# Home Emergency Kit Checklist

Small steps. Practical preparation. Keep this page where you can find it.

## FOOD, WATER & HEALTH BASICS

- ☐ Store one gallon of water per person per day for at least three days.
- ☐ Stock non-perishable food plus a manual can opener if needed.
- ☐ Pack a flashlight with extra batteries and a first aid kit.
- ☐ Set aside a few days of medications; check expiration dates.

## COMFORT, INFO & DOCUMENTS

- ☐ Pack hygiene items, trash bags, warm layers, and a blanket each.
- ☐ Add a battery or hand-crank radio and a whistle for each person.
- ☐ Keep copies of important documents in a waterproof bag.
- ☐ Set aside cash in small bills and basic tools or a multi-tool.

**SAFETY NOTE** Check your kit a couple of times a year. Rotate food and water before they expire, and replace used or old first aid items.

Checked by: _____ Date: _____ Review again: _____

**Full guide:** readyguidance.com/preparedness/10-emergency-kit-items/

**Safety reference:** https://www.ready.gov/