

Tsunami Safety Rules

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Always be prepared, a tsunami may occur anytime

- Prepare a family emergency plan
- Prepare a safety backpack
- Identify the danger zones, safe areas and the Assembly locations
- Identify evacuation routes



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Pay attention to any of these warning signals

- Very strong earthquake (it is difficult to walk, there are falling objects, damage to structures)
- Long duration earthquake (about 1 minute or more)
- Official message by sirens, commercial radio, television, NOAA radio
- Sudden sea level change
- Loud noise coming from the sea

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In case of an earthquake protect yourself

- Drop
- Cover
- Hold on



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Move away from hazard areas (in preference order depending on your location)

- Run to higher ground and / or away from the Coast
- Go to a third floor or higher
- Climb a tree
- Run to an assembly point



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Stay in the safe area until Authorities indicate the danger has passed, this may take many hours.



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