

What To Do in a Flood

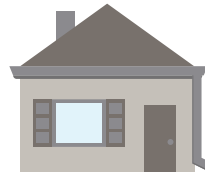
Prepare for the flood.



Plan a spot to meet.
Know the safest
route from your
home or business.



Keep a list of
valuables in a
safe location.



Direct downspouts
at least 10 feet away
from your home and
clear gutters.



Rake leaves and
debris away from
drains and low areas.

Create an emergency kit.

- Drinking water.
- Food.
- Cooking equipment.
- First aid kit.
- Medicine.
- Batteries
- Flashlights.
- Battery or hand-crank radio.
- Pet food.



During the flood:

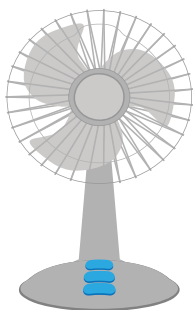
Check the National Weather Service for updates
in your area. Follow evacuation advisories.

Watch for washed-out roads and downed power
lines. Don't drive over a flooded road.



After the flood:

To prevent mold
growth, remove
moisture where
possible. Open
windows and
doors. Use fans
and heaters.



Wear gloves and
boots to clean up.
Wash your hands
with soap and
water. Do not use
contaminated water.
Use antibacterial
hand sanitizer.



Sign up for emergency alerts
at tpchd.org/emergency.