In a disaster, you may need help. Be Ready.

Emergencies can happen at a moment's notice. For Georgians with disabilities, disasters such as fires, floods and severe weather present unique challenges. By evaluating your own needs, making an emergency plan and creating a personal support network, you can be better prepared for any situation.

CREATE A READY KIT

Be prepared to make it on your own for up to 72 hours following a disaster. In addition to food, water and other supplies, customize your Ready kit by including necessary items:

- Extra eyeglasses, hearing aids, battery chargers and/or oxygen
- One-week supply of all medications, along with a list of dosage, treatment and allergy info, and copies of medical insurance and Medicare cards
- Emergency contact information for doctors, relatives or friends
- A list of names, models, serial and VIN numbers for all assistive technologies, as well as supplies for your service animal

BE PREPARED WITH A PLAN

After a disaster, you may not have access to a medical facility or a drugstore, so it's crucial to plan for the resources you use regularly and determine what you would do if those resources are limited or unavailable. Create a support network and let them know where you keep your emergency supplies.

STAY INFORMED

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