WHY A FAMILY DISASTER PLAN?



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OVERVIEW

Types of Disasters Gather Information Warning Signs Family Communication Post Disaster Working with neighbors Pets, family also.

Types of Disasters



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Types of Disasters



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Technological-Man Made

Gather Information

What disasters or hazards are most likely in your community? For your home? How would you be warned? How should you prepare for each? Know the warning signals in your area.

Learn the warning signals for your community.

Be sure you can see or hear the signals from you home.

Have the emergency messaging turned on, on your cell phone.

Obtain Insurance for you and your family.

Check your personal and home insurance policy. Get additional coverage for situations that may not be covered. Make an inventory of each room of your home prior to event. (video)

Stay alert for emergency broadcasts.

Emergency Alert System, radio, television. NOAA weather alerts News sources-radio, television, internet

Choose a post-hazard meeting place for your family.

- A safe distance from your home for sudden emergencies (e.g., fire).
- Outside your neighborhood in case, you can't return home.
- Learn where area evacuation
 shelters are located.





Make a family communication plan.

Know how to contact each other in case you are work, school or other location.

Have an out-of-state friend or relative serve as an emergency contact for everyone to call.

Keep a list of emergency phone numbers, including neighborhood contacts. Give emergency numbers to all family members and post by every phone.





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•You may need to survive on your own temporarily until you can get assistance.

 Prepare a kit with 3 or more days of supplies (food, water, clothing). Make a family emergency supply kit.

Share the above information with your family.

Meet with all members of your household.
Discuss the types of hazards that could occur.
Discuss your family's plan.
Practice your plans.

Plan how you and your neighbors could work together during a disaster.

•Create a neighborhood communication plan.

Help neighbors with special needs, such as elderly or disabled persons.

•Make plans for the care of children, if parents cannot get home.

•Help with any child trauma from the event.

Learn response plans for your children's schools or childcare facilities.



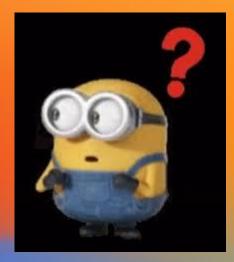


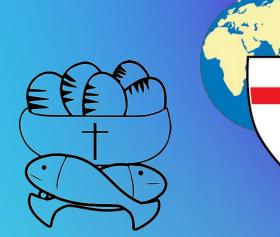


Don't forget to include plans for your pets.



Questions & Discussion Thank you!





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