

***SHELTERS ARE NOT RESORTS!***  
***THEY ARE YOUR LAST RESORT!***

Please Be Aware! It is very likely that, for your safety or the safety of others in a shelter situation, you will not be permitted to smoke. If this is a concern for you, you may want to bring gum or snacks such as pretzels to help during this time. Other items include:

- ✓ Medication Supply for 7 days in labeled containers
- ✓ Important Phone #'s
- ✓ Portable Oxygen
- ✓ Special Diet Foods that do not require refrigeration
- ✓ Medical and Homeowner Insurance information
- ✓ Flashlights,
- ✓ Radio,
- ✓ Batteries,
- ✓ Gas in your car.

And don't forget to:

- ✓ Find a safe place for your pets
- ✓ Place frozen water bottles in your refrigerator and freezers



Shelters typically provide

- ✓ A safe place,
- ✓ Light meals, such as soup or sandwiches
- ✓ Water

Shelters are designed to offer the basics for those people who cannot evacuate and would not be safe if they remained at home.