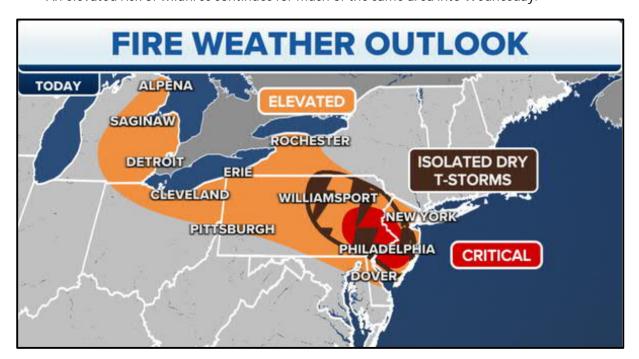


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## Fire Weather Outlook Northeast/Mid-Atlantic

- A highly unusual weather pattern is bringing critically dangerous wildfire conditions to a swath of the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic, including the Philadelphia and New Jersey area.
- A deep and dry layer of air moved into the Great Lakes Monday night and is spreading into parts
  of the Northeast on Tuesday, dropping the humidity to as low as 25% and bringing a swath of
  breezy, gusty winds.
- Meanwhile, an upper-level trough of low pressure is expected to trigger a round of "dry" thunderstorms across parts of the mid-Atlantic – common in the Desert Southwest but rare in the East.
- With the dry air in place, any rain may evaporate before reaching the ground, meaning lightning strikes may come without any wetting rainfall.
- With recent dry weather leaving the ground parched, any lighting strike could start a fire that would have the potential for rapid spread amid the breezy and dry conditions.
- NOAA's Storm Prediction Center has issued a "critical" wildfire risk a level 2 on its 3-rung scale for fire weather danger for nearly 8 million people around the Philadelphia and southern New Jersey area. Fire Weather Warnings are also in effect for the region.
- A level 1 "elevated" wildfire risk extends across much of the rest of Pennsylvania and into the eastern Great Lakes, including the cities of Cleveland, Detroit, Buffalo and Pittsburgh.
- An elevated risk of wildfires continues for much of the same area into Wednesday.





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Pending Individual Assistance Declaration Request						
State	Event	Date Submitted	Approved/Denied/ Pending	Number of Counties/Tribes		
GA	Severe Storms, Straight-Line Winds, Tornadoes & Flooding Mar 25-27	5/26/2023	Pending	2 Counties		

WSP USA Inspection Services Active Disasters							
Disaster Number and State	Disaster Type	Number of Counties Declared	Days Since Launch	Registration Deadline			
4671 PR	Hurricane Fiona	78 Municipalities	256	11/21/2022			
4701 TN	Severe Storms & Tornadoes	10 Counties	58	6/6/2023			
4709 FL	Flood	1 County	32	6/27/2023			

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