

Codes Review - External Disaster

What Is an External Disaster

An announcement using the following format will be heard on the facility wide speaker system.

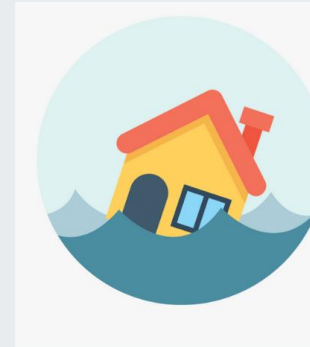
“External Disaster – *Location - Instructions.*”

- Any significant/calamitous event that requires additional resources or expertise beyond the impacted location or function and has or may affect people at our location.
- Examples include:
 - ☐ Floods
 - ☐ Tornadoes
 - ☐ Hurricanes
 - ☐ Earthquakes
 - ☐ Plague
 - ☐ Terrorist Act

What Do

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Kaiser's Plan

Plan Parts	Description
 Emergency Operations Plan	Each part of Kaiser develops an Emergency Operations Plan. Each plan includes: ✓ A designated Incident Commander and backup ✓ Command center structure ✓ Alert and notification procedures ✓ Alignment with the National Command Center
 Yearly Training	Each year training and at least one disaster exercise is held for all command center staff.
 Command Centers	Command centers may be physical or virtual. They coordinate information and resources.
 Reports	After-action reports are made after a disaster exercise or an actual disaster in order to make recommendations for future improvements to the plan.

Sources: Disaster Events, Emergency Management Practices, and Command Center Notifications Policy (Effective 04/01/2022)

External Disaster Summary



External Triage (An External Disaster Occurred)

Purpose

To activate the organization's Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) in response to an event that has occurred outside the facility that has or is likely to disrupt the facility's normal operations.

Used For

An external disaster such as an earthquake, tornado, fire, flooding or hurricane.

What to do

- If you are in the facility wait for instructions. If you are at home, check your email.
- You can request information or report your status depending on where you volunteer:
 - KSMC - Email VolunteerKSMC@kp.org
 - KWMC - Email KWMCcurrentvolunteer@kp.org

