

# 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?: :

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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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](http://www.caribbeanredcross.org)  
[www.cdema.org](http://www.cdema.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:** \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

**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



EMERGENCY SHELTER: \_\_\_\_\_

FAMILY DOCTOR: \_\_\_\_\_

AMBULANCE: \_\_\_\_\_

POLICE: \_\_\_\_\_

FIRE: \_\_\_\_\_

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