

# EMERGENCY KIT CHECKLIST

Your basic home emergency kit should have enough supplies for 10 to 14 days.



## FOOD & WATER

- Water containers and/or water treatment supplies** (1 gallon per person per day)
- Dehydrated food & energy bars; canned food (can opener)**
- Pots and pans, plates and cups and utensils**
- Camping stove and fuel**
- Water Proof Matchers/Lighter**
- Fire extinguisher**
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## TOOLS & SHELTER

- Large multi-tool; wrench or pliers (to turn off utilities)**
- Dust mask (to filter contaminated air)**
- Plastic sheeting, work gloves and duct tape (to shelter-in-place)**
- 1 sleeping bag or warm blanket per person**
- Change of warm clothing**
- Sturdy, comfortable walking shoes**
- Scissors, towels, zip ties**
- Rain jacket and pants**
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## KIT STORAGE

- Plastic tub for a home kit**
- Backpack for a individual kit**



## FIRST AID & SANITATION

- First-aid kit or supplies**
- Prescription meds and medical items (like glasses or contacts)**
- Moist towelettes, hand sanitizer, waste bags and menstrual products**
- Towels**
- Household liquid bleach (no colors or additives) for disinfecting** (1 part bleach/9 parts water) **or water treatment** (16 drops in 1 gallon of water)
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## COMMUNICATION & LIGHTING

- Headlamp or flashlight**
- Whistle to signal for help**
- Battery-powered or hand-crank radio (for news and weather alerts)**
- Cell phones and chargers**
- Two-way radios (for short-range, phone-free communication)**
- Extra batteries for all electronics**
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## EVACUATION & DOCUMENTATION

- Extra set of home and car keys**
- Local maps**
- Cash (in small bills because businesses might not be able to make change)**
- Family contacts and a copy of your emergency plan**
- Copies of important documents** (Rx list, medical history, deed/lease to home, passports, birth certificates, insurance policies, etc.)
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## KIDS, PETS & ENTERTAINMENT

- Infant formula and bottles**
- Diapers**
- Pet food, ID, meds & supplies; extra water for your pet**
- Paper and pencil**
- Books, games, puzzles, including those for children**
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