



NOAA Extreme Weather INFORMATION SHEET

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STATE INFORMATION

Department of State Civil Defense (www.scd.hawaii.gov)	808-733-4300
Official Site of the State of Hawaii	www.ehawaii.gov
Hawaii State Government Information Line	808-586-2211
Governor's Office (http://hawaii.gov/gov)	808-586-0034
National Weather Service Honolulu, HI (www.prh.noaa.gov/pr/hnl/)	808-973-5286
Attorney General (http://hawaii.gov/ag)	808-586-1500
Hawaii Tourism Authority (www.hawaii-tourism-authority.org/)	808-973-2255
Department of Agriculture (http://hawaii.gov/hdoa)	808-973-9560
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs (http://hawaii.gov/dcca/)	808-587-3222 or 1-800-394-1902
Department of Defense (http://hawaii.gov/dod)	808-672-1207
Department of Public Safety (http://hawaii.gov/psd)	808-587-1288
Department of Transportation (http://hawaii.gov/dot)	808-587-2160
Office of Veterans Services (http://hawaii.gov/dod/ovs)	808-433-0420
Department of Health (http://hawaii.gov/health)	808-586-4400
Adult Mental Health Division (www.amhd.org/access.asp)	808-832-3100 (Oahu) or 1-800-753-6879
Department of Human Resources Development (http://hawaii.gov/hrd)	808-587-1150
Department of Human Services (http://hawaii.gov/dhs)	808-586-4997
Department of Land and Natural Resources (http://hawaii.gov/dlnr)	808-587-0400
Hawaii Beach Safety	http://oceansafety.ancl.hawaii.edu/
Hawaiian Electric Company (HECO) (www.heco.com)	808-548-7961
Hawaii Electric Light Company (HELCO) (www.helcohi.com)	808-969-6666
Maui Electric Company (MECO) (www.mauielectric.com)	808-871-7777
Kaua'i Island Utility Cooperative (www.kiuc.coop/)	808-246-4300
U.S. Coast Guard District 14 (www.uscg.mil/d14)	1-800-818-8724

FOR EMERGENCIES CALL 911 • FOR NON-EMERGENCIES CALL 211

COUNTY INFORMATION

Honolulu

Emergency Management	808-723-8960
www1.honolulu.gov/dem/	
Police	808-529-3111
www.honolulupd.org/	
Fire	808-723-7139
www1.honolulu.gov/hfd/	
Water Board (Broken Water Mains)	808-748-5000
www.hbws.org/cssweb/	

Hawai'i

Civil Defense	808-935-0031 or 808-935-3311 (after hours)
www.co.hawaii.hi.us/cd/index.htm	
Police	808-961-2211
www.co.hawaii.hi.us/directory/dir_police.htm	
Fire	808-932-2900
www.co.hawaii.hi.us/directory/dir_fire.htm	
Water Department	808-961-8060
www.co.hawaii.hi.us/water/DWS-main.htm	

Kaua'i

Civil Defense	808-241-1800
www.kauai.gov/Government/Departments/CivilDefenseAgency/tabid/90/Default.aspx	
Police	808-241-1711
www.kauai.gov/default.aspx?tabid=298	
Fire	808-241-4980
www.kauai.gov/Government/Departments/FireDepartment/tabid/107/Default.aspx	
Water Department	808-245-5442
www.kauaiwater.org	

Maui

Civil Defense	808-270-7285
www.co.maui.hi.us/index.aspx?nid=70	
Police	808-244-6400
www.co.maui.hi.us/index.aspx?nid=122	
Fire	808-270-7561
http://www.co.maui.hi.us/index.aspx?NID=1460	
Water Department	808-270-7633
www.co.maui.hi.us/index.aspx?nid=126	

