

**ARE YOU
READY?**



**FEDERAL
EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT
AGENCY**

**HURRICANES ARE ONE OF
NATURE'S MOST POWERFUL
AND DESTRUCTIVE STORMS.**

**NEW HAVEN'S COASTAL
LOCATION MAKES US
VULNERABLE TO STORMS
AND FLOODING**

**PREPARE, PLAN AND
STAY INFORMED**

**INFORMATION
FROM
The City of
New Haven
Emergency
Operations Center**

203-946-8221

- ⇒ **Make An Emergency
Kit For Your Family**
- ⇒ **Have An Emergency
Evacuation Plan**
- ⇒ **Stay Informed**

**FOR EMERGENCIES
DAIL 911**

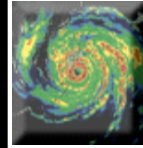
**STAY CALM &
PLEASE STAY INSIDE**

**City of
NEW HAVEN
Hurricane Tips**



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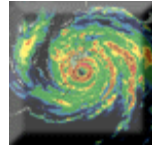


BEFORE THE STORM

- Make an evacuation plan.
- Replace batteries in portable radios and flashlights.
- Ensure you have enough water and non-perishable food on hand.
- Make sure gutters and down spouts are clean of debris.
- If you leave, notify relatives and friends of your destination.
- Secure ALL yard furniture.

HURRICANE EVACUATION KIT

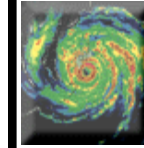
- Flashlight
- Battery-Operated Radio
- Extra Batteries
- First Aid Kit
- Blankets or Sleeping Bags
- Water and non-perishable food
- Extra Clothing
- Prescription Medications & Glasses
- Unique family needs, infant supplies
- Hygiene supplies (toothpaste, soap, razor, etc.)
- Important documents, including I.D., Insurance Policies, Drivers License, birth certificate



DURING THE STORM

- Check media outlets for official news of the storm's progress.
- Stay inside your home. DO NOT leave unless told to by emergency officials.
- Turn off all propane tanks and utilities as instructed.
- Unplug small appliances.
- Stay away from windows and doors.
- Turn refrigerator to coldest setting and keep closed.
- Fill a bathtub, sink or large containers with water for sanitary purposes.
- Do not use candles

LEAVE IMMEDIATELY IF TOLD BY EMERGENCY OFFICIALS TO DO SO.



AFTER THE STORM

- Check media outlets for official news of the storm passing and road conditions.
- Wait until an area is declared safe before entering and Avoid Disaster Area's.
- Stay away from moving water and watch for downed wires.

FOR ALL EMERGENCIES PLEASE REMEMBER TO DIAL 911

