Artist Showcase, opera highlights, a pops concert, and orchestral programs, providing access to the healing power of music and strengthening community engagement.

**Pasadena
Altadena
Coalition of
Transformative
Leaders**

Community
Rising From the
Ashes (CRFA)

PACTL's Community Rising from the Ashes initiative will continue using community-centered approaches such as Appreciative Inquiry, Community Cafés, the Protective Factors framework, and Youth Thrive to identify and mobilize the hidden skills and talents within the community while expanding efforts to address trauma caused by the fire and displacement. Through healing gatherings and family support services, PACTL will help immigrant residents regain a sense of belonging and guide families in navigating the systems needed to rebuild their homes and realize their highest hopes for the community.

**Pasadena
Jewish Temple
and Center**

Rebuilding
Comfort &
Community:
PJTC Wildfire
Recovery
through Food,
Music, Ritual &
Creativity

The Rebuilding Comfort & Community: PJTC Wildfire Recovery through Food, Music, Ritual & Creativity project focuses on comfort and recovery through familiar healing modalities such as food, music, ritual, play, and storytelling. We are hosting large and small gatherings such as community meals that nurture souls, musical events that lift spirits, youth groups and seniors that promote joy across generations, park playdates that rebuild ties with young families, rebuilding meetings that ensure empowerment, and mental health sessions that provide care.

**Pasadena
Senior Center**

Restoring
Community
and Connection
for Seniors
impacted by

The Pasadena Senior Center (PSC) will restore connection, resilience, and well-being for seniors impacted by the Eaton Wildfire by providing culturally resonant healing spaces through enrichment workshops (art, dance, writing),

	the Eaton Wildfire	wellness classes (yoga, tai chi, meditation), social services, mental health counseling, support groups, and trauma-informed staff training.
<u>Pasadena Village</u>	Older Adult Connections & Support	Pasadena Village will engage older adults impacted by the Eaton Fire focusing on LGBTQ+, African American, Latino/a/x, unpaid caregivers, and those with disabilities through free, community-building programs with transportation provided. Activities include cultural celebrations, poetry gatherings, art exhibits, support groups, Supper Club series, resilience retreats, wellness trainings, and mental health services.
<u>Pulse Arts</u>	ReStART- Rest and Restoration through Art	Pulse Arts, through its ReStART program, will support local artist survivors in leading workshops using painting, music, drumming, dance, video, and photography to document their rebuilding journey and reclaim their lives and land. Lead artists will conduct quarterly residencies with bi-weekly classes, culminating in public exhibitions and community resource fairs that contribute to the cultural mapping of both impacted and revitalized neighborhoods.
<u>Resilient Palisades</u>	Replanting Roots: Community Healing Through Earth Day and Pali Veg Fest Gatherings	Resilient Palisades will support wildfire recovery through ecological gatherings featuring music, cultural performances, children's activities, vegan food, and restoration activities such as tree planting and seed ball making. These events will allow survivors to reconnect with nature, strengthen community bonds, and foster fire-resilient recovery.
<u>Safe Community Project, (MySafe:LA Division)</u>	Stronger Together: Voices of Resilience After the Fires	MySafe LA will offer youth storytelling, music, and art workshops, as well as wellness and technology sessions for older adults, alongside town halls to amplify survivor voices, share resources, and strengthen social bonds-centering equity and culturally affirming practices to support long-term recovery and community restoration.
<u>Santa Monica Helping Hub</u>	Celebrating Community	SMHH will host healing-centered events and ocean gatherings, nature immersion, garden-

	Care & Collective Healing	based sessions, and animal-assisted therapy, all trauma-informed and barrier-free. They also provide ongoing peer support and resource distribution for fire survivors and underserved Santa Monica neighbors.
<u>Saved by a Story</u>	Saved by a Story: Wildfire Survivor Writing Workshops and Storytelling Salons	Saved by a Story will provide free, in-person writing workshops for wildfire survivors, including seniors, renters, underinsured homeowners, and LGBTQ individuals, with a focus on diverse, impacted communities. Sessions, facilitator training, and community workshops in Palisades and Altadena/Eaton will culminate in Storytelling Salons featuring stories and music that highlight survivor voices and foster hope, resilience, and community healing.
<u>Side Street Projects</u>	From the Inside Out: Trauma Informed Creativity in the Heart of Altadena	Side Street Projects will host drop-in woodworking and skill-share workshops to provide consistent opportunities for neighbors to connect, while using trauma-informed care practices to help staff and participants process grief and strengthen resilience.
<u>Soul Force Project</u>	Healing Arts for Altadena	Soul Force Project (SFP) will use its arts-based programs to support wildfire survivors and multigenerational families of color facing housing, wellness, and economic challenges. Through Healing Arts initiatives such as dance, music, storytelling, and performances, SFP will foster healing, growth, and connection while compensating local artists and preserving Altadena's cultural narratives.
<u>Stars</u>	Stars Strong: Youth-Led Recovery & Resilience in the Wake of the Eaton Fire	Stars will implement the Stars Strong initiative to support Altadena and surrounding communities impacted by the wildfires through trauma-informed wellness practices, therapeutic play, and youth leadership development programs.
<u>Support and Feed, Inc.</u>	Community Healing & Restoration: Nourishing Recovery	Support + Feed's Nourishing Recovery initiative will restore community connection and resilience for families impacted by the 2025 Eaton and Palisades wildfires by providing plant-based meals and grocery boxes, hosting community gatherings

