



Fire Safety Information for Support Staff

DDS

Section Summary Sheet

Section 4 – Other Emergencies

1. **General Information**
 - a. 9-1-1 can summon help for all emergencies.
 - b. Remaining calm will ensure the safety of those in your care.
 - c. Experience and Training will assist you.
2. **Weather Emergencies**
 - a. **Hurricanes and Earthquakes**
 - i. Move to interior portions of building.
 - ii. Stay away from windows.
 - b. **Tornados**
 - i. Move to basement.
 - ii. Open windows 2-3 inches and close blinds
 - iii. Stay near corners of basement or
 - iv. In an interior room on the lowest level.
 - c. **Flooding**
 - i. Minor flooding – stay in place.
 - ii. Major flooding – relocate
 - d. **Extreme Temperatures**
 - i. Plan for the weather
 - ii. Keep residents comfortable.
3. **Radiological – If you are within 10 miles of Millstone Power Plant.**
4. **Carbon Monoxide**
 - a. Caused from incomplete combustion.
 - b. Colorless and Odorless
 - c. Symptoms; Dizziness, nausea, fatigue
 - d. Treat like a fire alarm.
5. **Hazardous Materials**
 - a. Know what you have.
 - b. In case of spills; evacuate and call FD.
6. **Bomb Threats**
 - a. Pay close attention to any phone calls.
 - b. Relay information to police.
7. **Utility Failures**
 - a. Pay attention to specific resident needs.
8. **Missing Persons**
 - a. Know specific DDS regulations.
9. **Relocation**
 - a. Have a plan in place.
 - b. Consider Go Bags for orderly evacuations.
 - c. Use the File of Life for Medical History.