

# ❄️ WINTER DISASTER ❄️ Supply Kit Checklist

Winter emergencies and disasters can strike quickly, and without warning, often forcing you to evacuate or be confined to your home. Use these checklists to create a Winter Disaster Supply Kits designed to ensure your safety in your home or vehicle this winter.

## In Home Supply Kit

Avoid waiting in long lines for critical supplies before a storm or during a storm with this in-home supplies checklist.

- Water — one gallon per person, per day
- Food — it is a good idea to include foods that do not need cooking (canned, dried, etc.)
- Flashlight with extra batteries and bulbs (do not use candles)
- Battery-operated radio and extra batteries
- First aid kit and manual

- Medications (7-day supply) and medical items
- Multi-purpose tool
- Sanitation and personal hygiene items (toilet paper, plastic garbage bags)
- Copies of personal documents (medication list and pertinent medical information, deed/lease to home, birth certificates, insurance policies)
- Cell phone with an extra battery and charger
- Family and friends' emergency contact information
- Cash
- Emergency blanket
- Whistle (to attract the attention of emergency personnel)
- One change of clothing
- Manual can opener
- Pet supplies (including food and vaccination records)
- Extra set of keys (car, house, etc.)
- Pack of cards to provide entertainment and pass the time

## Cold Weather Clothing Supplies

It is possible that you may not have heat during or after a winter disaster. Be sure to have the following supplies, per person in the household, to be prepared:

- Jacket or coat
- Long pants and long-sleeve shirt - preferably long underwear or thermal gear
- Boots or sturdy warm shoes
- Hat, mittens and scarf
- Sleeping bag or warm blanket

## Cold Weather Vehicle Supplies

It is possible that you may need to leave your home before a storm, or may get caught off guard by a storm when in your vehicle. Be sure you are prepared with the following supplies in your vehicle before winter strikes.

- Flashlight with extra batteries and extra bulbs
- Maps
- First aid kit and manual

- Tire repair kit
- Jumper cables
- Flares & Fluorescent distress flag
- Bottled water
- Non-perishable foods such as granola bars
- Blanket
- Hat, mittens & extra coat
- Shovel, sand & tire chains
- Windshield scraper(s)

With this easy to use checklist you will have everything you need to be prepared for the winter in your home and vehicle. We suggest storing all items in easily accessible large containers to help stay organized.

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