



FLOODING: BEFORE

To prepare for flooding from extreme rain and coastal storms:

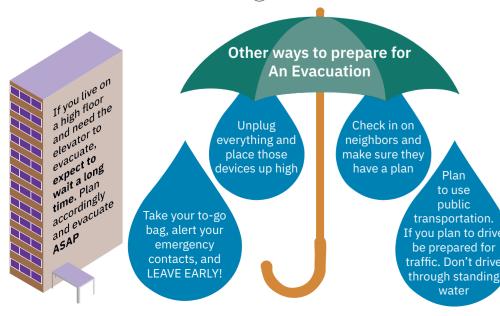
- Organize an emergency kit and to-go bag and identify your emergency contacts (see back) (i+)
- Find out your Evacuation Zone by calling 311 (see back) (i-)

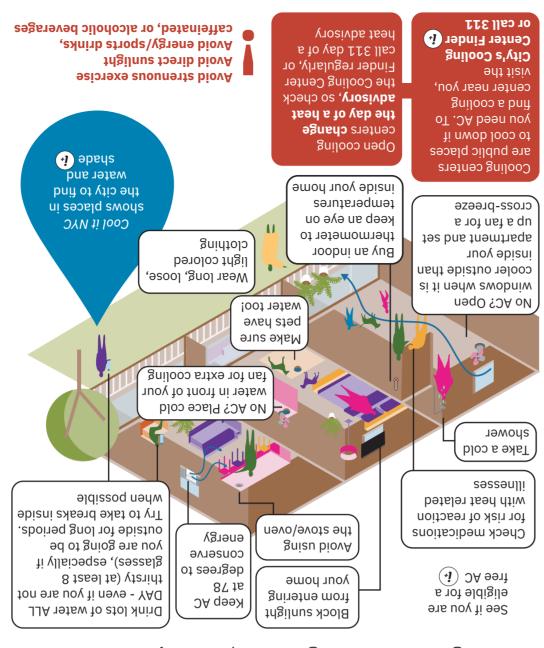
Before a storm hits, the city might order certain Evacuation Zones to leave. If you live in a Zone ordered to evacuate:

- First, make plans to stay with an emergency contact who does not need to evacuate
- The city will open evacuation centers for those who need them. Call 311 before you leave to confirm your center is open

Do not evacuate if your Zone is not told to do so UNLESS one of the following applies to you:

- You live in a basement apartment. Flash floods can happen without warning and could be fatal
- You have medical or mobility challenges. Consider evacuating if you are not prepared to lose power (i_{\bullet})





through air conditioning. Other tips to stay safe include: The best way to protect yourself from extreme heat is

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FLOODING: DURING

During a storm, you **should not** leave the location you are in unless it becomes unsafe. This is called "sheltering in place"

If you are home:

- Try to stay off your cell phone except to get updates
- If you see water, unplug all electrical devices and move to higher ground
- Make an indoor space for pets to relieve themselves

If you are **not home:**

- Stay where you are. Avoid all travel unless there is an emergency
- If you are outside, find somewhere to go inside immediately (i.e. store, office)
- If you are on public transit, listen to next steps from MTA officials. Call 211 for emergency updates

DO NOT LEAVE YOUR LOCATION UNLESS IT **BECOMES UNSAFE** or you are instructed to do so. Prepare in advance so you are ready to shelter in place

In case of POWER OUTAGE (i-)

During heat waves and summer storms, power outages are more common. Be careful of of high indoor temperatures during power outages. If you live in a high rise building, take extra care to be prepared for a power outage.

drinking water and supplies in your home during the summer



Keep all of your

technology fully

If there is a all of your refrigerated food to the

blackout, move

FLOODING: RECOVERY

"Heat Index" is the "real feel" temperature. If it is

HEAT: UNDERSTANDING RISK

be extra careful of your health on hot days

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I have to spend more than 20

I live in an overcrowded home

I am an older adult, or have

I live on a higher floor (7+)

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younger children under 12

My apartment gets a lot of sun

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Check the risks that apply to you:

100° one day or 95° for 2+ days

(more than one person per room)

minutes outside

If you checked one or more boxes, you need to

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□ Obesity

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□ Diabetes

Migraines

I have underlying health

conditions:

breathing issues

■ Asthma or other

☐ Heart Conditions

medication

anti-inflammation

☐ Using blood pressure/

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Send texts instead of calling to preserve cellphone battery

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EXTREME

Organizations that help relocate friends and family (i_{-}) :

Google Person Finder Facebook Safety Check/Crisis Response Unaccompanied Minors Registry

Don't use any

products that

have been flooded

If You Evacuated

Only return to your home when local authorities declare it safe

Beware of downed power lines, metal, glass or broken wood

as much as possible and get help if you come into contact with flood water and start to get sick

Avoid flood water





Landlords are

Cleaning your Home After a Flood

Do not help with cleaning if you have breathing issues or a weakened immune system

Open all doors and windows to prevent mold from forming

Throw out anything that flooded and has not completely dried within 36

required to return essential services like electricity. heat and hot water as quickly as possible.

