Once again, we are seeing the heartbreaking destruction of wildfires directly impacting medical families and Alliance members across California. The devastating loss of family homes and lives is unfathomable at any time of year, but knowing that they are anticipating these unfathomable challenges in coming days and the holidays, seems moving forward all the more difficult. More than 200 physician families have lost their homes in Sonoma County alone.

In each of our respective communities, there are reputable organizations providing help and assistance to those that are currently in need. We understand that the giving of time, money or other resources is personal and often emotional. The <u>AMA Foundation's "Physician Disaster Recovery Fund</u>," along with many local nonprofits, are all options for those who are looking for ways to help. The CMA Alliance website offers two ways to contribute directly to their own Disaster Relief Fund at the Sonoma County website https://scmaa.org or https://scmaa.org or https://scmaa.org or

or click here to donate



Or, mail your donation to:

CMA Alliance, PO Box 12605, Bakersfield, CA 93389-2605

Identify on the memo of the check, "Disaster Relief Fund"

As leaders and members of the AMA Alliance, it remains our mission to strengthen physician families. We are grateful to all individuals, especially the healthcare workers, who continue to support recovery efforts across our beautiful country



While the Alliance is raising money for our community in general, The California Medical Association Foundation has started a fund for specifically to aid physicians and their communities.