

Hurricane Prepper Checklist (Printable PDF)

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Scaled for a Family of 3 (14 days). Add +33% per additional person.

Water

- ☐ 126 gallons stored water (3 gallons \times 14 days \times 3 people)
- ☐ 55-gallon water drums (x2)
- ☐ 7-gallon stackable containers (x6)
- ☐ Collapsible water containers (x3)
- ☐ Portable water filters (x2)
- ☐ Bulk family water filter (x1)
- ☐ Water purification tablets (50+)
- ☐ 1 gallon unscented bleach

Food

- ☐ Canned vegetables (30)
- ☐ Canned beans (20)
- ☐ Canned meats (20)
- ☐ Canned soups/chili/stew (20)
- ☐ White rice (20 lbs)
- ☐ Pasta (10 lbs)
- ☐ Rolled oats (10 lbs)
- ☐ Peanut butter (3 jars)

- ☐ Powdered milk (1 container)
- ☐ Protein bars (30)
- ☐ Freeze-dried meals (36)
- ☐ MREs (9)
- ☐ Instant noodles (15 packs)
- ☐ Ground coffee (1 lb)
- ☐ Tea bags (50)
- ☐ Chocolate/candy (assorted)

Power & Lighting

- ☐ Portable generator (2,000–3,500 watts)
- ☐ Solar generator + solar panels
- ☐ Gasoline (15 gallons, treated)
- ☐ Propane tanks (x2, 20 lb)
- ☐ Extension cords (x2, heavy-duty)
- ☐ Battery banks (x3, 20,000 mAh each)
- ☐ LED lanterns (x2)
- ☐ Flashlights (x6)
- ☐ Headlamps (x3)
- ☐ Glow sticks (x12)
- ☐ Spare batteries (AA, AAA, D-cell)

Shelter & Safety

- ☐ Window protection: plywood or shutters
- ☐ Sandbags (30+)
- ☐ Heavy-duty tarps (x2)
- ☐ Duct tape (x2 rolls)

- ☐ Tool kit: hammer, nails, screwdrivers, pliers
- ☐ Work gloves (x3 pairs)
- ☐ Safety goggles (x3)
- ☐ Fire extinguishers (x2)

Communication

- ☐ NOAA weather radio (solar/hand-crank)
- ☐ GMRS/FRS radios (x4)
- ☐ HAM handheld radio (x1)
- ☐ Rechargeable batteries (spares)
- ☐ Solar chargers (x2)
- ☐ Car phone charger adapters (x2)
- ☐ Waterproof phone cases (x3)
- ☐ Dry bags (x3)

Medical

- ☐ Trauma-grade first aid kit
- ☐ Prescription meds (42-day supply per person)
- ☐ OTC pain relievers (ibuprofen, acetaminophen)
- ☐ Antihistamines
- ☐ Anti-diarrheal meds
- ☐ Electrolyte packets (x15)
- ☐ Antacids
- ☐ Digital thermometer
- ☐ N95 masks (x6)
- ☐ Rubber gloves (x10 pairs)

Hygiene & Sanitation

- ☐ Baby wipes (x10 packs)
- ☐ Bar soap (x6)
- ☐ Hand sanitizer (x3 bottles)
- ☐ Toothpaste (x3 tubes)
- ☐ Toothbrushes (x3)
- ☐ Toilet paper (21 rolls)
- ☐ Trash bags (x30, contractor grade)
- ☐ Bleach (1 gallon)
- ☐ Portable toilet or bucket with liners
- ☐ Feminine hygiene supplies (14-day supply)
- ☐ Rubber boots (x3 pairs)

Bug-Out Bags (1 per person = 3 total)

- ☐ 3 gallons water
- ☐ 3 days' food (MREs, protein bars, freeze-dried)
- ☐ Flashlight + spare batteries
- ☐ Multitool
- ☐ Fixed-blade knife
- ☐ Poncho / rain gear
- ☐ Change of clothes + socks
- ☐ Compact first aid kit
- ☐ Local & regional maps (printed)
- ☐ Cash (small bills)
- ☐ Copies of ID (waterproof pouch)
- ☐ Lightweight blanket or emergency bivvy
- ☐ Whistle

Critical Documents & Extras

- ☐ Waterproof folder with insurance, medical, passports, IDs
- ☐ Cash (\$200–\$500 in small bills)
- ☐ Spare house & car keys
- ☐ Extra eyeglasses or contacts
- ☐ Camp stove + spare fuel canisters
- ☐ Books/cards/games for morale