If your landlord does not return these services report with 311

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facebook.com/harlememergencynetwork/ Harlem Emergency Network



Weact.org WE ACT for Environmental Justice



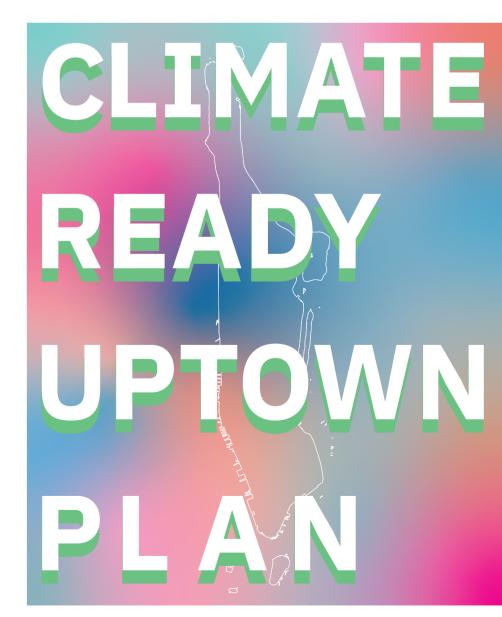
of Morthern Manhattan! Join our organizations to improve the resiliency Stay Involved (i.)

- increasing flood events.
- Improve drainage and expand NYC's sewer system to handle
- rain gardens to combat extreme heat and rain events including street trees, green roots, cooling centers, bioswales, and
 - Increase green infrastructure across Northern Manhattan
- Agenda (%) New York City and State must implement WE ACT's Extreme Heat

 - better prepare for emergencies Increase resources directly to communities so residents can
 - hurricane and flood events and a more formalized evacuation Northern Manhattan needs more evacuation centers for
 - Expand the Be-a-Buddy Program to Northern Manhattan

investments to prepare for climate change: events. A resilient Northern Manhattan needs more ability to absorb, respond and recover after extreme The resiliency of a community is measured by its

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Use this guide to prepare yourself for extreme heat and flooding in **Northern Manhattan**



INFORMATION MORE FOR

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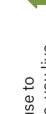
Or go to https://linktr.ee/crup

PERSONALIZE YOUR PLAN

In this section, follow the steps below using the map of Northern Manhattan to better understand your own flood risk from extreme rain or a coastal storm

MARK YOUR HOME

Draw a house to mark where you live



EVACUATION CENTER MARK YOUR CLOSEST

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Draw a circle around the closest evacuation center from your home.





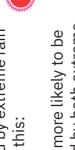


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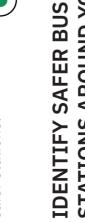




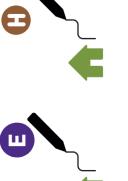
Stations more likely to be impacted by both extreme rain AND coastal flooding look like this:

Draw a circle around your safer stations:





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Hudson River

LinkNYC kiosks look like this:

Here, you can charge your phone and get information during a power outage

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Harlem River

Coastal flooding looks like this:

IDENTIFY SAFER SUBWAY STATIONS AROUND YOUR HOME 4

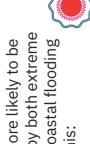
Stations more likely to be impacted by coastal flooding look like this:















STATIONS AROUND YOUR HOME

Bus stations look like this:

See which ones are further from flooding from extreme rain and/or coastal flooding

MAP YOUR ROUTE TO YOUR EVACUATION CENTER AND TO YOUR NEAREST HOSPITAL 9



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Community and Communication is what keeps us safe in emergencies. Collect contact info and check on each other during and after emergencies. **GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS** BUILD OUT YOUR EMERGENCY Secondary Phone: - Secondary Phone: - Secondary Phone: Emergency Contact Name: Emergency Contact Name: Emergency Contact Name: In case of emergency: For information about NYC re East Harlem COAD: American Red Cross: Salvation Army NY: STAY INFORMED Primary Phone Primary Phone Primary Phone Relationship: Relationship: CONTACTS Mark your meeting spot on the map! Give an emergency contact a set of spare keys and ake steps to plan a meeting spot & backup.

646-694-COAD (2623) 1-800-REDCROSS (733-2767) 212-337-7300

KNOW YOUR
HURRICANE
EVACUATION ZONE
If there is a coastal storm that requires an evacuation, the City will announce evacuation orders for specific zones.
Know what Zone you live in so you know what to do in case there are evacuation orders.
Call 311 or (i)