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NATIONAL INFORMATION

American Red Cross 1-866-GET-INFO (1-866-438-4636)
. www.redcross.org
Centers for Disease Control www.cdc.gov
Environmental Protection Agency www.epa.gov
Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) . . 1-800-621-FEMA (3362)
. www.fema.gov
Agencia Federal para el Manejo de Emergencias (FEMA) . . www.fema.gov/esp
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOAA www.noaa.gov
National Weather Service www.nws.noaa.gov
National Data Buoy Center www.ndbc.noaa.gov
Central Pacific Hurricane Center www.prh.noaa.gov/cphc/
Pacific Tsunami Warning Center http://ptwc.weather.gov/
National Oceanographic Data Center www.nodc.noaa.gov
National Coastal Data Development Center www.ncddc.noaa.gov
Coastal Services Center www.csc.noaa.gov
National Environmental Satellite, Data, and Information Service (NESDIS)
. www.nhc.noaa.gov/satellite.shtml
US Department of Homeland Security www.dhs.gov/index.shtm
USGS Volcanoes and Current Activity Alerts-Hawai'i . . http://volcanoes.usgs.gov/#



www.noaawatch.gov

NOAAWatch is a website offering information about ongoing environmental events. NOAAWatch explains the role of NOAA in prediction, monitoring, and recovery from environmental hazards. It provides public access to current information on a number of environmental threats ranging from oil spills, to hurricanes and tsunamis, to space weather.

National Weather Service Hawaiian RSS Feeds

Central Pacific Hurricane Advisories www.prh.noaa.gov/cphc/index-cp.xml
Tsunami Warnings for Hawai'i . . www.prh.noaa.gov/ptwc/feeds/ptwc_rss_hawaii.xml
Weather Forecast for Honolulu www.prh.noaa.gov/hnl/pages/xml.php?type=lsr
Surf Forecast for Honolulu www.prh.noaa.gov/hnl/xml/Surf.xml
Surf Discussion for Honolulu www.prh.noaa.gov/hnl/xml/SurfDiscussion.xml
Surf Reports for Honolulu www.prh.noaa.gov/hnl/pages/surfreports.php
Buoy Reports for Honolulu Area www.prh.noaa.gov/hnl/pages/marinereports.php

Emergency Alert System Radio Stations

KSSK 590 AM (Oahu)	KHLO 850 AM (Hilo)
KRTR 96.3 FM (Oahu)	KKBG 97.9 FM (Hilo)
KQNG 93.5 FM (Kaua'i)	KPUA 670 AM (Hilo)
KLEO 106.1 FM (Kona)	KWXX 94.7 FM (Hilo)
KAQY 101.5 FM (Kona)	KMVI 550 AM (Maui)

NOAA Weather Radio www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr/

Not manufactured by NOAA, NWR receivers can be purchased at many retail outlets and on the Internet

NOAA Weather Radio broadcasts National Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day. The radio program broadcasts on frequencies 162.550 and 162.400 in the Hawaiian Islands. Station KBA99 serves Kaua'i, Oahu, Molokai, Maui, Lanai, and parts of the Big Island on 162.550 MHz and 162.400 MHz. Station WWG27 serves parts of the Big Island on 162.550 MHz

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Preparing For Disaster

Being prepared for disaster is important. When disaster strikes, you may not have ample time to respond and ensure the resources you and your family need to survive are available. Moreover, hundreds of other families in your area share the same concerns, and it will be difficult to get access to the necessities you need due to shortages and competition. Do not wait until the last minute and get caught in this situation. Disaster-time civilian response requires sound decision-making and action to save the lives of families and friends.

When determining your emergency needs, plan for the long haul. In any major disaster scenario, it may take 72 hours or more for emergency personnel to reach you. Emergency preparedness kits should contain the essentials your family needs to survive during a disaster. Having two is ideal; a multi-purpose kit that with provisions for more activities for the home, and a transportable slimmed down kit with bare necessities for survival when on the go. Any preparations should be accompanied by an emergency plan. Know where your family is and how to keep in contact in the event of a disaster. Most of all keep informed. Find out what disasters you may be affected by and plan accordingly. Determine and manage your emergency needs as required.

Have a plan

Your family may not be together when disaster strikes, so it is important to plan in advance: how you will contact one another; how you will get back together; and what you will do in different situations.

It may be easier to make a long-distance phone call than to call across town, so an out-of-town contact may be in a better position to communicate among separated family members.

Be sure every member of your family knows the phone number and has coins or a prepaid phone card to call the emergency contact.

You may have trouble getting through, or the telephone system may be down altogether, but be patient. - **Family Emergency Plan**

You may also want to inquire about emergency plans at places where your family spends time: work, daycare and school. If no plans exist, consider volunteering to help create one. Talk to your neighbors about how you can work together in the event of an emergency. You will be better prepared to safely reunite your family and loved ones during an emergency if you think ahead and communicate with others in advance.

For more information visit

Hawai'i State Civil Defense

www.scd.hawaii.gov

or

Ready.gov

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