



Emergency Kit – Go Bag

You need to pack enough supplies for each member of your family to last a minimum of 3 days, preferably 2 weeks and make a kit for each person. These are only suggestions – personalize as you want and need to.

To assemble your kit, store items in airtight plastic bags and put your entire disaster supplies kit in one or two easy to carry containers such as plastic tubs, back pack or duffle bag.

Main Kit:

- Purse, Wallet, Cash (in small bills), credit and debit cards
- Cell phone, Tablet, Lap Top, Hard Drive, Cameras with cords and chargers, preferably adaptable for your vehicle
- Water – 1 gallon per person per day to drink, re-hydrate food and sanitation and small water bottles or cups for each person
- Water filtration system, water filtration bottle, or filtration straw
- Non-perishable food (especially on a special or restricted diet), either boxed, canned or freeze dried
- Medications, Glasses, Dentures, Hearing Aides
- Important Documents: Passport, Birth Certificate, Social Security Card, Tax records, Medical records, Insurance records, Titles for Property and Vehicles
- Personal mementos: Family Bible, Pictures, Address Book, Jewelry, Firearms
- First Aid Kit, with something for blisters also
- Tool Kit, including Flashlight w/extra batteries, Matches, Radio (battery or wind up), preferably with NOAA Weather Channel
- Seasonally appropriate Clothes, Jacket, Hat, Socks, Walking shoes/boots-well broken in
- Toiletries, Personal sanitation items, Toilet Paper, Sun Screen
- Several Masks for each person – either N95 or N-100
- Sleeping Bag, Pillow, Emergency Blanket or Tarp, Plastic Sheeting, Bungy cords or rope
- Special toys or blankets for children
- Paper Maps for local area and any area you may need to travel to
- Whistle and signal mirror
- Picture of your family, in case someone becomes separated



Pets and Service Animals

Remember to prepare a kit for your pets also! Again, these are only suggestions. Personalize as you need to. Remember to prepare a kit for your pets also!

- Collar or Harness and Leash for each pet
- Registration information
- Vaccination records
- Medication and Medication records
- Rabies Tag
- Crate or Carrier – required (Please train your pet in advance to be in container)
- Picture of you and your pet together, in case you become separated
- Pet Litter and box if needed
- Plastic Bag and gloves for waste
- Some familiar or comfort items such as toys, bedding, treats
- Food and bowl
- Water and bowl
- If your pet is chipped, make sure it is working and the information is current. If possible, add a contact number other than your home number
- First aid kit for your pet (your Vet can advise or buy a pre-stocked kit)

Emergency Plan

Be prepared to assess the situation – through social media, TV, Radio, local friends and neighbors. If at all possible, prepare in advance. Make certain that your vehicle's gas tank is full, tires properly inflated and backed in. Hook up any trailer or boat, with appropriate sized, inflated spare tire. If separated, determine a meeting location away from your home. Develop a buddy system with neighbors, someone you trust that could get your pets or “Go-Bags” if you or they are not home when told to leave. Walkie talkies for each vehicle so that you can communicate over short distances. If Emergency personnel tell you to evacuate – GO! Nothing is worth your life. **TAKE A DEEP BREATH AND THINK.** Panic kills more people than nearly anything else.