

FEMA Hurricane Preparedness

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Protect Your Family

You can begin this process by gathering family members and making sure each person is well-informed on potential hazards and community plans. Discuss with them what you would do if family members are not home when a warning is issued.

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 - People with Disabilities and Other Special Needs Brochure ([PDF](#) 328KB, [TXT](#) 18KB)
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 - Preparing Your Pets for Emergencies Brochure ([PDF](#) 2MB, [TXT](#) 13KB)

Protect Your Property or Business

You can begin this process by gathering family members and making sure each person is well-informed on potential hazards and community plans. Discuss with them what you would do if family members are not home when a warning is issued.

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