

Preparing supplies for your pets

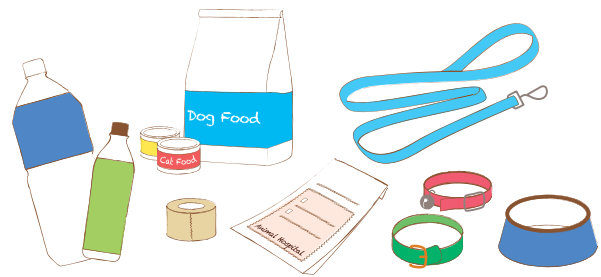
Make sure to stockpile necessary emergency supplies to take with you when you evacuate. As a rule, pet owners are responsible for providing supplies for their own pets. Since relief supplies may not be available immediately, make sure to have enough supplies to last for at least five days. Assign priorities to items to take with you during an evacuation, and organize your supplies so that you can take your high priority items on short notice.

Checklist

Priority 1

Items that are critical to life and health

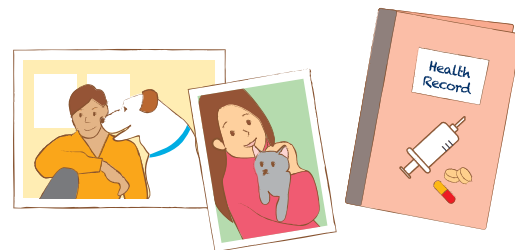
- Therapeutic foods and medication
- Food and water (at least 5 days' worth)
- Extra collar and leash (the leash should be fixed length, not retractable)
- Food bowls
- Cloth packing tape (for repairing cages and a variety of other uses)



Priority 2

Pet and owner information

- Pet owner contact numbers
- Photos of your pet
- Vaccination information
- Existing medical conditions, current health
- Regular veterinarian, etc.



Priority 3

Pet supplies

- Pet sheets
- Items for handling excrement
- Litter box items (for cats, make sure to include litter that your cat is used to)
- Towels
- Brush
- Toys
- Laundry net (large enough to hold your cat in), etc.



Save photos of your pet on your cell phone.
This can help identify you as the pet's owner.

