

Disaster, Safety, and First-Aid Websites

Here are some web resources that can help you keep your pets safe in the event of an emergency or disaster:

American Red Cross

The Red Cross (www.redcross.org) has a booklet called *Pet First Aid* that you can get at your local Red Cross office. There's also a PDF called "Pets and Disaster Safety Checklist" on the website (search for "pets disaster preparedness").



American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ASPCA)

Go to www.aspca.org and search for "emergency pet preparedness."

American Veterinary Medical Association

This page describes several publications designed to help veterinarians and other animal lovers prepare for animal safety in the event of a disaster:

www.avma.org/disaster/default.asp

Cat Fanciers' Association

This page describes the activities of the Cat Fanciers' Association Disaster Relief Committee and offers tips for evacuating your cats in a disaster:

www.cfainc.org/disasters.html

Dog Owner's Guide

This page contains a list of items to include in a basic first-aid kit for your dog:

www.canismajor.com/dog/fstaidk.html

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

FEMA offers a DVD kit called *Animals in Emergencies*. Search for the DVD title in the FEMA library: www.fema.gov/library.

ResQPet Emergency Preparedness Kits for Pets

On this site, you can purchase emergency preparedness kits for pets and find out about taking a course in pet first-aid:

www.resqpet.com/home.html

United Animal Nations

This page describes the Emergency Animal Rescue Service (EARS), a United Animal Nations' program that aims to save disaster-stricken animals:

www.uan.org/ears/index.html