

Emergency Preparedness



Disasters can strike quickly and without warning. They can force your family to be confined to or evacuated from your home. Families should prepare for disasters in advance. Disasters which may occur include but are not limited to natural hazards and weather-related incidents, as well as technological and human-related disasters, such as chemical spills, biological hazards and radiological releases from power plants.

If you or someone close to you has a disability you may need to take additional steps to protect yourself and your family in an emergency.

To obtain a “Disaster Readiness Planning Guide” which you can complete for a person with disabilities call 1-800-223-9074.

Agencies listed below can help you as you plan your response for any emergency.

During the actual emergency event contact your local agencies for specific issues.

If you have a medical emergency during a disaster, call 911.

LOCAL AGENCIES
Emergency Management
County and City Numbers

**NEW CASTLE COUNTY OFFICE OF
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

(302) 395-2700

**KENT COUNTY DEPARTMENT
OF PUBLIC SAFETY DIVISION OF
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

(302) 735-3465

**CITY OF DOVER EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT OFFICE**

(302) 736-7003

**CITY OF MILFORD CODE RED
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM**

(302) 422-8081

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and voicemail. [www.cityofmilford.com/
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**SUSSEX COUNTY EMERGENCY
OPERATIONS CENTER**

(302) 855-7801

**CITY OF NEWARK EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT OFFICE**

[www.cityofnewarkde.us/index.
aspx?NID=101](http://www.cityofnewarkde.us/index.aspx?NID=101)

**CITY OF WILMINGTON
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT
OFFICE**

(302) 576-3914