

Emergency Response

Being part of Forward Deployed Naval Forces, Japan presents many unique challenges and opportunities. In order to enjoy and thrive in this environment, we have to be prepared for various possibilities. The purpose of this page is to provide some basic information to assist our sailors and families in the event of various emergencies.

To best care for our families, we have provided the following information. Additionally, since we cannot plan for every event, please contact our OMBUDSMAN Mrs. Rebeka Pawlowski at OMB4Shiloh@gmail.com, as the command liaison for our dependents, should a natural disaster or emergency arise.

Commander Fleet Activities Yokosuka also has a central contact number for Emergency Management at 315-243-1714.

General/Family Emergencies

If you are experiencing an emergency that requires notification of a sailor serving on the USS SHILOH (CG 67), the American Red Cross provides Emergency Communication Services. Please follow this link to get the information you need to submit an American Red Cross message.

“American Red Cross”

<http://www.redcross.org/portal/site/en/menuitem.d8aaecf214c576bf971e4cfe43181aa0/?vgnextoid=7f26912c9973b110VgnVCM10000089f0870aRCRD>

Typhoon/Destructive Weather

Typhoon Season in Japan runs from May to Oct, but peaks in August and September. During this season, it is important to take all warnings seriously. You can also track the weather warning at:

Joint Typhoon Warning Center

[Http://www.usno.navy.mil/JTWC/](http://www.usno.navy.mil/JTWC/)

To better understand what you need to do before and during a Typhoon or other destructive weather, please see the following information on Tropical Cyclone Conditions of Readiness (or TCCOR).

<http://163.251.239.142/public/Home.aspx?setSite=true&site=1>

AFN TV Ch. 15 and Radio 810 AM will regularly broadcast warnings and updates during a storm.

Earthquakes and other Natural Disasters

Earthquakes are a regular occurrence. The majorities of them come and go with no issues, but they can become serious. To better help you prepare for the possibility of a serious earthquake, you can download an “Earthquake Survival Manual” at the following site. This manual is in English and Japanese and provides some basic information and procedures to help you through a serious earthquake.

<http://www.seikatubunka.metro.tokyo.jp/index3files/survivalmanual.pdf>