

CHEMICAL EMERGENCIES

If you see (or smell) what you think is an emergency involving chemicals, first get to a safe location, then call 911. You may be asked to shelter-in-place.

TO “SHELTER-IN-PLACE”

- Stay calm.
- Go indoors and stay indoors. Close all windows & doors.
- Turn on your radio or TV station and listen for additional instructions.
- Notify hearing-impaired and/or other special needs groups/individuals that you know.
- If you are in a vehicle, close windows and turn off ventilation fan system.
- If you are outside and can not possibly get indoors, move crosswind. This offers the best advantage for getting out of the path of the release and into a safe area.
- Turn off all window fans, vents, exhaust fans, furnaces, air conditioners, etc.
- Bring pets inside.
- Seal cracks around doors and windows with tape or wet towels.
- Keep a battery operated radio, flashlight and extra batteries in your home.

For more preparedness tips visit www.redcross.org

WHEN EVACUATION IS NECESSARY

- You will be notified if evacuation is necessary.
- You will be directed to a shelter in an area that is out of danger.
- If you are a person of special needs and can not evacuate without assistance, call 911.
- Take your disaster supplies kit with you.
- You will be told where your school children are; do not call the school.

WAIT FOR THE “ALL CLEAR”

The "all clear" will be given on TV and radio.
Transportation will be provided, if needed.
Air out your home to get rid of remaining fumes.

FREQUENCY BAND

99.5 FM
103.9 FM
96.9 FM
101.9 FM
1490 AM
1280 AM