

It's important that you be prepared for emergencies and possible disasters. Natural or human caused disasters can strike suddenly at any time and anywhere.

Get involved. Make a plan. Join other members of your community to get prepared.

You never know how many people your action will affect and How many lives you might save.

Please tick the appropriate box

My house could possibly be affected by the following severe events:

- Flood
- Earthquake
- Sea surge
- Landslide
- Industrial accident
- Hurricane
- Volcano
- Tsunami
- Bush/forest fire

If I stay at home, I will do the following to protect my home and myself from disaster:

Flood:
 I will install sandbags and other flood barriers

Bush forest fire:
 I will clear dry bush from around the house to prevent fire from spreading

Earthquake:
 I will secure large objects which can fall and injure family members

Hurricane:
I have the following protection for my windows and glass doors:
 Shutters Plywood (1/2 inch or thicker)
 I have other barrier materials
 None purchased as yet

Other: _____

The shut-off valves are located:

- Water _____
- Electricity _____
- Gas _____

I have copies of important papers and I've put them in a waterproof container that's safe from fire.

Yes No

The following documents are safely secured in a known location.

- | Yes | No | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Birth, marriage and other certificates |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Personal ID cards/ papers/ passport |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Land & building deeds/ rental agreement |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | Insurance & other policies |

In the event of hurricane, I have identified a safe room:

Yes No

If I have to evacuate, I will go to:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

My closest emergency shelter is:

I have made proper arrangements to go there:

Yes No

I have a survival kit: Yes No

I have notified my family/friends of our plans:

Yes No

If at work or school: Where will I go if I cannot get home?

Name and type of pets/ livestock you own:

What will I do with my pets/livestock if I have to leave my home?:

Do I have a car or boat?: Yes No

How will I secure that car or boat?:

Family Emergency Contact Numbers

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

FIRE: _____

POLICE: _____

HOSPITAL: _____

FAMILY DOCTORS: _____

In case of emergency at home, I will evacuate to: _____

In case of emergency at work or school, I will evacuate to: _____

Family Survival Kit for at least 3 days

- Food items (non-perishable)
- Water 2-6 litres per person, per day (for drinking & cooking)
- Hygiene supplies soap, toothbrushes & toothpaste, feminine products
- Essential medications
- First aid supplies
- Matches
- Can opener & kitchen knife
- Transistor radio
- Torch & batteries /lamps & fuel/whistle
- Bedding
- Reading glasses
- Copies of important documents
- Pet food



Family Emergency/ Disaster Plan

Public Seismic Network Inc.
Portsmouth, Dominica



NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____