



DEPTFORD TOWNSHIP

Mayor and Council
Office of Emergency Management

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS EVENT

September 18, 2014

6:00PM—8:00PM

Deptford Township Recreation Center, 52 Montague Ln.



ARE YOU PREPARED?

Don't be a victim when mother nature makes another visit to our area. Electrical outages, food shortages, family and pet emergencies, storm related damages—these can effect anyone at any time. Come out and see what you can do to prepare and protect yourself and your family BEFORE the next storm or disaster strikes.



3 Steps to Preparedness

- Get a Kit
- Make a Plan
- Be Informed

Knowing what to do when an emergency strikes can mean the difference between life and death.



Representatives from vital resource agencies will be onsite to answer questions and provide information. Agencies include:

- Police, Fire, EMS
- American Red Cross
- Gloucester County Emergency Response
- Medevac helicopter
- PSE&G
- ...And more

Have a disaster kit ready—a flashlight isn't enough.

44% do **NOT** have first aid kits



48% do **NOT** have emergency supplies



September is ... NATIONAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS MONTH

Please join Deptford Township Mayor and Council & Deptford Office of Emergency Management for an informative evening to educate the community about the importance of emergency preparedness.

What is EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS?

The discipline which ensures an organization's readiness to respond to an emergency in a coordinated, timely and effective manner.

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Have:

- ⇒ A 72-hour Kit
- ⇒ Evacuation plan
- ⇒ Food & water for emergencies



Know your neighbors
Plan for electrical outages
Safety above all else!!!



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