



Unit 1

Introduction, Disaster Preparedness Quiz

1. What does "EDITH" stand for?

2. If driving a vehicle during an earthquake, you should:
 - ☐ a) Speed up
 - ☐ b) Stop on an overpass
 - ☐ c) Stop under an overpass
 - ☐ d) Slow to a stop and pull over to the shoulder
 - ☐ e) Keep driving and proceed with caution
3. The minimum recommended water supply is:
 - ☐ a) 1 gallon per person for 3 days
 - ☐ b) 1 gallon per person for 5 days
 - ☐ c) 1 gallon per person for 2 weeks
 - ☐ d) Not necessary if you have a pool
4. One role of a CERT member after a disaster may be:
 - ☐ a) Putting out large fires
 - ☐ b) Handling hazardous materials
 - ☐ c) Locating and shutting off utilities
 - ☐ d) Administering medications to victims
5. A moderate earthquake is:
 - ☐ a) 5.0-5.9
 - ☐ b) 6.0-6.9
 - ☐ c) 7.0-7.9
 - ☐ d) 8.0-8.9



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6. After an earthquake, when should you shut off your gas?
 - ☐ a) I don't have to. The gas company will do it.
 - ☐ b) Always
 - ☐ c) When you hear it leaking or smell it
7. What is the minimum food supply you should have?
 - ☐ a) 5 days
 - ☐ b) 2 days
 - ☐ c) 1 day
 - ☐ d) 4 days
 - ☐ e) 3 days
8. Name one way to make your home safer for an earthquake.
 - ☐ a) Store non-compatible materials
 - ☐ b) Non-structural hazard mitigation
 - ☐ c) Store heavy items on upper shelves
9. When you purify water using bleach you should:
 - ☐ a) Use 1/2 quart of bleach for each gallon of water
 - ☐ b) Use 16 drops of bleach per gallon of water and let it stand for 30 min.
 - ☐ c) Use 4 drops of bleach per quart of water and let it stand 10 min.
 - ☐ d) None of the above
10. Disasters are relatively unexpected, lives are endangered and:
 - ☐ a) Disasters are always of natural causes
 - ☐ b) Emergency personnel ain't coming
 - ☐ c) Disasters are always man-made