
UNIT 1: ADDITIONAL MATERIALS

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

UNIT 1: DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM CHECKLIST

Instructions: This checklist will help guide you in the setup of your CERT as well as emergency preparedness at home.

<i>Personal Preparedness</i>	<i>If Completed Check</i>	<i>Date Checked</i>
▪ Food	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Water	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Out-of-State Phone Contact	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Mitigation Measures		
• Water heater	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Utilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Cabinets, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
 <i>Team Organization</i>		
▪ Leadership		
• Team leader	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Group leaders	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Membership		
• Roster		
• Phone list	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Skills inventory	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Communications		
• Telephone tree		
• Newsletter	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Amateur radio	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Runners	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM CHECKLIST (CONTINUED)

<i>Team Organization</i>	<i>If Completed Check</i>	<i>Date Checked</i>
▪ Resources and Locations		
• Personnel	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Supplies	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Response kits	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Area Surveys		
• Evacuation plans		
• Staging area	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Medical treatment area	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Specific hazard areas	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Area maps	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Response Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Response criteria		
• Communications/notifications		
• Staging area/command post	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▪ Teamwork		
• Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Drills and exercises	<input type="checkbox"/>	
• Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▼ First aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▼ CPR	<input type="checkbox"/>	
▼ Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	

RECOMMENDED CERT EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

The following equipment and supplies are recommended as a minimum supply cache for all CERT teams. The equipment and supplies should be maintained at or near the team staging area.

<i>Equipment/Supply</i>	<i>Date Obtained</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Date Checked</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Nylon/canvas bag with shoulder strap ▪ Water (two canteens/bottles per Search and Rescue team) ▪ Dehydrated foods ▪ Water purification tablets ▪ Work gloves (leather) ▪ Goggles ▪ Dust masks ▪ Flashlight or miner's lamp ▪ Batteries and extra bulbs ▪ Secondary flashlight or light sticks ▪ Utility knife ▪ Note pads ▪ Markers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thin-point • Thick-point ▪ Pens ▪ Duct tape ▪ Masking tape (2-inch) ▪ Scissors 			

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RECOMMENDED CERT EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES (CONTINUED)

	<i>Date Obtained</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Date Checked</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Crescent wrench▪ First aid pouch containing:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 x 4 gauze dressings (6)• Abdominal pads (4)• Triangular bandages (4)• Band-Aids• Roller bandage			