A checklist of Earthquake supplies



Print out a copy of this earthquake supplies checklist and add any personal needs that aren't covered. Then keep the checklist and items on it handy. Keep supplies at home, in your car and at work. You never know when you'll need them. (H-Home, C-Car, W-Work)

| | Flashlights with batteries stored separately H,C,W |
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| | Portable radio with extra batteries H,C,W |
| | Spare batteries H,C,W |
| | Fire extinguisher H,C |
| | Pipe wrench and adjustable wrench for turning off gas and water (Most telephone books contain |
| | instructions on how to do this, and give other disaster information.) H |
| | One week's food and bottled water sufficient for each member of your household (don't forget |
| | pet food). Canned goods have a shelf life of one year for maximum freshness. Periodically rotate |
| | into normal meals. H |
| | Manual can opener H |
| | Matches, lighter fluid and charcoal (to be used only after determining there are no gas leaks |
| | in the area). To avoid carbon monoxide poisoning, charcoal should be burned outdoors only. H |
| | Disposable plates and utensils H |
| | Large trash bags H,C |
| | Hammer, screwdriver and pliers H |
| | Knife or razor blade H,C |
| | Blankets H,C,W |
| | Medications as required H,C,W |
| | Emergency telephone numbers H,C,W |
| | Extra clothing and shoes C,W |
| | A plan for reuniting your family |
| | First aid kit H, C |