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DISASTER SUPPLY CHECKLIST

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In your pet disaster kit, you should include:

- ☐ **Food and water for at least five days** for each pet, bowls and a manual can opener if you are packing canned pet food.
- ☐ **Medications and medical records** stored in a waterproof container and a first aid kit. A pet first aid book is also good to include.
- ☐ **Cat litter box, litter,** garbage bags to collect all pets' waste, and litter scoop.
- ☐ **Sturdy leashes, harnesses, and carriers** to transport pets safely and to ensure that your pets can't escape. Carriers should be large enough for the animal to stand comfortably, turn around and lie down. Your pet may have to stay in the carrier for hours at a time while you are away from home. Be sure to have a secure cage with no loose objects inside it to accommodate smaller pets. These may require blankets or towels for bedding and warmth, and other special items.
- ☐ **Current photos and descriptions** of your pets to help others identify them in case you and your pets become separated and to prove that they are yours.
- ☐ **Pet beds and toys**, if you can easily take them, to reduce stress.
- ☐ **Information about your pets'** feeding schedules, medical conditions, behavior problems, and the name and number of your veterinarian in case you have to board your pets or place them in foster care.

Other useful items include newspapers, paper towels, plastic trash bags, grooming items and household bleach.

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