

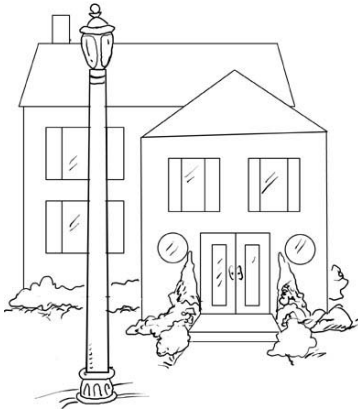


Family Communication Plan

Name _____ Date _____

Family members are not always together when a disaster strikes, but your family can get back together if you have a plan. Be sure that every member of your family knows where to meet and whom to call. Choose emergency contacts that everyone knows and can easily reach. Do not forget to let the contacts know that members of your family may call them in an emergency.

Directions: Fill out this sheet with the members of your family.



Set up two family meeting places.

1. One right outside the building in case you need to leave home in an emergency, such as a fire. (For example, your meeting place could be at the street light in front of home, under the tree with the tire swing, next door at the Smith's front gate.)

Meeting place _____

2. One outside of your neighborhood in case you cannot get back home when a disaster happens. (For example, your meeting place could be at your grandparents' house across town, in front of the library in the next neighborhood.)

Address _____

Telephone number _____

Designate an out-of-town contact.

(It is often easier to call long distance than within the same area during an emergency.)

Name _____

Telephone number _____



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Family Emergency Contacts List

Family members' work numbers

Telephone Company

Gas Company

Neighbor's or relative's name and number

Electric Company

In-town meeting place

Doctors' names and numbers

Out-of-town contact's name and number

Veterinarian or Humane Society

Local emergency number

(9-1-1 or _____)

Keep a copy of this list in a handy place at home.

Keep a copy of this list with your Family Disaster Supplies Kit.

Review this list periodically to keep it up to date.



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