

<p><b><u>Food and Water</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Food: Two weeks supply; place dry food in airtight containers (rotate every 3 months)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Usual Treats (Rotate every 3 months)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Water: Two week supply of water (store in dark place, rotate every 2 months) Estimate a quart a day</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Spoons and can opener, if necessary</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Care and Comfort</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Blanket</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Toys and chew toys</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Hot water bottle</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight and batteries</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Grooming supplies</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Dental cleaning supplies</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Restraint and Identification</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Extra collars or harnesses with tags (Identification tag, rabies tag, license)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Leashes, including a nylon slip leash</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Towels</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Muzzle or roll of gauze to make a muzzle (in case your dog is injured)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Thick leather gloves (in case your dog is injured or very afraid)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Dog life preserver (if in flood zone)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Pet carrier with the following information indelibly printed: your name; phone number' address; a description of your dog (distinguishing marks, age, breed, sex, spayed, neutered, etc.) the name of your dog; microchip ID; pet insurance information; address and phone of contact person if you are not at home</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Recent photographs with the same information that is on the pet carrier printed on back (keep in a waterproof container, e.g. inside several zip lock bags). Include yourself in some of the photos to help reclaim your pet, should it become lost or separated.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Wire, pliers, and duct tape (to repair pet carrier).</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Records and Medications</u></b> <b><u>(Store in water proof container)</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Vaccination certificates</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> List of phone numbers, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Your veterinarian:</li> <li>o Secondary vet:</li> <li>o "Pet-Friendly" Hotels:</li> <li>o Boarding Facilities (Red Cross Shelters may NOT allow pets)</li> <li>o Emergency Clinic(s):</li> <li>o Microchip database center:</li> <li>o Animal Poison Control Center:</li> <li>o Animal shelters in your area:</li> <li>o Pet insurance policy number:</li> </ul> </li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Copies of proof of ownership papers (registration information, adoption papers, proofs of purchase, and microchip/tattoo information to store in the evacuation kit). List each of your animals and their species/breed, age, sex, color, and other distinguishing characteristics.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Medical records and/or list of medical needs, if your dog has a medical condition or is on medications</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Two weeks supply of medication and any supplements (including at least one does of your monthly heartworm preventive) in a waterproof container (rotate every 2 months). Have chemical ice packs and a small insulated cooler if medication needs refrigeration.</li> </ul>
<p><b><u>Sanitation</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Paper Towels</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Dish Soap</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Disinfectant</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Garbage Bags</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Plastic bags for holding waste (2 weeks supply)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Parasite prevention (flea, tick, worm products)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> If your dog is taking medication regularly, include that information on a separate ID tag</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> If your dog becomes fearful during storms, sudden changes in routine, or separation from you, contact your veterinarian regarding tranquilizers or calming remedies that could help in your kit.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> First aid kit</li> </ul>

A large plastic tub or garbage can with a lid can be used to store these disaster preparedness items for your dog. Tape a copy to the inside of the cover for future reference. Include a calendar indicating when items need to be rotated.