




# Hurricane Preparedness Guide








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# Review Your Insurance Policy

-  Ensure adequate coverage and confirm renewal and payment dates
-  Consider additional coverage like Flood Insurance—flood damage is likely not covered by your Home Insurance policy
-  Print & email copies of your policies to keep in your emergency kit



# Preventative Home Maintenance

-  Schedule annual professional inspections for roof, foundation, & drainage systems
-  Clean your gutters, downspouts, & drains
-  Plan for reinforcing your garage door with bracing or upgrades
-  Install storm shutters or precut plywood for windows
-  Trim trees & shrubs around the home



# Create or Update Your Home Inventory



Your Home Inventory is a list of belongings that will significantly streamline claims



Don't have one? Get started now and use Orion180's template



Have one? Update your existing inventory with new purchases



# Develop an Emergency Plan

- Discuss evacuation routes, meeting points, & communication plans with your family
- Plan for your pets, including transportation, pet-friendly shelters, & supplies
- Plan for special needs, like necessary medication or medical equipment
- Identify a safe room for sheltering in place: the lowest level of your home and away from windows



# Build Your Emergency Kit



Water



Whistle



Food (non-perishable)



Dust masks



Power bank or extra batteries



Plastic sheeting & duct tape



Radio



Personal sanitation items



Flashlight & extra batteries



Wrench, pliers, & can opener



First aid kit



Local maps



# Additional Kit Items to Consider



Medications & glasses



Sleeping bags or warm blankets



Baby formula & diapers



Clothing



Pet food, water, & supplies



Fire extinguisher



Important documents



Matches in waterproof container



Cash



Paper & pencil



First aid book



Books, games, activities for kids