

Storm Preparedness

A guide for students living in off campus housing

Hurricanes and storms can be unpredictable and dangerous in nature. Longwood University wants to ensure that our off campus students are armed with the knowledge and supplies to protect themselves from potential danger during the hurricane season.

*By following the below suggested guidelines, **YOU** can help reduce injuries and property damage in your residence.*

*Gather emergency supplies **BEFORE** the storm!*

- ✓ Quality flashlight with spare batteries
- ✓ Bottled water in case of utility outages
- ✓ Weather radio
- ✓ Snack food such as crackers
- ✓ Refill prescriptions that are running low
- ✓ Don't forget about your pets!
- ✓ Charge your cell phone and consider purchasing a spare battery
- ✓ Basic hand tools such as a hammer and screw driver set
- ✓ Make sure that your car is full of gas
- ✓ Have some extra cash on hand
- ✓ Ensure important documents are safe from water damage

Weather Information

Log onto:

www.noaa.gov

www.intellicast.com

www.longwood.edu/crisiscomm

Check your local radio and weather stations for updates

Emergency Contact Information

Residential and Commuter Life
x2080

Campus Police
x2091

Environmental Health and Safety
x2940

Closings and Cancellations
x2000

Contact Campus Police for all after hours and weekend emergencies

Storm Tips

- For medical emergencies requiring immediate assistance...dial 911
- For EMERGENCY building repairs such as leaking roofs, broken windows, or structural damage contact campus police at x2091
- Remove all patio and deck furniture, secure bicycles, trashcans, and other items that could become projectiles during windy conditions
- Stay indoors during windy conditions
- Avoid driving unless absolutely necessary
- Listen for messages through the Longwood text and siren alert systems