



Naval Construction Battalion Center

Gulfport, Mississippi



Emergency Management
Hurricane Preparedness Brief
for NCBC Gulfport



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Destructive Weather Terms



- Tropical depression
 - Tropical cyclone with sustained surface wind speeds of up to 39 mph
 - Usually accompanied by rainfall and wind
- Tropical storm
 - Tropical cyclone with sustained surface wind speeds of 39 to 73 mph
 - Heavy rainfall, high winds, and increased tide levels are normally reported
- Hurricane
 - Tropical cyclone with sustained winds of 74 mph or greater
 - Storm surges may occur
 - Heavy rainfall and high winds are associated with this type of storm

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Destructive Weather Terms



- Tropical cyclone conditions (TCC)
 - TCC 5: normal condition from 1 Jun through 30 Nov
 - TCC 4: tropical cyclone possible in 72 hours
 - TCC 3: tropical cyclone possible in 48 hours
 - TCC 2: tropical cyclone expected in 24 hours
 - TCC 1: tropical cyclone anticipated in 12 hours

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Destructive Weather Terms



- Hurricane categories
 - 1: wind speed 74-95 mph, storm surge 4-5 feet above normal
 - 2: wind speed 96-110 mph, storm surge 6-8 feet above normal
 - 3: wind speed 111-130 mph, storm surge 9-12 feet above normal
 - 4: wind speed 131-155 mph, storm surge 13-18 feet above normal
 - 5: wind speed >155 mph, storm surge >19 feet above normal

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BE PREPARED!!



- Develop a Family Disaster Plan
- Create a Disaster Supply Kit
- Have a place to go
- Secure your home
- Have a family pet plan
- Ensure TWMS/NFAAS recall information is current

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FAMILY DISASTER PLAN



- Know your home's vulnerabilities to storm surge, flooding and wind.
- Locate a safe room or the safest area for each type of hazard. The safest area may not be your home!
- Determine escape/evacuation routes from your home and designate places to meet.
- Have an out-of-state family or friend contact point.
- Make a plan NOW for what to do with your pets if you evacuate. Most shelters/hotels do not allow pets!
- Prepare a disaster supply kit.
- Use a NOAA weather radio. Remember to check batteries!!
- Extra Flashlights with replacement batteries

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Things To Consider

- Have an evacuation kit ready. Include items such as rental/homeowner insurance papers, food, water, blankets, cash, valuables, pet vaccinations, emergency phone numbers, car titles.
- Shut off your water and electricity before you evacuate.
- Be sure your home is locked.
- Determine your evacuation plan NOW.
- If you evacuate, go as far inland as possible. Leave extra time for travel (there will probably be lots of traffic).
- Hurricanes are very serious storms. Don't underestimate their destructive force.

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Things To Consider

- If you are a homeowner, make sure you purchase flood insurance if you live in a flood zone.
- If you are a renter, make sure you have renter's insurance and that the policy covers floods and natural disasters. Make plans now for your pets. Don't leave them at home or in housing
- Extra fuel for vehicle/generator
- Fill generator and have extra fuel
- Fill Propane tanks
- Move items off floor and place in plastic containers
- Take refrigerator contents with you when you evacuate

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Base Evacuation Information



- Emergency Information line: **228-871-4777**
- NMCRS Grant/Loan opening times will be made available
- Big Voice system will alert the installation
- ADHOC call system will inform personnel of Evacuation information via phone, email, text and Fax
- Balfour Beattie will inform housing residents

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Wallet Cards

- All Commands should ensure that personnel have been issued wallet cards containing muster information
- Wallet cards are available at the Emergency Operations Center

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Wallet Card Example



**Naval Construction Battalion Center
Emergency Operations Center
Gulfport, MS.**

QUARTERDECK

COM: 228-871-2555

Emergency Info

COM :228-871-4777

Gulfport Muster

1-877-733-7303

CNRSE Muster

1-866-203-6004

https://cnic.navy.mil/gulfport/Service_Organizations/EmergencyManagement/index.htm

INFORMATION REQUIRED WHEN MUSTERING

NAME:

RANK:

UNIT:

DEPT:

UIC:

LOCATION ADDRESS DURING EVAC,
PHONE#, E-MAIL, AND NUMBER DEPENDENTS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

FFSC 228-871-3000 Navy Help 877-414-5358

NFAAS Website [HTTPS://NAVYFAMILY.NAVY.MIL](https://NAVYFAMILY.NAVY.MIL)

