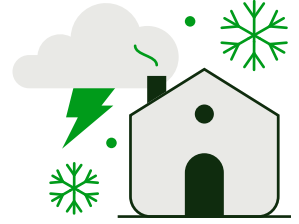


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Year-round tasks

- ☐ Check and clean gutters and downspouts to ensure proper drainage.

- ☐ Inspect your roof, chimney, and attic for damage. Look for signs of moisture, leaks, or mold for visible damage, like missing or cracked shingles.

- ☐ Review your insurance and records at least annually. Confirm coverage limits and check for specific add-ons, such as flood or earthquake insurance.

- ☐ Create an up-to-date home inventory with photos and receipts. Store copies digitally as well as off-site.

Before a storm

- ☐ Board up your windows or close your storm shutters, if you have them.

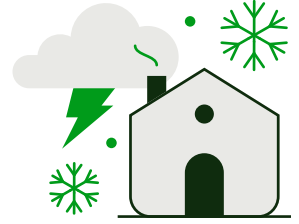
- ☐ Use sandbags to prevent flooding around the foundation of your home.

- ☐ Tie down or tie together large outdoor furniture and move small outdoor items indoors.

- ☐ Stock up on non-perishable food, drinking water, and pet food. Fill your car with gas and stock up on gas for your generator, if you have one. Move your car to high ground if you're concerned about flooding.

- ☐ Charge your devices and make sure flashlights and other small electronics have fresh batteries.

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After a storm

- ☐ Carefully **examine your home and property for hazards** such as downed power lines or structural damage, like cracks or leaning walls. Do not enter a building if you're not sure it's safe.

- ☐ **Take note of any damage** to your property, buildings, and belongings. Write down a detailed description and take photos and videos of the items and damages. Note the date and time, too.

- ☐ **Contact a professional** to conduct a more thorough investigation for structural damage, water damage, or other problems, if necessary.

- ☐ Contact your provider and **report any utilities that aren't working properly**.

- ☐ Contact your insurance company and **begin the claim process, if necessary**. Keep thorough records and receipts when you get quotes from contractors.

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