

Is Your Pet Prepared for a Natural Disaster?



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Getting a pet emergency bag ready to go in case you need to evacuate due to a natural disaster or other state of emergency is an important way to make sure your pets are prepared.

In addition to getting a sturdy and comfy crate or carrier ready for transporting your pet in an emergency, the Animal Rescue League of Boston recommends preparing a water-resistant backpack or lightweight bag with the following supplies:

- At least three days of food and water
- Portable food and water bowls
- Manual can opener and fork
- Litter or newspaper to shred and litter boxes
- Paper towels and trash bags for additional pet sanitation needs
- Bleach (dilute 9 parts water to 1 part bleach for cleaning)
- Pet first aid kit
- Collar with id tags
- Leashes
- Grooming items
- Medications and medical records stored in a waterproof container
- Toys
- Treats
- Bedding

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) also suggests having **a picture of you and your pet together** in case you become separated from your pet during an emergency.



Document ownership with a picture of you & your pets!

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