

Hurricane Supply List

Supply List · 30 items · 6 sections

Be hurricane-ready with this complete supply list, covering pre-storm preparation, evacuation essentials, shelter-in-place supplies, and post-storm recovery.

Open the editable version online:

<https://genechecklist.com/checklist/hurricane-supply-list>

BEFORE THE STORM

- Fill bathtubs and containers with fresh water
HIGH
Do this as soon as a hurricane watch is issued
- Fuel up the car to a full tank
HIGH
- Charge all phones, power banks, and batteries
HIGH
- Board up or shutter windows
HIGH
- Bring outdoor furniture and loose items inside
HIGH
- Sandbags (to protect doorways and vents)
HIGH

WATER AND FOOD

- Bottled water (1 gallon per person per day, 5+ days)
HIGH
- Non-perishable food (5-7 day supply)
HIGH
- Manual can opener
HIGH
- Camp stove with extra fuel
HIGH
Never use indoors: carbon monoxide risk
- Cooler with ice (for medications and perishables)
HIGH

LIGHT AND POWER

- Torch and headtorch (with extra batteries)
HIGH
- Battery-powered or hand-crank weather radio
HIGH
- Portable power bank (large capacity)
HIGH
- Generator (with enough fuel for 3+ days)
Never run indoors or near windows: carbon monoxide risk
- Candles and waterproof matches

SAFETY AND HEALTH

- First aid kit
HIGH
- Prescription medications (7-day extra supply)
HIGH
- Emergency foil blankets
HIGH
- Dust masks / N95 respirators
For post-storm cleanup: protects against debris and mould
- Heavy-duty work gloves

EVACUATION KIT

- Waterproof grab bag / go bag (ready to evacuate in 5 minutes)
HIGH
- Copies of important documents (waterproof bag)
HIGH
ID, insurance, medical records, bank info
- Cash in small bills
HIGH
- Phone charger and cable
HIGH
- Change of clothing and sturdy shoes
HIGH
- Pet carrier and pet supplies (if applicable)
HIGH

RECOVERY

- Tarpaulins / roof tarps (for post-storm damage)
- Chainsaw or handsaw (for fallen tree branches)
- Bleach and cleaning supplies (for flood cleanup)