

Family Disaster Plan



FAMILY EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS

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In case of emergency at home, I will evacuate to: _____

In case of emergency at work or school, I will evacuate to: _____

Name and type of pets/ livestock:

What will I do with my pets if I have to leave my home?: :

Do I have a car +/-boat?: Yes No

How will I secure that car +/-boat?:

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FAMILY SURVIVAL KIT for at least 3 days

- Food items (non-perishable)
- Water 2-6 litres per person, per day (for drinking & cooking)
- Hygiene supplies soap, toothbrushes & toothpaste, feminine products
- Essential medications
- First aid supplies
- Matches
- Can opener & kitchen knife
- Transistor radio
- Torch & batteries /lamps & fuel/whistle
- Bedding
- Reading glasses
- Copies of important documents
- Pet food



To get involved in disaster preparedness in your community, contact your local Red Cross Society and National Disaster Office.

www.caribbeanredcross.org
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It's important that you be prepared for emergencies and possible disasters. Natural or human caused disasters can strike suddenly at any time and anywhere.

Get involved. Make a plan. Join other members of your community to get prepared.

You never know how many people your action will affect and How many lives you might save.



The following documents are safely secured in a known location.

- Yes No
- Birth, marriage and other certificates
- Personal ID cards/ papers/ passport
- Land & building deeds/ rental agreement
- Insurance & other policies

In the event of hurricane, I have identified a safe room:

- Yes No

If I have to evacuate, I will go to:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

My closest emergency shelter is:

I have made proper arrangements to go there:

- Yes No

I have a survival kit: Yes No

I have notified my family/friends of our plans:

- Yes No

If at work or school: Where will I go if I cannot get home?

PLEASE TICK THE APPROPRIATE BOX

My house could possibly be affected by the following severe events:

- Flood
- Earthquake
- Sea surge
- Landslide
- Industrial accident
- Hurricane
- Volcano
- Tsunami
- Bush/forest fire

If I stay at home, I will do the following to protect my home and myself from disaster:



Flood:

- I will install sandbags and other flood barriers

Bush forest fire:

- I will clear dry bush from around the house to prevent fire from spreading

Earthquake:

- I will secure large objects which can fall and injure family members

Hurricane:

I have the following protection for my windows and glass doors:

- Shutters
- Plywood (1/2 inch or thicker)
- I already have barrier materials
- None purchased as yet

Other: _____

The shut-off valves are located:

- Water _____
- Electricity _____
- Water _____
- Gas _____

I have copies of important papers and I've put them in a waterproof container that's safe from fire.

- Yes No



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EMERGENCY SHELTER: _____

FAMILY DOCTOR: _____

AMBULANCE: _____

POLICE: _____

FIRE: _____

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