

ARE YOU PREPARED FOR A

TORNADO?

If a tornado warning is issued for your area, take immediate action and find safe shelter right away.



QUICK FACTS

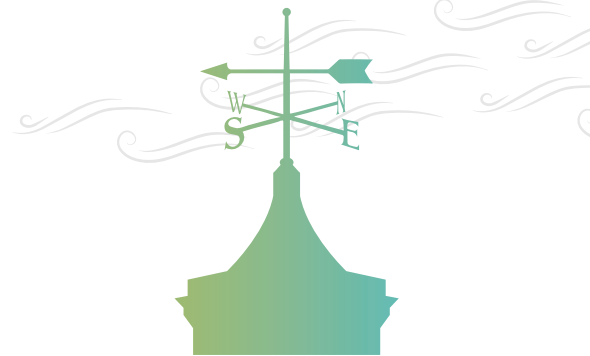
Tornadoes are violently rotating columns of air that extend from a thunderstorm to the ground. They can destroy buildings, flip cars, and create deadly flying debris.

- CAN HAPPEN ANYTIME
- BRING INTENSE WINDS
- CAN HAPPEN ANYWHERE
- LOOK LIKE FUNNELS



READINESS TIPS

- GET TO A SMALL, INTERIOR ROOM OR HALLWAY ON THE LOWEST LEVEL POSSIBLE.
- STAY AWAY FROM WINDOWS, DOORS AND OUTSIDE WALLS.
- AVOID ELEVATORS AND LARGE FREESTANDING STRUCTURES LIKE AUDITORIUMS.
- WHEN OUTDOORS, IF YOU CAN SAFELY GET TO A STURDY BUILDING, DO SO IMMEDIATELY. Do not shelter under an overpass or bridge. You're safer in a low, flat location.
- COVER YOUR HEAD WITH YOUR HANDS AND ARMS. Watch out for flying debris.



Most tornadoes move less than

35 MPH

but tornado winds can exceed over

300 MPH!

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