

## **EMERGENCY KIT CHECKLIST**

In an emergency you and your household need to be self-sufficient for 3 days.

SPECIAL ITEMS		
Baby needs e.g. nappies	Fuel for car	Whistle
Wind—up or battery- operated radio	In a waterproof wallet: cash for one week	Photographs of valuable household items
WATER	TOOLS AND SUPPLIES	FIRST AID KIT
Water in plastic containers	Sturdy gloves Can opener	Replace any used contents
Three days' supply	Eating utensils	Special medical supplies
FOOD	Battery operated	or equipment
Minimum 3 day supply	torches-take batteries out.	CLOTHING AND BEDDING
Non-perishable food	Spare batteries	One set per person
Canned food	Utility knife	Rain gear e.g. poncho
Vitamins	Toilet paper	Blanket/sleeping bag
Special needs food	Soap/detergent	Hat
Comfort foods	Personal hygiene items	Work gloves
USB WITH DOCUMENTS	Duct tape	Sunglasses
Scans or photocopies of	Plastic sheeting or tarps	Contact lenses or glasses
important documents	Mobile phone+charger	SENTIMENTAL ITEMS
Passports	Insect repellent	Family records
Driver's licences	Sunscreen	Photographs
Testaments	Paper and pencil	COMFORT FOR KIDS
Marriage and birth certificates	Rope and chains for securing outdoor items	Activities like books, puzzles and toys
Land Titles	Extension cords	PETS
Immunisation record/s	Waterproof matches	Pet food and supplies
Bank account no.	Charged powerbanks	EMERGENCY CONTACTS
Emergency household	Basic tools e.g. plier,	Important phone numbers
plan	wrench, pocket knife	
Insurance policies	Hand sanitizer	
Emergency contacts	Rubbish bags	
	Dust masks – per person	
	12-hour glow stick	
	Utility sheet	

## STORAGE OF YOUR EMERGENCY KIT

- You will need a sturdy container, preferably waterproof e.g. box with wheels and watertight seal.
- Alternatively, you can use a large sports bag or a suitcase with wheels.
- Store your emergency kit in an accessible, cool and dry place.
- Mark your emergency kit clearly with e.g. reflective tape so you can easily see it darkness.
- Make sure everyone in your household and personal network knows where it is.

## ANNUAL REMINDER

- Set an annual reminder in your phone and/or on your calendar to check your kit.
- Make a note of any perishables and replace expired items.
- Your kit should be updated to reflect changes in your life such as the addition of children or pets, location changes, etc.