



Family Disaster Plan

Family Last Name(s) or Household Address:

Date:

Family Member/Household Contact Info (If needed, additional space is provided in #10 below):

Name

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Email:

Pet(s) Info:

Name:

Type:

Color:

Registration #:

Plan of Action

1. The disasters most likely to affect our household are:

2. What are the escape routes from our home?

3. If separated during an emergency, what is our meeting place near our home?

4. If we cannot return home or are asked to evacuate, what is our meeting place outside of our neighborhood?

What is our route to get there and an alternate route, if the first route is impassible?

5. In the event our household is separated or unable to communicate with each other, our emergency contact outside of our immediate area is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>	<u>Cell Phone</u>	<u>Email:</u>
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After a disaster, let your friends and family know you are okay by registering at "Safe and Well" at <https://safeandwell.communityos.org/cms/> or by calling 1-800-733-2767. You can also give them a call, send a quick text or update your status on social networking sites.

6. If at school/daycare, our child(ren) will be evacuated to:

<u>Child's Name:</u>	<u>Evacuation Site (address and contact info):</u>
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7. Our plan for people in our household with a disability or special need is:

<u>Person's Name:</u>	<u>Plan:</u>
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8. During certain emergencies local authorities may direct us to "shelter in place" in our home. An accessible, safe room where we can go, seal windows, vents and doors and listen to emergency broadcasts for instructions, is:

9. Family Member Responsibilities in the Event of a Disaster

Task	Description	Family Member Responsible
Disaster Kit*	Stock the disaster kit and take it if evacuation is necessary. Include items you might want to take to an evacuation shelter. Remember to include medications and eye glasses.	
Be informed	Maintain access to NOAA or local radio, TV, email or text alerts for important and current information about disasters.	
Family Medical Information	Make sure the household medical information is taken with us if evacuation is necessary.	
Financial Information	Obtain copies of bank statements and cash in the event ATMs and credit cards do not work due to power outages. Bring copies of utility bills as proof of residence in applying for assistance.	
Pet Information	Evacuate our pet(s), keep a phone list of pet-friendly motels and animal shelters, and assemble and take the pet disaster kit.	
Sharing and Maintaining the Plan	Share the completed plan with those who need to know. Meet with household members every 6 months or as needs change to update household plan.	

*What supplies and records should go in your disaster kit? Visit www.redcross.org

10. Other information, if not able to be included above.

Congratulations on completing your family disaster plan! Please tell others: "We've made a family disaster plan and you can, too, with help from the American Red Cross."

Get the facts about what you should do if an emergency or disaster occurs at www.redcross.org

Our Emergency Supplies Kit

As you've learned, in some emergencies you may have to leave your home for a safer place. To be prepared, put together an emergency supplies kit. That way you'll have everything you need to stay safe and comfortable while you're away from home.

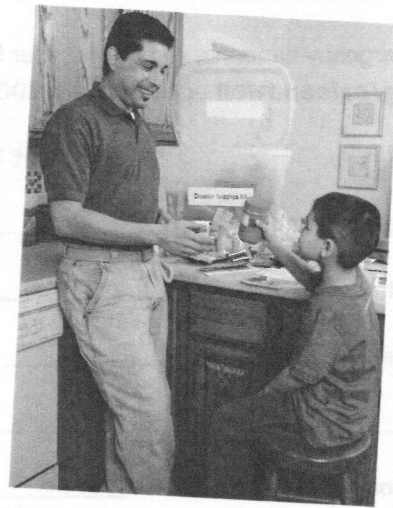
This checklist shows items that belong in an emergency supplies kit. Ask your family to go on a scavenger hunt with you to find some items you may already have at home. Check off each item that you find. Work together to pack up an emergency supplies kit for your home.

- Three-day supply of water (one gallon of water per person, per day)
- Three-day supply of canned and dried food, and a can opener
- Portable radio and extra batteries
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Cell phone and charger
- First aid kit
- Hygiene items (soap, hand sanitizer, moist towelettes, toilet paper, etc.)
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Whistle (to signal for help)
- Extra clothing and blankets
- Cooking and eating utensils
- Cash and coins (in case credit card readers and ATMs aren't working)
- Personal needs items such as prescription medications, eye glasses, contact lens solution, and hearing aid batteries
- Items for infants, such as formula, diapers, bottles, and pacifiers, if needed
- Tools, pet supplies, a map of the local area, and other items to meet your unique needs

You should also keep an emergency supplies kit in your car. You'll need:

- Flashlight, extra batteries, and maps
- Cell phone car charger
- First aid kit
- White distress flag
- Tire repair kit, pump, booster/jumper cables, and flares
- Bottled water and non-perishable foods such as granola bars
- Seasonal supplies: Winter – blanket, hat, mittens, shovel, sand, tire chains, windshield scraper, glow-in-the-dark distress flag; Summer – sunscreen lotion (SPF 15 or greater), shade item (umbrella, wide brimmed hat, etc.)

Suggestion! Store your kit in a convenient place known to everyone in your home. Keep items in air-tight plastic bags. Refill your kit with fresh water, fresh batteries, right-size clothes, etc. at least every six months.



Our Emergency Communications Plan

During an emergency, it's important to stay in contact with everyone in your home, especially if you get separated. Fill out this form so that everyone knows how to stay in contact during an emergency.

Our Home Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Contact Info for People Who Live in Our Home

Name	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Pets' Names	Type of Pet	Color/Markings	Registration
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

If We Get Separated in an Emergency

1. Our emergency meeting place near our home is: _____
2. Our emergency meeting place outside our neighborhood is: _____
3. Our emergency contact outside our immediate area is:

Name	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email
_____	_____	_____	_____

When an emergency happens, you can let your friends and family know you are okay by registering as "Safe and Well" at redcross.org/safeandwell or by calling 1-800-733-2767.

Important Emergency Contact Phone Numbers

Local Emergency Number: 9-1-1 or _____ Telephone Company _____

Police Department _____ Gas Company _____

Fire Department _____ Electric Company _____

Hospital _____ Doctor _____

Poison Control: 1-800-222-1222 or _____ Veterinarian _____

Congratulations on completing your emergency communications plan! When you have filled out both sides of this page, clip it out and keep it where everyone in your home can easily see it.