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NCBC EVACUATION POLICY



- Voluntary – Discretion of activity
- Selected - Directed by Base CO.
- Mandatory – Directed by Base CO
- Base Occupation limited to Shelters, Emergency- Essential Personnel, Emergency Responders
- If Evacuation is needed it will be ordered at TCC 3

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NCBC EVACUATION POLICY



- All personnel need to be aware of what evacuation zone they live in
- Evacuation zone maps are available on the EM page

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ACCOUNTABILITY

- Navy policy is to account for ALL personnel after a disaster.
- Personnel are reminded to keep Chain of Command informed of your evacuation plans and what evacuation zone they live in.
 - If evacuating inform them once you arrived at evacuation point with phone numbers and location.
- Once storm has passed muster by utilizing information provided by Command issued wallet card.
- For personnel on TWMS database ensure recall information is reviewed frequently, update as required.

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Pet Shelter



- Pets are not allowed in NCBC Shelters
- The designated pet shelter for Harrison county is Harrison Central high school
 - Proof of pet vaccinations must be provided prior to entry
 - Each pet must be kept in a transport cage
 - Owners must remain with pets

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On-base Shelters

- Warehouse 217 to house CBC military
- Warehouse 437 will house Military w/dependants, Civilian and contractor personnel that are employed on CBC Gulfport.
- Shelters will open at TCC ONE.
- No pets (except service dogs) are allowed in the shelters.
- No alcohol or firearms are allowed.
- Registration forms can be filled out in advance. ID cards are required for all individuals entering the shelters (except small children).

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On-base Shelters

- All private vehicles must be parked on the grinder. A shuttle bus will be provided to transport members to and from the shelters.
- Blankets and other essential supplies (toothbrushes, medicine, diapers, formula, toiletries, feminine hygiene, etc.) will **NOT** be provided. Bring what you think you will need.
- Movies will be provided for entertainment.
- Water and ice will be provided.
- No smoking inside the shelter. There will be designated smoking areas elsewhere.

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On-base Shelters

- Food;
 - Bring non-perishable food items to sustain you. Bring what you think you need!
 - No glass containers or items that require electricity are allowed.
- Keep children under control (Off equipment, no running, etc.).
- Be cooperative with the shelter managers!
- Once you are in, you are in to stay!

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Pregnant Women

- CBC shelters cannot accept women past their 24th week of pregnancy. We have no facilities (ICU, etc.) to support you or your child if you give birth.
- Women past their 24th week should make plans to evacuate.
- Women past their first trimester should seriously consider evacuation.

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OFF-BASE EVACUATION



Personnel are reminded if a off base evacuation is ordered it does not entitle them to reimbursement. NCBC Commanding Officer must order an evacuation in order for personnel to be reimbursed.

- ***Voluntary***
 - Know your area. Are you in a storm surge area or flood plain? Have a plan!
- ***Mandatory*** – County EM will determine which areas will evacuate – usually coastal and low-lying areas. Evacuation will be ordered by Zones A, B or C

