

# Be Ready! Tornadoes

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## Get out!

Don't stay in a mobile home during a tornado. Find a sturdy building or seek shelter outside.



## Look up!

If you see any of these danger signs, take shelter immediately:

- a dark or green colored sky
- large, dark, low-lying cloud
- large hail
- loud roar similar to a freight train

## Watch out!

Most fatalities and injuries are caused by flying debris.



## Stay tuned!

Listen to local radio and TV stations for weather updates. Take shelter if a tornado warning is issued.

## Tornado watch:

Tornadoes are possible. Be alert to changing conditions.

## Tornado warning:

A tornado has been sighted or indicated by weather radar. Take shelter immediately.



## Be cautious!

Do not try to outrun a tornado. Find a sturdy building or seek shelter outside.



## Take cover!

To shelter outside, lie down flat in a gully, ditch, or low spot on the ground. Protect your head from debris.



## Take shelter!

The safest place is the interior part of a basement or an inside room, without windows, on the lowest floor.

