Hurricane and Storm Preparedness Tips

Listen to your RHD, RA's, Public Safety, and follow their instructions at all times. If they tell you to leave, do so.

Listen to local radio station, watch TV or go online for up-to-date storm information.

Stay indoors in the Residence Halls, away from windows, unless you are told to evacuate. Keep the windows, doors and curtains closed during the storm.

Gather Supplies: have first aid supplies, drinking water and medications. Have your important information ready at a moment's notice.

Be aware that the calm "eye" is deceptive; the storm is not over. The worst part of the storm will happen once the eye passes over and the winds blow from the opposite direction. Trees, shrubs, buildings, and other objects damaged by the first winds can be broken or destroyed by secondary winds.

If you happen to be driving off campus: Stay away from flood waters and watch for flash flood alerts. If you come upon a flooded road, turn around and go another way. If you are caught on a flooded road and waters are rising rapidly around you, get out of the car immediately and climb to higher ground.

In the event of any Campus Emergency call Public Safety X2222

Nassau County Contacts

Nassau County Offices (516) 571-3000
www.nassaucountyny.gov

Nassau County Office of Emergency Management (516) 573-0636
www.nassaucountyny.gov/agencies/oem/index.html

Nassau County Department of Health (516) 571-3410
www.nassaucountyny.gov/agencies/Health/index.html

The American Red Cross in Nassau County (516) 747-3500
www.nassauredcross.org