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County Evacuation Times

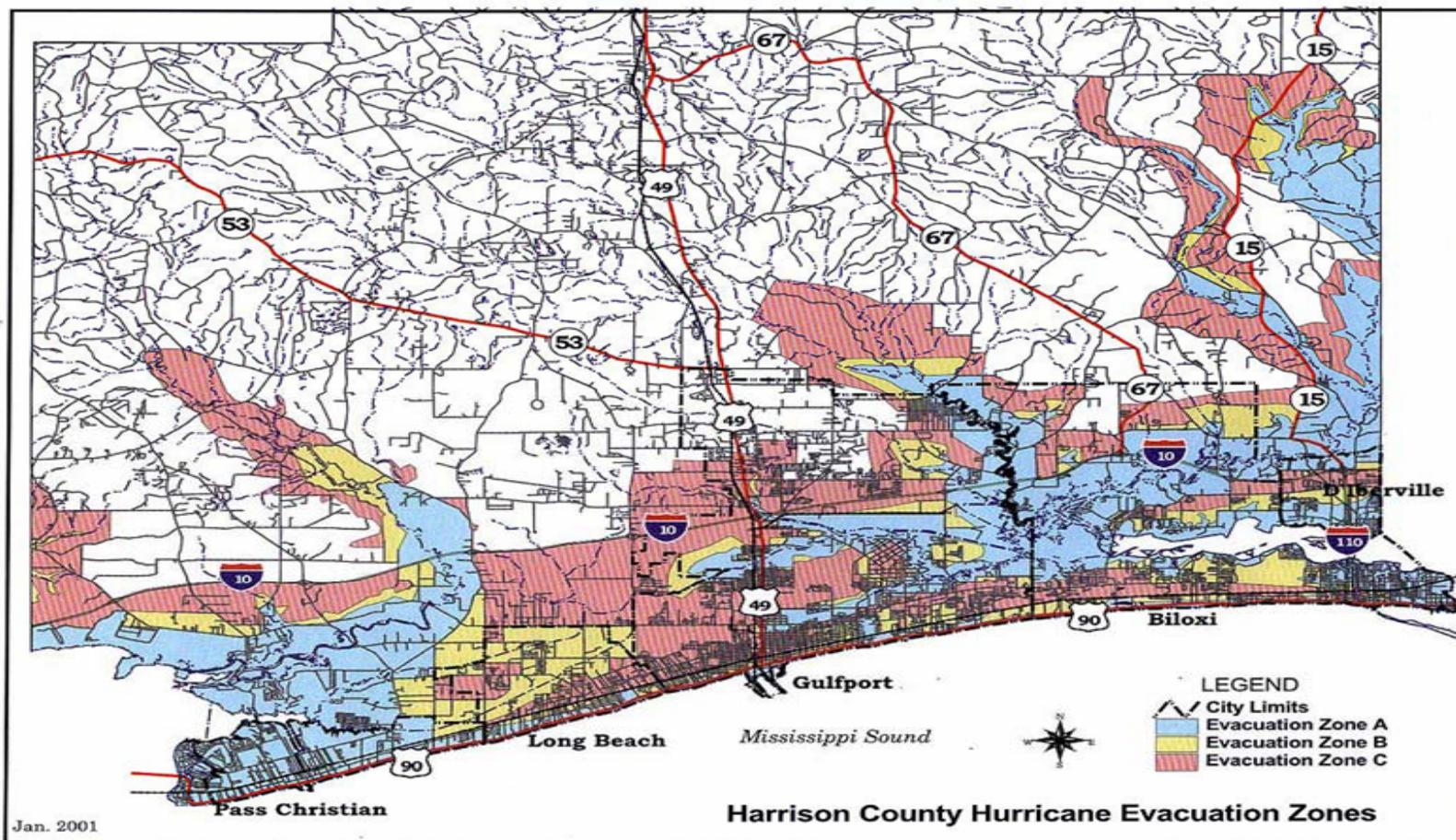


- If in storm path at 72 hours
 - Recommended evacuation Zone A
- If in storm path at 48 hours
 - Mandatory evacuation Zone A
- If in storm path at 36 hours
 - Mandatory evacuation Zone B

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Harrison County Flood Map



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POST STORM ENTRY/RECOVERY



- Installation will open when all the hazards have been removed and safe for all personnel.
- NCBC Gulfport has a substantial part of the Disaster Recovery mission. The Installation expects to be fully operational to support recovery mission as quickly as possible.
- Personnel are reminded that cell phone service may be interrupted, recommend personnel develop back up communication plan

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Important Websites Phone Numbers



- https://cnic.navy.mil/gulfport/Service_Organizations/EmergencyManagement/index.htm
- <http://co.harrison.ms.us/departments/civil>
- www.msema.org
- www.fema.gov
- NCBC Muster line: **1-877-733-7303**
- NCBC Emergency Information line: **228-871-4777**
- CNRSE Muster Line: **1-866-203-6004**
- Local County Emergency Managers and contact numbers
 - George County-Lorraine Howell-1-601-947-7557
 - Hancock County-Brian Adam-1-228-466-8320
 - Harrison County-Rupert Lacy-1-228-865-4002
 - Jackson County-Albert (Butch) Loper-1-228-769-3111
 - Pearl River County-Danny Manley-1-601-795-3058
 - Stone County-Raven James-1-601-928-3077

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POST STORM SUPPORT



- *If necessary and the Installation is safe a Community Support mall will set up on NCBC with the following services*
 - *Family Service Center*
 - *Navy Marine Corp relief*
 - *Base Legal*
 - *Emotional Support*
 - *Check Cashing*
 - *Blue Roof, temporary roofing*
 - *FEMA/Red Cross support*
 - *Navy Federal Credit Union*
 - *Hurricane supplies as they are available*
 - *Navy Exchange/Commissary*

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For Questions contact NCBC Emergency Manager
At 228-871-2123 or lewis.fountain@navy.mil

