**Household Emergency Plan**

**Practice dates:**

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**Shelter:**

Inside the house:

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Pets:

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| Name | Cell Number | Email Address |
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**Emergency Contact**

**Emergency Numbers:**

Police, Fire, Ambulance:

9-1-1

Other:

NJ 211: 2-1-1

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| --- | --- |
| Close Contact Name |  |
| Address |  |
| Cell Number |  |
| Email |  |
| Out-of-State Contact Name |  |
| Address |  |
| Cell Number |  |
| Email |  |

**Meeting Places**

Disaster Kit Checklist

1. Water

2. Non-Perishable Food

3. Flashlight

4. Phone chargers

5. Back-up Batteries

6. First Aid Kit

7. Medications

8. Blankets

9. Extra Clothes

10. Ponchos

11. Important Documents

12. Pet Supplies

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| Close Meeting Place |  |
| Address |  |
| Phone Number |  |
| Far Meeting Place |  |
| Address |  |
| Phone Number  |  |

**Phone Numbers**

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| --- | --- |
| Primary Doctor |  |
| Hospital |  |
| Electricity Provider |  |
| Insurance Provider |  |
| Childcare Provider |  |
| High School |  |
| Primary School |  |
| Friend |  |
| Friend |  |
| Friend |  |
| Neighbor |  |
| Neighbor |  |

**Medical Information**

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| Medication & Dosage | Who needs it? |
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**Useful Links and Resources:**

ReadyAtlantic.Org

NJ 2-1-1

Register Ready

FEMA

Ready.Gov

Atlantic-County.Org/OEP/

Become Disaster Response Crisis Counselor or Disaster Response Team Member

**Helpful Hints:**

* You should store *at least 1 gallon* of water per person for three days
* Know your area’s evacuation routes
* Make practice nights, family nights, so everyone is involved!
* Teach the importance of calling 9-1-1 to children
* Pets are valued members of the family, include items for them in your disaster kit

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Source: Get Ready Queensland

 qld.gov.au/getready

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**REPARING YOUR PLAN**

1. **RESEARCH** – hazards and disasters in your community.
* Which disasters could affect your community?
* Have you checked out your local Emergency Management plan?
* Ask about your emergency and evacuation plans at work, school, and/or childcare services.
* What local *resources* are available?
* Ask for local contacts and organizations in relation to disaster preparedness.
* Become familiar with weather warnings issued by the *National Weather Service*
1. **DISCUSS** – possible situations and solutions with your households
* Discuss each *threat* and the dangers each one poses.
* When are the most severe storm seasons?
* What local radio stations can you tune into it?
* Establish *two meeting places*, in case of emergency, *one close*, *one further away*
* Establish *two family members* and/or friends who *do not live* with you as emergency contacts in case you and your family get separated. Make sure everyone knows how to contact these people.
* Discuss medication conditions and medications, include in disaster kits
* Discuss pet preparations
1. **RECORD** – information on your emergency plan
* Family members names, numbers, school, work, and childcare information
* Details of meeting places
* Medical conditions, medications, doses, pharmacy and doctor numbers
* Pet information
1. **ENSURE** – *everyone is prepared*
* Prepare your emergency kit and store in a *safe, accessible* location
* Review and practice your family emergency plan at least 3 times a year
* Educate children on *how* and *when* to call 9-1-1, only use if the threat is life threatening, serious, or critical
* Make certain your household has a first aid kit, and that it is fully stocked.
* Make certain that household members know when, how and where to turn off the power, water, and/or gas supply in case of emergencies.
* Display your home emergency plan in visible places, keep a copy in your disaster kit, or with friends and family
* Consider becoming a DRCC or DRT in Atlantic county!