

ARE YOU PREPARED FOR EARTHQUAKES?



Be aware of seismic activity in your area.

Learn your earthquake risks and systems for community emergency alerts including NOAA.



Consider getting earthquake insurance

if you live in a high-risk area since standard homeowners insurance does not cover earthquake damage.



Keep an emergency kit

with water, food, medications, infant and pet supplies, important documents, insurance info, and key telephone numbers.



Identify safe spaces

in your home, workplace and/or school. Plan a family meeting spot and out of state contact, and keep your home up to proper safety standards.

- ✓ **Drop, cover, and hold on!** Hide under sturdy furniture, not in a doorway, and cover your head and torso.
- ✓ **If caught outdoors,** move away from buildings, powerlines, trees and street lights and stay low.
- ✓ **If in a car** avoid bridges and overpasses. Stop your car and keep your seatbelt on.
- ✓ **Beware of falling rocks and landslides,** which could occur during an earthquake.
- ✓ **If you smell gas after an earthquake,** leave the building immediately.
- ✓ **If power lines fall on your car** during an earthquake, **do not exit!** Wait for help.



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