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FAMILY PREPAREDNESS

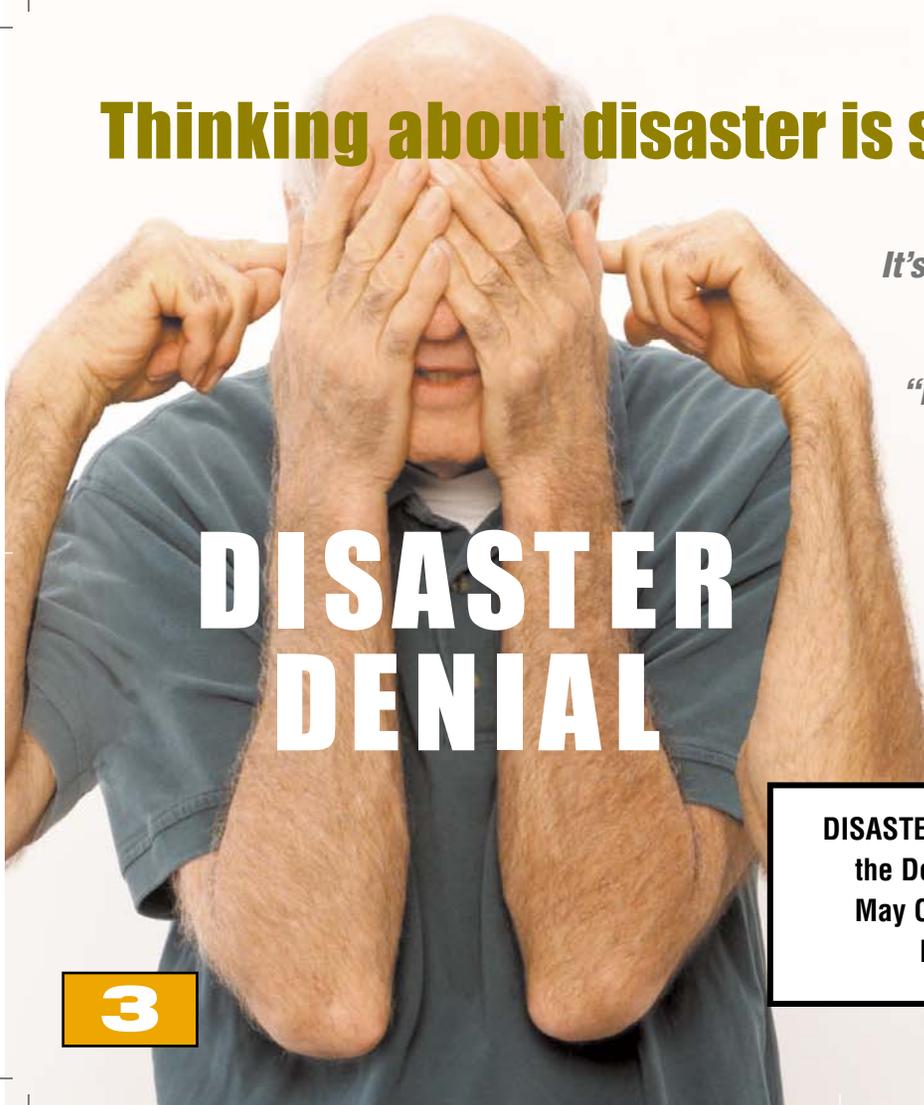
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Personal Information

NAME	HOME ADDRESS	HOME PHONE

ADDITIONAL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS	RELATIONSHIP



Thinking about disaster is scary and unpleasant.

**DISASTER
DENIAL**

So we don't.

It's human nature (though shortsighted, unsafe, and dangerous) to avoid thinking about or planning for catastrophic events. "Disaster denial" is an unconscious defense mechanism in which we attempt to escape from real dangers by simply putting them out of our mind.

***PREPAREDNESS...
the Empowering
Alternative to Denial.***

DISASTER SURVIVAL GUIDE WARNING: Inaction, Apathy, the Denial of Disaster (and Not Reading This Guide) May Cause a Lack of Preparedness That Could Be Hazardous to Your Health and Safety.

Family Reunion Information



A Family Communication and Reunion Plan

- Meet with family members and decide where you will all reunite in the event of an emergency.
- Choose reunion locations both inside and outside of your home, as well as outside of the Canyon.
- Identify an out-of-state contact, and make sure everyone in your family carries this contact information at all times. In the event that family members are separated during a disaster, the out-of-state contact can provide information to each family member as he or she checks in.
- Make sure your children know what to do and where to go in the event of an emergency if no adult is present.

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IF REUNITING...	REUNION LOCATION
INSIDE THE HOME	
OUTSIDE THE HOME	
OUTSIDE OF TOPANGA—SOUTH	
OUTSIDE OF TOPANGA—NORTH	
OTHER (Specify)	

Identify an Out-of-State Contact

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The Importance of Out-of-State Contacts

In the event of a major disaster that would affect telephone service, make sure everyone in your family carries this contact information at all times. If family members are separated during a disaster, the out-of-state contact can provide information to each family member as they check in.



Telephone service is usually interrupted during a major disaster. Telephone service is restored as quickly as possible, and is restored in the following order:

- 1. Emergency services*
- 2. Long-distance service*
- 3. Pay phones*
- 4. Business and residential service*

It is conceivable that as service is restored and you hear a dial tone, you would be able to call out-of-state, but not your next door neighbor.

	PRIMARY CONTACT	SECONDARY CONTACT
NAME		
ADDRESS		
HOME PHONE		
BUSINESS PHONE		
CELL PHONE		
PAGER		
E-MAIL		

Special Household Needs

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List Important Medical Information Here

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER	ADDRESS	PHONE	INSTRUCTIONS

MEDICATION	DOSAGE	Rx NUMBER	DOCTOR	NOTES

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