EARTHQUAKE









THE BIG QUAKE 89

On October 17th, 1989 a magnitude 6.9 quake rocked the Bay Area. The Loma Prieta Peak centered quake left extensive damage and lasted 15 seconds. Earthquakes can't be predicted and can be devastating. Are you prepared?



HOW TO PREPARE?







PACK

Assign an out of town contact as the center for family communication in

EMERGENCY

CONTACT

case your family gets separated.

Have a post quake evacuation plan ready and practice at least twice a

SAFE LOCATION

SECURE YOUR THINGS

Store heavy things on lower shelves

Secure cupboard doors

Attach tall heavy furniture to floor and walls.

WATER & FOOD

(1 gallon per person per day)

A 3-day supply of water

Freeze dried camping food and non-perishables (for 7-14 days)

DOCUMENTS &

Keep a copy of all important documents (insurance, passports, birth

CASH

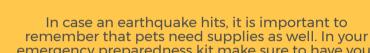
your other survival items. **EMERGENCY** KIT

certificates) and cash with

emergency kit for you and your family alongside any medications.

3 - 7 days earthquake





emergency preparedness kit make sure to have your pet's supplies such as food, identification, hygiene bags, and a leash.

PETS

In case an earthquake hits, it is important to





STAY



Items like car repair kits, walkie talkies, tents, tools,

your preparedness pack.

DON'T FORGET!

WHAT TO DO AFTER?



SAFE







OUTDOORS KEEP AWAY FROM BUILDINGS

Watch for falling materials.

Avoid broken pipes and

fallen power lines.

DRIVING

PULL OVER, SET THE BREAK, STAY IN THE CAR!

If near a downed power line, wait in your car for help

Stay in until the shaking

stops.

COMMUNICATE Locate and turn on your crank radio for updates.

If phone service is available text rather

than calling. Reach out to family members.

If internet available, check current

information on Social Media as well.



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or fire ring.

location.

Find an existing fire pit



Pits should be at least 15 feet away from your tent, shrubs, trees, or flammable objects.

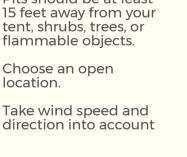
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allowed. DO NOT build a

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campfire unless

campfire in hazardous dry and/or windy



DONT'S

conditions.



local emergency services.

STAY AWARE

The fallout of an earthquake can mean several after shocks, fires, and the absence phone and internet services. It is important to stay aware of the ongoing situation and maintain constant contact with your

WHAT ABOUT FIRE SAFETY?



AT HOME

If someone smokes outside your home, maintain a 3 foot clearing around the smoker.

again.

DO NOT burn debris in the backyard in windy

or dry conditions.

NEVER burn trash,

DONT'S

Drown charcoal briquettes and

ash in lots of water, stir and soak

plastic, or tires - such items are illegal in several locations. DO NOT smoke on

trails or public parks.

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