

JULY SAFETY SEGMENT - CODE OF THE MONTH



Severe weather can include hazardous conditions produced by thunderstorms, including damaging winds, tornadoes, large hail, flooding and flash flooding, and winter storms associated with freezing rain, sleet, snow and strong winds. Weather can affect anyone, of any age and can come with little to no warning at all. Are you prepared if severe weather was to happen. Do you know what to do to keep yourself and others safe in an emergency?

SEVERE WEATHER

DIRECTIONS

Start the discussion by setting the expectations for creating a safe space and respecting everyone's feedback. Print out or show an electronic copy of [Severe Weather](#) poster by the Continuing Care Safety Association.

After everyone is done, use the guiding questions below to facilitate a group discussion.

SAFETY SEGMENT DISCUSSION

Guiding Questions:

- Does your ERP have a section for severe weather?
- What can you do as a staff member when severe weather happens at your organization?
- Who would you call first?
- Use the Severe Weather Scenarios and discuss responses.

Notes to the Team Leader:

- Facilitate an atmosphere of support and openness to feedback by encouraging the staff to share experiences or opinions without fear of reprisal.



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