

Pet emergency supplies checklist

Emergencies often require immediate evacuation, but they also can call for you to shelter in place or within your home for a period of time. Either way, an emergency bag or bin of supplies for yourself and your pet is an absolute must. Here is a basic emergency supply list for your pet.

- A two-week supply of wet and dry food and water
- Your pet's favorite toys and treats
- An extra supply of any necessary medication (Remember that a vet might not be available and that a crisis could last for a few days, a few weeks or more.)
- A list of your pet's medical needs, medicines taken (including dosing frequency), veterinary contact information
- Copies of current vaccination records
- A collar with a current ID tag or microchip that includes your cell phone number
- Blanket
- A crate labeled with your pet's name and your contact information (Use masking tape and a permanent marker.)
- A well-worn sweater or sweatshirt to put inside the crate so that your pet, surrounded by your scent, will be more comfortable while traveling
- Extra poop bags
- For cats, a small bag of litter and litter pan
- Towels
- Bowls
- Can opener and spoons

