

EMERGENCY PLAN: BE PREPARED!

Planning ahead is the first step to a calmer and more assured disaster response.

- Find 2 escape routes out of your home
- Locate the main electric fuse box, water service, and natural gas shut-offs
- Teach all responsible family members how and when to turn off these utilities
- Make a contact list with at least two people: one local and one out-of-town
- Designate a family meeting place
- Check on your neighbors, especially elderly or disabled persons

BUILD A KIT



What you have on hand matters in a disaster. Plan to store enough supplies for everyone in your household for at least three days.

- Water – One week's supply (one gallon per person per day – replace water every six months)
- Food – One week's supply of non-perishable food (stored in a dark, dry place)
- First Aid Kit (including prescription/non-prescription medications; sanitation supplies; special items for infants, elderly, or disabled family members)
- Battery-operated radios, flashlights and plenty of batteries
- Blankets and extra clothing – including sturdy shoes
- Large 5-gallon plastic bucket with plastic bags for use as a makeshift toilet
- Extra set of car keys, and a credit card, cash, or traveler's checks
- Money – cash, credit cards
- Pet Supplies
- Map

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