

Household Emergency Plan

Emergencies can affect the County with little or no notice. Being prepared can reduce the effects on your families lives, reduce need for support from and enable you to support the vulnerable in your community.

Disruption to essential services such as water and electricity, to regional national travel and telecoms are all ways an emergency can affect our lives.

Complete the following sections and keep it in a safe place
your household can easily access

If you are not involved in an incident but are close by or believe you may be danger, in most cases the advice is :

GO IN, STAY IN, TUNE IN.

Station	Frequency	Website

Household Contact Details		If you are evacuated is there somewhere we can go? Friends or Family?		
Name				
Mobile				
Work		If you can't contact each other, where should you meet / or who should you leave a message with?		
Name				
Mobile		Who will be responsible for picking the children up from school? (if Applicable)		
Work				
Name				
Mobile				
Work				

Emergency telephone numbers			
Emergency Services		Doctor	
NHS Direct		School	
Local Police Station		Home Insurance	
District Council			

How do you turn off the following? Who is responsible?	
Electricity	
Gas	
Water	

CREATING AN EMERGENCY BOX

Be prepared. Creating an emergency box will help locate essential equipment quickly in an emergency.

Some suggested items are: -	
...Torch and spare batteries	...Toiletries
...Battery powered radio and spare batteries	...List of useful contact numbers
...Candles / Matches	...Copy of this plan
...First Aid kit	

In case you are unable to leave the house it is suggested you should have:
...Bottled Water
...Ready to eat food (tinned)
...Bottle/Tin opener

In case you are stuck in your car it is suggested you should have:
...Bottled Water
...Blankets
...Torch and Spare Batteries

If you are in a position where you are able to offer help to your community start by checking that your neighbours are alright.

Name	Address	Telephone number	Mobile

Useful Websites	
Powick Parish Council	www.powickparish.org.uk