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Disaster Unemployment Assistance  
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To North Carolina Schools affected by Hurricane Helene:

The following information has been sent to DPI from the Department of Employment Security (DES) related to Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA) for counties affected by Hurricane Helene.

Please share this important information with your staff and individuals seeking to apply for unemployment benefits during this difficult time. Most of the information is available in the 4 resources outlined below. Staff at DES is monitoring their webpage. As things change, I am told the website will be updated. A Spanish version is available on the DES website as well.

Following are the resources you need:

- [Hurricane Helene DUA page](#)
- [How to file a disaster-related claim \(brochure\)](#)
- [FAQs](#)
- [DUA flyer](#)