

- **Week 1 (Sept. 1 – 7): [Creating Emergency Plans](#)**
Idahoans are encouraged to discuss and document how they will communicate during an emergency, where they will go, and what steps they will take in different scenarios. Whether you're at home, work, or school, having a well-thought-out plan makes sure that every member of your household knows what to do in case of an emergency.
- **Week 2 (Sept. 8 – 14): [Building Emergency Kits](#)**
Idahoans should gather essential items such as water, non-perishable food, medications, flashlights, batteries, and important documents. Kits should be prepared for both the home and vehicle for readiness in various situations.
- **Week 3 (Sept. 15 – 21): [Staying Informed](#)**
Idahoans are encouraged to learn or review how they receive alerts and warnings, understand the types of emergencies that could affect your area, and having a reliable communication strategy.
- **Week 4 (Sept. 22 – 28): [Community Involvement and Volunteering](#)**
The final week of September encourages Idahoans to get involved and volunteer in their communities.

For more information on National Preparedness Month, please visit [IOEM's National Preparedness Month webpage](#).

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