



## Boone County

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## Emergency Kit Checklist

Creating an emergency kit for each member of your household, including pets, is one simple step you can take to be better prepared. After an emergency, you should be prepared to survive on your own for at least 3 days. It is possible you will need to survive on your own for up to a few weeks, depending on the disaster. This kit is a collection of basic items your household may need in the event of an emergency.

### Basic Disaster Supplies

- Water (One gallon per person per day for several days, for drinking & sanitation)
- Food (At least a 3-day supply of non-perishable foods)
- Manual Can Opener
- Battery-powered or hand crank radio & a NOAA Weather Radio with tone alert
- Batteries
- Flashlight
- First Aid Kit
- Whistle
- Moist Towelettes, garbage bags & plastic ties
- Wrench, pliers, or multi tool (to turn off utilities)
- Local map of your neighborhood, county and state
- Cell phone
- Power bank (To charge phone in case of power outage)
- Poncho
- Family Emergency Contact Form
- Gloves (Leather work-type)
- Duct tape

### Additional Emergency Supplies

- Masks
- Medications (prescription & non-prescription)
- Eyeglasses &/ Contacts, cases and solution
- Infant formula, bottles, diapers, wipes, and diaper rash cream
- Pet supplies (See PET Preparedness Checklist)
- Emergency Financial First Aid Kit (See EFFAK)
- Cash and coins
- Important Family Documents
- Sleeping bag and warm blankets for each person
- Clothing
- Sturdy shoes
- Fire extinguisher
- Matches or lighter in a waterproof container
- Feminine Supplies and personal hygiene like hand sanitizer
- Mess kits, paper cups, plates, paper towels, and plastic utensils
- Paper, pencil, notepad
- Books, games, puzzles and other activities for children
- Mylar blanket
- Two-way radio
- Extra set of keys
- Bleach