**Appendix**

**Table 1a:** Baseline medical characteristics of respondents. a

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| **Medical Conditions** | ***n***  | **%** |
| Mobility Issues | 38 | 73 |
| Hypertension | 32 | 65 |
| Respiratory Conditions | 25 | 48 |
| Heart Conditions | 21 | 40 |
| Mental Health Conditions | 16 | 31 |
| Diabetes | 14 | 27 |
| Neurologic Conditions | 13 | 25 |
| Other | 12 | 23 |
| Special Heating or Cooling Needs | 8 | 15 |
| None | 3 | 6 |
| Wound Care Needs | 3 | 6 |
| Intravenous Infusions | 2 | 4 |
| Paraplegia  | 2 | 4 |
| Dialysis | 1 | 2 |

1. Respondents could choose more than one.

**Table 2a:** Baseline medical devices of respondents. a

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Medical Devices** | ***n***  | **%** |
| Walker | 21 | 46 |
| Cane | 18 | 39 |
| Nebulizer Machines | 14 | 30 |
| Non-Electric Wheelchair | 10 | 22 |
| None | 8 | 17 |
| Electric Bed | 8 | 17 |
| Hearing Aids | 8 | 17 |
| Other | 7 | 15 |
| Oxygen Devices | 6 | 13 |
| Breathing Machines | 5 | 11 |
| Pulse Oximeter | 5 | 11 |
| Medical Apps | 2 | 4 |
| Electronic Nerve Stimulator | 1 | 2 |
| Heart Devices | 1 | 2 |
| Pressure Pad | 1 | 2 |
| Electric Wheelchair | 1 | 2 |

1. Respondents could choose more than one.

**Table 3a:** Preparedness measures (water storage & backup generator) and impact on food of the Oak Fire, *n* (%). a

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Preparedness Measures** | **Routinely** | **No Storage** | **Other**  |   |
| Water storage | 37 (73%) | 13 (26%) | 1 (2%) |   |
|   | **Working** | **Not working** | **Other electricity source** | **No generator** |
| Backup generator | 18 (35%) | 5 (10%) | 10 (19%) | 19 (36%) |
|   | **Not affected** | **Partially lost** | **Completely lost** | **Other** |
| Food  | 29 (58%) | 12 (24%) | 7 (14%) | 2 (4%) |

1. Percentages for each response vary given missing responses.

**Table 4a:** Information sources for receiving information during the Oak Fire and respondents overall most trusted information sources. a

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Oak Fire Information Sources** | ***n*** | **%** | **Most Trusted Information Sources** | ***n*** | **%** |
| Friends and Family | 34 | 67 | County Officials | 41 | 77 |
| News Agencies | 30 | 59 | Local City Agencies | 35 | 66 |
| Neighbors | 19 | 37 | State Officials | 30 | 57 |
| Utility Companies | 18 | 35 | Friends and Family  | 24 | 45 |
| Community Organizations | 18 | 35 | Neighbors | 23 | 43 |
| Government Agencies | 16 | 31 | Utility Companies | 20 | 38 |
| Other | 13 | 26 | TV News | 12 | 23 |
| Religious Organizations | 2 | 4 | Other | 11 | 21 |
|   |  |  | Social Media | 8 | 15 |
|   |  |  | National Government Agencies | 8 | 15 |
|   |  |  | Government Agencies | 6 | 11 |
|   |  |  | Community Organizations | 4 | 8 |
|   |  |  | Radio Station | 3 | 6 |
|   |   |   | Religious Organizations | 2 | 4 |

* 1. Respondents could select more than one choice.

**Table 5a:** Oak Fire method of receiving information and most useful information. a

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Oak Fire Method of Information** | ***n*** | **%** | **Oak Fire Most Useful Information** | ***n*** | **%** |
| Saw plumes or smelled smoke | 30 | 59 | Fire location and progress | 46 | 92 |
| TV | 22 | 43 | Road closures | 31 | 62 |
| Landline | 20 | 39 | Risk to my household | 20 | 40 |
| In-person visit by friends/family | 19 | 37 | Shelter locations | 19 | 38 |
| Computer | 14 | 28 | Evacuation routes | 17 | 34 |
| Mobile Phone Calls | 11 | 22 | When to return home | 16 | 32 |
| Other | 11 | 22 | Where to get water | 7 | 14 |
| Radio | 8 | 16 | Business closures | 5 | 10 |
| Mobile Phone Messages | 8 | 16 | Where to get food | 5 | 10 |
| Newspaper | 6 | 12 | Where to charge medical equip. | 5 | 10 |
| Mobile Phone Apps | 6 | 12 | Where to charge devices | 5 | 10 |
| In-person visit by officials | 5 | 10 | Other  | 4 | 8 |
|   |  |  | Other healthcare sites | 2 | 4 |
|   |   |   | None of this was given | 2 | 4 |

* + - * 1. Respondents could select more than one choice.

**Table 6a:** Devices respondents had during the Oak Fire but were unable to use. a

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| **Device** | **Have the Device (*n*)** | **Unable to Use During Oak Fire (*n*)** |
| Landline Phone | 45 | 13 |
| TV | 38 | 11 |
| Radio | 35 | 11 |
| Computer with Internet | 28 | 10 |
| Wi-Fi | 28 | 8 |
| Smartphone | 20 | 4 |
| Cellphone | 15 | 4 |

1. Counts vary by device given missing data for some devices.