

Southern Local Elementary School

The Ohio Family Disaster Preparedness Guide was developed by the Ohio Department of Public Safety. This guide is a great family resource in that it provides direction on what to do in the event of a disaster. There are many different disasters that can impact families such as a tornado, fire, flood, chemical / biological release or an act of terrorism.

Many times these disasters come with very little or no warning at all. Developing a family plan to address family safety is of major importance. This guide identifies what should be included in your family safety plan.

The following information should be considered/included:

1. Have a Disaster Action Plan and practice it as a family.
2. An Action Checklist: things to do before a disaster.
3. Have a family supply kit handy.
4. Supplies for your vehicle.
5. Be familiar with you community warning systems and action plans.
6. Have a list of emergency telephone numbers.

If you have questions please feel free to contact me at your convenience. You can reach me by clicking on my e-mail address which is found directly below my name and telephone number on the Southern Local Elementary School Guidance Page.

To view the Ohio Family Disaster Preparedness Guide click on the Guide below.