

In Case of Evacuation

In a disaster situation, it may be necessary to evacuate your home for several days or longer. Because disasters can strike with little or no warning, you should be prepared to leave at a moment's notice. Knowing beforehand the steps to take in case of evacuation can make a big difference.

- Contact the local emergency management office to learn evacuation routes for your area.
- Determine where you will go if your community is evacuated.
- Discuss with your family the possibility of evacuation.
- Find out your child's school evacuation policy.
- Check that your disaster supply kit is assembled and ready to go.
- Make sure your car is filled up—fuel may be in short supply during a disaster.

WHEN AUTHORITIES TELL YOU TO EVACUATE

- Bring your disaster supply kit.
- Wear sturdy shoes and clothing.
- Unplug home electronics.

