



HURRICANE SAFETY CHECKLIST

DON'T WAIT. EVACUATE.

If advised by authorities, evacuate the area immediately. Avoid any flooded roads and/or washed out bridges.

WHAT SHOULD I DO TO PREPARE FOR A HURRICANE?

- ◆ Learn about your community's response plan.
- ◆ Identify a place you will go in the event of an evacuation.
- ◆ Plan your evacuation route or routes to local shelters, register family members with special medical needs as required and make plans for your pets to be cared for.

WHAT DO I DO AFTER A HURRICANE?

- ◆ If you are evacuated, return home only when officials say it is safe.
- ◆ Do not use water that could be contaminated to wash dishes, brush teeth, prepare food, wash hands, make ice or make baby formula.
- ◆ Never use a generator, grill, camp stove or other gasoline, propane, natural gas or charcoalburning devices inside a home, garage, basement, crawlspace or any partially enclosed area. Locate unit away from doors, windows and vents that could allow carbon monoxide to come indoors.

WATCH OR WARNING?

WATCH Hurricane conditions are a threat within 48 hours. Review your hurricane plans, keep informed and be ready to act if a warning is issued.



WARNING Hurricane conditions are expected within 36 hours. Complete your storm preparations and leave the area if directed to do so by authorities.



Visit redcross.org for more information on how to make an emergency kit!



FAMILY PLAN

If separated, our meeting place near our home is:

If we cannot return home or are asked to evacuate, our meeting place outside of our neighborhood is:

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

Name: Phone:

Plan your evacuation routes. Your primary route may not be accessible, so list two routes.

Route 1: Route 2: