

HURRICANE

PREPAREDNESS GUIDE

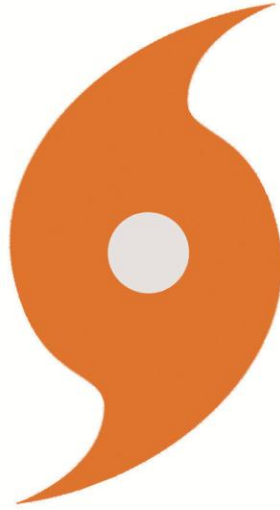
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HURRICANE CATEGORIES

CATEGORY 1 74-95 MPH

CATEGORY 2 96-110 MPH

CATEGORY 3 111-130 MPH

CATEGORY 4 131-155 MPH

CATEGORY 5 OVER 155 MPH

What to do when the storm approaches.

- Check your emergency evacuation supplies.
- Board up or put storm shutters on windows.
- Clear your yard of loose objects, bicycles, lawn furniture, trash cans.
- If you are a boat owner, secure your boat.

What to do if staying at home.

- Ensure you have a disaster supplies kit.
- Stay inside and away from the windows and doors.
- If you are in a two-story house, remain on the first floor.
- Ensure you have a week's supply of non-perishable foods.
- Turn refrigerator to maximum cold and keep closed.
- Turn off propane tanks and unplug small appliances.
- Keep five-gallon bottles of bath water in case tap water is unavailable.

Your Insurance Policy

- Have an insurance check-up with your agent before hurricane season
- Know where your insurance documents are. Take them with you if you evacuate.
- Unless instructed by your insurers only make emergency repairs necessary to prevent further damage to your home or business. Be sure to keep receipts.
- Don't make permanent repairs without first consulting the insurer.
- Take photos before making any repairs.

Important Numbers

Police: 919 or 911 or 322-4444 | NEMA: 322-6081 | BASRA: 325-8864 | PMH Hospital: 322-2861 | Doctors Hospital: 302-4747
BEC Power Outage: 323-5561/4 | Red Cross: 323-7370 | Air Ambulance: 377-1606 | Sunshine Insurance: 394-0011/2 or 322-3511/2

- Water (1 gallon p/p per day)
- Canned juices, milk, soup
- Ready-to-eat canned meats
- Medicines and vitamins
- Food for infants
- Food for the elderly or sick
- Cash
- Battery-operated radio
- Flashlight, tape, batteries
- Fully charged cell phone
- Matches
- Non-electric can opener

- Map of area (for shelters)
- Shut-off wrench
- Toilet paper
- Feminine hygiene items
- Liquid soap
- Chlorine bleach
- Plastic garbage bags & ties

For Family Pets

- Food, water
- Pet medications
- Leash, carrier, harness



- Absorbent compress 5" x 9" dressing
- Adhesive bandages
- Antibiotic ointment packets
- Antiseptic wipe packets
- Aspirin (Chewable/Baby)
- Gloves (non-latex)
- Hydrocortisone ointment
- Scissors
- Thermometer, oral (non-mercury)
- Tweezers

Records and Documents

Passport
Family records
Immunization records
Will(s)
House deeds



Prepare your vehicle:

Fill car with fuel
Check vehicle's fluid levels.
Ensure coolant is in the radiator
Check tire pressure. Spare tire, too
Have jack, wrench and flashlight



5 Gallons
of water
per person
per day

Quick
Tip

After the storm:

- 1) Proceed with caution. Many power lines and tree branches may have fallen. Look around your surroundings.
- 2) Do NOT touch items that may be touching a power line. Call the Bahamas Electricity Corporation or 919 to report it.
- 3) Stay off the road until officials give the "all clear" as roads may be flooded or blocked by debris.
- 4) Do NOT allow your children to wade in standing waters as fallen power lines may be in the water.
- 5) Do NOT turn on electrical equipment until you confirm that there is no water damage near electrical supplies.

DISASTER CHECKLIST