

READY, SET, CHECK!

Get Started with these first steps.

As you complete each step, check the box. Complete the information below and save this card where it is easy to find it when you need it.

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Know what to prepare for

Flooding, tornadoes, landslides, sink holes. Learn about risks in your community.



Talk with those who know

Contact your local or county emergency management agency for guides, tips, and help.

Help at home

Find organizations in your community that are active during disasters and get involved!

Start with the basics...

Create a home fire escape plan and test your smoke alarms. Visit your local fire department for guides and tips.

then the "Not-As Basics"

Download the Ready PA Emergency Preparedness Guide to prepare for more.

Be informed when skies are blue...

Sign up for the Ready PA Monthly Newsletter



and when they're gray.

Sign up for weather alerts in your area.



Help your neighbors

Local volunteer fire departments need ALL skills including newsletters and fund raising. Contact your local fire department to find out more.

Safe at home...

Pick 3 items from the emergency or "go kit" list to have handy. Update the location of your kit on the back of this card.



and on the road.

Pick 3 items from the PennDOT travel emergency kit list to have in your car.



Get Social!

Follow PA Emergency Management on social media. Check your community website for emergency preparedness information.

You don't have to live in a flood zone to be at risk

Learn your risk of flooding.

Where it can rain, it can flood.



Be the help until help arrives



Take free training provided by FEMA to learn 5 simple steps.

Protect your loved ones...

Everyone's needs are unique. Consider additional preparations needed for older adults, younger kids, those who have a disability, and pets!



and your belongings.

Homeowners and renters insurance does not cover damage from flood. Talk with an insurance agent to learn about possible lower cost options.

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Get Ready Now. With your members of the household, decide what you will do in an emergency, where you will go, and how you will get in contact with each other. Print this or save it on your phone to so it is easy to find in an emergency.



Emergency Meeting Place:

Extra Planning Needs For:

Location of the "Emergency/Go Kit":
(if I have to leave my home or shelter in place)

IMPORTANT NUMBERS AND INFORMATION For emergencies, call 911. Reach Poison Control at 800-222-1222.

County Emergency Management Agency #:

Other:

Doctor: #:

Location of lists, go kits, and plans for extra planning needs:

Doctor: #:

Pediatrician: #:

Med Insurance: #:

Home/Rent Insurance: #:

Flood/Hazard Insurance:

Veterinarian: #: