

What Do You Need In A Survival Kit?

At a minimum, you should have the basic supplies listed below:

- □ Water: one gallon per person, per day (3-day supply for evacuation, 2-week supply for home)
- □ Food: non-perishable, easy-to-prepare items (3day supply for evacuation, 2-week supply for home)
- □ Flashlight
- □ Battery-powered or hand-crank radio (NOAA Weather Radio, if possible)
- □ Extra batteries
- □ First aid kit
- □ Medications (7-day supply) and medical items
- □ Multi-purpose tool
- □ Sanitation and personal hygiene items
- □ Copies of personal documents (medication list and pertinent medical information, proof of address, deed/lease to home, passports, birth certificates, insurance policies)
- □ Cell phone with chargers
- □ Family and emergency contact information
- Extra cash
- □ Emergency blanket
- □ Map(s) of the area

Consider the needs of all family members and add supplies to your kit:

- Medical supplies (*hearing aids with extra* batteries, glasses, contact lenses, syringes, etc)
- □ Baby supplies (*bottles, formula, baby food, diapers*)
- □ Games and activities for children
- Pet supplies (collar, leash, ID, food, carrier, bowl)
- □ Two-way radios
- □ Extra set of car keys and house keys
- □ Manual can opener

Additional supplies to keep at home or in your survival kit based on the types of disasters common to your area:

- □ Whistle
- □ N95 or surgical masks
- □ Matches
- □ Rain gear
- □ Towels
- □ Work gloves
- □ Tools/supplies for securing your home
- □ Extra clothing, hat, and sturdy shoes
- □ Plastic sheeting
- Duct tape
- □ Scissors
- □ Household liquid bleach
- □ Entertainment items
- □ Blankets or sleeping bags