



Nuclear Accidents | After Hazard Preparation Checklist

What Should I Do After a Nuclear Accident?

- Go to a designated public shelter if you have been told to evacuate or you feel it is unsafe to remain in your home. Text SHELTER + your ZIP code to 43362 (4FEMA) to find the nearest shelter (example: shelter 12345).
- Seek medical treatment for unusual symptoms, such as skin burns or nausea, as soon as possible.
- Listen to local radio/television stations for the latest emergency information.
- If possible, check on and help any neighbors who may require special assistance. Infants, elderly people, and people with functional needs may require additional assistance. People who normally care for such individuals may be unable to reach them. Those who have large families may need additional assistance in emergency situations.
- Keep food in covered containers or in the refrigerator. Food not previously covered should be washed before being put into containers.