

City of Milford, Connecticut -Founded 1639-Health Department

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CITY OF MILFORD EMERGENCY EVACUATION SHELTER Jonathan Law High School 20 Lansdale Avenue Milford, CT 06460 SHELTER GUIDELINES

The shelter will have basic necessities for survival including food, water and a place to sleep. However, shelters will not be able to provide the same level of convenience as a family member's home or a hotel. Individuals & families who plan to come to the shelter should remember the following:

- Shelters allow approximately 30 square feet per person. <u>Do not bring anything that is not absolutely</u> <u>necessary for a 24-48 hour stay.</u>
- <u>Clothing & Bedding</u>: One complete change of clothing including footwear; sleeping bag and pillow.
- <u>Medications</u>: Bring all medications clearly marked with your name, dosage, type of medication, & prescribing physician. You must be able to take all medications yourself.
- <u>Food</u>: If you have the need for special foods (i.e. diabetic, low salt, baby food, formula, etc.), please bring these special dietary items with you.
- <u>Personal Items</u>: Bring washcloth, small towel, soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, sanitary napkins, paper towels, toilet paper, etc.
- <u>Important Papers</u>: Bring identification and valuable papers (insurance documents, etc.), the name and address of doctors, and name/address of nearest relative not living in area.
- <u>Pets</u>: There will be an area for your pets at the shelter. Please bring adequate food and water for your pets.
- <u>Miscellaneous</u>: Bring a cell phone if you have one.