# Liberty Lutheran Servic Liberty Lutheran

- Senior Services
- West Philadelphia Senior Community Center
- Lutheran Disaster Response



# Power Outages and Extreme Heat

- How will you handle a power outage on very hot days?
- Report outages to your power company immediately
- Food! Keep fridge and freezer doors closed
- Be careful where you plant trees and vegetation



## Ready for anything!

#### Critical to

- Communicate with loved ones
- Know how to get good information
- Take care of yourself and family



## Where are they now?



## **Philly OEM Emergency Contact Form**

#### **Emergency Contact Form** Fill out this form and save to a flash drive, computer or the cloud. You can also print and put a copy in your Go Bag. **Local Emergency Contact** Phone Name Address E-mail Renter/Home Insurance #

### ReadyPhiladelphia

www.ReadyPhiladelphia.org

Sign up to get alerts about

- disasters
- local emergencies
- weather alerts
- mass transit and other important information

### ReadyPhiladelphia

- Information comes direct from the source: National Weather Service, Philadelphia Police, Philadelphia Fire, <u>SEPTA</u>, the Prisons in Northeast Philadelphia, and the PES refinery in Southwest Philadelphia.
- Email
- Text
- Voicemail

#### 72 Hours!

Food, water, medicines, shelter (heat, cooling)

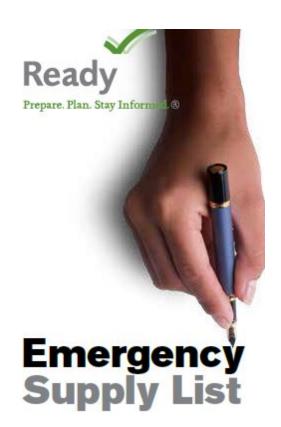


#### **Have on hand**



treat water by using 16 drops of regular household liquid bleach per gallon of water. Do not

use scented, color safe or bleaches with added cleaners.



#### **Specifically for Extreme Heat:**

- Drink plenty of water; even if you do not feel thirsty. Avoid drinks with caffeine.
- Never leave children or pets alone in closed vehicles.
- Check on family, friends, and neighbors who do not have air conditioning and who spend much of their time alone.
- Check on your animals frequently to ensure that they are not suffering from the heat.
- Go to a designated public shelter if your home loses power during periods of extreme heat. Stay on the lowest floor out of the sunshine if air conditioning is not available.

#### **SEPA VOAD**

Southeastern Pennsylvania Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster

SEPAVOAD.com







211 SEPA
Salvation Army
Red Cross
UMCOR
Depts of Emergency Services
Many many more

## Thank you!

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