

Make Your Own

GO KIT



A GO KIT is a portable pack that includes food, water and basic supplies that will allow you to be self sufficient for 72 hours after an emergency event occurs. Below is a guide on how to make your own GO KIT so that you are prepared for the next emergency that your community faces.

Items to Include



Backpack, toolbox or any other easy to carry container

1 gallon of water per person per day



Non-perishable food items such as canned goods, applesauce, soup, or sealed peanut butter

First Aid Supplies and medications



Flashlight or battery-powered lantern



What else?

- Dust masks
- Garbage bags
- Local maps
- Extra batteries
- Matches in waterproof case
- Emergency blankets
- Hand crank or battery-powered radio
- Whistle to signal for help
- Wrench to turn off utilities
- Copies of important documents
- Change of clothes and shoes

Extra Considerations

- Waterproof case for documents
- Personal hygiene items
- Cell phone charger
- Small activities for children
- Supplies for pets



Have your

3-5 day

Supply Ready!

Questions?

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