STORE

Store supplies so you can grab them quickly if you need to evacuate; know in advance what else you will need to take. Take time now to make a list of the things you would need or want to take with you if you had to leave your home quickly. Store the basic emergency supplies in a "Go Bag" or other container and be ready to grab other essential items quickly before leaving. Remember to include specialized items for people with disabilities and others with access or functional needs, such as older adults, children, and those with Limited English Proficiency. For a full list of supplies for your emergency supply kit, visit www.ready.gov/build-a-kit.

When making your list, consider the Five Ps of Evacuation:

PEOPLE	PRESCRIPTIONS	PAPERS
People and, if safely possible, pets and other animals/ livestock	Prescriptions, with dosages; medicines; medical equipment; batteries or power cords; eyeglasses; and hearing aids	Papers, including important documents (hard copies and/or electronic copies saved on external hard drives or portable thumb drives)

PERSONAL NEEDS

Personal needs—such as clothes, food, water, first aid kit, cash, phones, and chargers and items for people with disabilities and others with access and/or functional needs, such as older adults, children, and those with Limited English Proficiency

PRICELESS ITEMS

Priceless items, including pictures, irreplaceable mementos, and other valuables

Store the important documents you will need to start your recovery.

Review your homeowners or renters insurance policy and also prepare or update a list of your home's contents by photographing or videotaping each room in the house. If your home or business sustains significant damage, you will need access to insurance and rental or mortgage agreements to file a claim or request assistance from government programs. During recovery, you may also need access to personal information such as medical insurance and prescriptions or warranties for durable medical equipment. The Emergency Financial First Aid Kit (EFFAK) can help you identify the records you will want to keep safe. This document is available at **www.ready.gov/financialpreparedness**. Keep papers in a fireproof, waterproof box. If records are stored electronically, keep a backup drive in your fireproof, waterproof box or store files using a secure cloud-based service.