

FEMA'S RESPONSIBILITIES

FEMA will:

1. Constitute a National Board consisting of individuals affiliated with American Red Cross; Catholic Charities USA; National Council of Churches of Christ in the U.S.A.; The Salvation Army; The Jewish Federations of North America; United Way Worldwide; and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.
2. Chair the National Board, using parliamentary procedures and consensus by the National Board as the mode of operation.
3. Provide policy guidance, monitoring and oversight, Federal coordination and staff assistance to the National Board.
4. Award the grant to the National Board.
5. Assist the Secretariat in implementing the National Board Program.
6. Report to Congress on the year's program activities independently and through the U.S. Interagency Council on Homelessness Annual Report.
7. Through the DHS Office of the Inspector General (OIG), and FEMA Office of the Chief Financial Officer, monitor United Way Worldwide's annual audit of the EFSP.
8. Monitor the overall administration and management of the grant expenditures.
9. Obtain reports from the National Board, which provide detailed accounting of all program monies.