with meals, cooking demos, and storytelling, and engaging volunteers. In partnership with local restaurants, farms, and organizations, the program will strengthen food systems, offer nutrition education, and foster collective healing while ensuring culturally relevant menus and accessible venues.

Team Palisades

Block by Block: Rebuilding Connection and Collective Resilience

Team Palisades' Block by Block survivor-led initiative will restore community and resilience after the 2025 Palisades Fire by combining longest table events, community building fairs, shards & chardonnay memorials, oral histories, peer-support circles, and block captain outreach to foster healing and maintain connections among displaced neighbors.

The Altadena Library Foundation

Additional Altadena Library Program Support

The Altadena Library Foundation will support wildfire survivors in Altadena through year-round activities, including crafts, book clubs, story times, musical performances, wellness programs such as dance and Pilates classes, and community events featuring healthy snacks and meet-and-greets.

The Plus Me Project

We're Still Here: Community Healing Through Storytelling

The Plus Me Project will support high school students, parents, and educators in Altadena and Pasadena impacted by the Eaton Fire through social-emotional learning, storytelling workshops, a book launch, and a community event designed to help participants reflect on their experiences and strengthen peer connections.

UCLA School of Education and Information Studies

Through the Fire: Culture Clash Recovering Community Memory

UCLA School of Education and Information Studies professors are partnering with the LA-based theater group Culture Clash to continue developing *Through the Fire*, built from interviews, focus groups, and materials shared by community members affected by the Eaton and Palisades fires. The project also includes efforts to help piece back together the archive of late UCLA professor Juan Gómez-Quíñones, which was lost in the Palisades Fire. The project will host community-centered theater workshop performances,

**Urban
Homestead**

The Healing
Commons

including in Altadena and Pacific Palisades. These gatherings are meant to be welcoming spaces where fire survivors can attend, feel comfortable, and be part of the audience. After each performance, interviewees, fire-survivor participants, and neighbors will be invited to stay, connect, and share their thoughts and experiences in informal conversations and receptions.

Urban Homestead will help Altadena residents heal from the Eaton Fire by fostering connection to fire, land, water, and each other through workshops, storytelling, gardening, art, and food sharing. In partnership with local artists, healers, and land stewards, the project will create a community hub with a Teaching Tent, Seed Library, and trauma-informed land stewardship area, including mosaic workshops symbolizing renewal.

**Wise &
Healthy Aging**

Supporting
Wildfire
Recovery for
Older Adults

WISE will support long-term recovery for wildfire survivors who are older adults by providing club memberships for classes and activities, weekday meals, free ADC care, and expanded peer counseling to address grief, stress, and caregiving challenges. Specialized programs will serve individuals with cognitive impairment, including WISE Minds for early memory loss, groups for moderate to severe impairment, and Somos Amigos for Spanish-speaking participants. Outreach will engage survivors not yet connected to services, with Peer Counseling available both in person and virtually to support healing and recovery.

**Young &
Healthy (Y&H)**

Student & Staff
Mental Health
& Resilience
Initiative

Young & Healthy will support Pasadena and Altadena students and teachers impacted by the Eaton Fire by offering school-based mindfulness classes, student and teacher support groups, and community workshops focused on resilience and trauma recovery.

**YWCA San
Gabriel Valley
(YWCA-SGV)**

Fire Relief
Emotional
Support Project

The YWCA of San Gabriel Valley will provide trauma-informed healing sessions for Eaton wildfire survivors, focusing on grief, coping strategies, resilience, and connecting survivors to fire relief resources. Group sessions will be complemented by a group outing and final gathering to foster community support and recovery.



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