

Whatever the emergency



HEATWAVE



STORM



FIRE

Expect the unexpected

Emergencies can be hard to predict and emergency services may be unable to reach you in a disaster.

What will you do for the first 72 hours if you have no services, such as:



NO POWER



NO WATER



NO GAS



NO RECEPTION



NO ROAD ACCESS



LIMITED FOOD

Be Prepared

Prepare yourself and your family for a stressful emergency situation.

For 24/7 crisis support call Lifeline 13 11 14 or Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

Develop a Plan

Use your plan and support network to help you through this time.



Cardinia Shire Council
1300 787 624
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Collaboration between:

Alpine & Moira Shire Councils

In conjunction with:

Country Fire Authority
Victoria State Emergency Service
Albury Wodonga Ethnic Communities Council

In consultation with:

Hume Region Municipal Emergency
Management Enhancement Group

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What are you going to do?



You can handle any emergency better if you are prepared!



1.



Make an emergency plan

WHO ...

do I need to consider?
do I need to tell?

WHAT ...

do I need to know?
do I need to do?

WHERE ...

will I go?
do I get information?
do I keep my plan?

HOW ...

will I get there?
will I get there - plan B?

WHY ...

do I need to make a plan?

TO SUPPORT PLANNING:



To prepare for fire
cfa.vic.gov.au



To prepare for flood and storm
ses.vic.gov.au



Set up a watch zone
emergency.vic.gov.au



Rediplan
redcross.org.au/prepare

2.



Back up information

Important things to save:

- Your emergency plan
- Identification (to prove who you are)

DOCUMENTS

- Insurance policies
- Property documents
- Medical information and prescriptions
- Financial records

HOME INVENTORY

- Photos of possessions
- Photos of house assets
- Receipts, warranties etc.

CONTACT LIST

- Family
 - Utility providers
 - Other:
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3.



Prepare a kit

Gather and store items ready to support you and your family for 72 hours:



WATER



MEDICATION



RADIO & BATTERIES



TORCH



DOCUMENTS



FOOD



FIRST AID



CLOTHES



TOILETRIES



MONEY



PHONE & CHARGER



PET'S NEEDS



CHILDREN'S NEEDS



GLASSES



WHAT ELSE?

4.



Stay informed

WARNINGS AND ADVICE

It is important to tune into official and accurate information channels to stay informed with the facts before, during and after an emergency.



VIC EMERGENCY

emergency.vic.gov.au
Hotline: 1800 226 226

Press 9 for interpreter



EMERGENCY RADIO BROADCAST

Frequency:

Warnings – It's important to read the whole warning for information on evacuations, Emergency Relief Centres and more.



FLOOD STORM EMERGENCY
132 500

If life threatening call triple zero 000