

Shelter in Place or Evacuate?



* + Is it a watch or an emergency?
	+ What is the severity & duration of the situation?
	+ Is it day or night?
	+ Do you have the potential to lose power?
	+ Do you have family members out in the community: day care, school, work?
	+ Do you have a way to communicate with others?
	+ Is English your first language?
	+ Do you have food and water for everyone for 3 days?
	+ Do you have medications for everyone for 3 days?
	+ Do you have your medical equipment, supplies, and assistive technology?
	+ Do you have first aid supplies?
	+ Do you have supplies for your service animal/pets?
	+ Do you have transportation?
	+ Do you have fuel?
	+ Do you have a place to stay: family or friends, hotel or public shelter?
	+ Do you have an emergency kit?
	+ Do you have cash available?
	+ Do you have all your important documents available?
	+ Do you know the evacuation routes?

