



Maryland RISK WATCH® CMT Update - June 2007



TO: Maryland RISK WATCH® Champions

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Month	Activity/ Theme/ Module	Comments & Resources
June	Hurricane Safety	June 1 st is the start of Hurricane season and every family and each community should have a disaster kit and a disaster plan prepared and practiced.

Preparing for the Hurricane season (June through September) requires both a family plan and specific supplies. Please be sure that you and those around you have double checked the contents of your disaster kits – home, car, school and work place. Review your written disaster plan (or write one with your family), check your emergency contact information and phone numbers, and refresh water and food supplies.

Websites with information on Hurricane Safety include:

www.familyfirst.md – practical online guide to emergency preparedness

www.mema.state.md.us/ - click on hurricanes and on flood/flash floods

www.fema.gov/hazard or www.ready.gov - Click on Hurricanes

www.ready.gov/kids/home.html - Website for children

www.noaa.gov/stormwatch - NOAA Weather Radio & Storm Watch

www.riskwatch.org – the Kids Only page has a new interactive game for children to learn about preparing for disasters & Natural Disasters pages have materials on 7 risk areas

As you find more information on **Hurricane Preparedness** – please forward to the EMSC Program office and we will post on the Prevention and Risk Watch web pages.

<http://www.miemss.org/EMSCwww/PPPed.html>

<http://www.miemss.org/EMSCwww/RISKWATCH2.htm>