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StormSafe Fact Sheet

Prepare your home

FOR EMERGENCY HELP IN
FLOODS AND STORMS CALL

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Trim overhanging branches



Clean gutters and downpipes



Make sure your roof is in good
repair



When should I prepare for Storms?

Storms can happen anywhere, at anytime of the year and it is important to prepare your family and property now and stay prepared all year round.



Things you can do now and to always prepare for storms

- Secure outdoor items that can blow around in strong wind
 - clean your gutters, downpipes and drains regularly to prevent blockages
 - Trim trees and branches that could potentially fall on your home or property
 - Fix any damage to your roof including broken or missing tiles
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- Make a plan for your family that outlines what you would do in an emergency
 - Prepare an emergency kit with essential items in case you lose power or need to leave home in an emergency
 - Listen to the local radio and other media for information, updates and advice
 - Check your insurance policy is current and adequate
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