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Natural disasters, like landslides and flooding, are more likely to happen during the rainy/typhoon season (usually June to September). It is important that you prepare for these types of disasters before they happen. Please use the following advice to help prepare yourself for any potential disasters.

Step 1: Plan your evacuation route!

Use your phone or a computer to access the online disaster prevention map for Kamogawa City. Use this map to plan find evacuation spots near your house, school, work, etc. Also use this map to plan an evacuation route in order to avoid potentially dangerous areas.

Kamogawa Disaster Map (English) ——▶



Step 2: Protect your house!

If you see that heavy rains or strong winds are in the forecast prepare the area around your house. Secure or put away any items that may blow away in the wind. Also, clean any gutters and drains around your house to prevent flooding.

Step 3: Prepare for power and water outages!

Make sure that you have enough food and daily necessities prepared. Make sure to check that you get rid of any expired items and buy new items if needed.

What/how much to prepare:

Water: 3L per person, for 3 days

Food: precooked rice, alpha rice, canned foods, cup

noodles, etc.

Daily necessities: toilet paper, portable gas stove

gas for stove, etc.

Light sources: flashlight, lantern, etc.

Step 4: Evacuate when you feel in danger!

If you get an evacuation announcement for citizens to evacuate, please evacuate right away if you feel that where you currently are is in danger.

Notice about COVID-19 and evacuation

If your house seems to be safe enough, you do not have to evacuate! There are still risks of COVID-19 with large groups of people gathering. So, if you feel safe enough at home or going to a friend or loved one's house to evacuate please do so.

INFORMATION ABOUT THE COIVD-19 VACCINE

The process of getting out vaccines has started in Kamogawa. It is being handled in stages and is currently available to citizens 65 years and older ONLY. If you have any specific questions about the vaccine or applying for an appointment you can contact the call center directly with concerns. Since the vaccine will be given out in stages, you have to wait until you get a coupon and information in the mail to start making reservations for vaccination.

1 Vaccine Coupon Schedule

By the week of May 10th, everyone over 65 years old will have their coupon. Everyone else will be sent their coupons in the mail in the following weeks and months.

2 Vaccination Locations

There will be 2 places that will be handling the vaccination processes here In Kamogawa. If we can safely add more locations in the future there will be further information about that at a later time.

Group Vaccinations, on Sundays (by appointment only)

- Kameda Clinic
- Ask your doctor if you are unsure

Hours

9:30 AM – 3:30 PM (9:30 – 15:30) [It will take around 15 minutes]

3 Vaccine Details

Number of shots: 2 shots per person

Fee: Free

Time in between shots:

You will need to come back 3 weeks after your first shot.

You can't get any other vaccinations for 13 days before or after this shot.

4 Free Busing System

There will be free buses traveling to Kameda Clinic on Sundays during the vaccination rollout period. For the timetable and information about where the buses will be, please check the information sent to you by the city or the city homepage.

If you are unable to access one of the bus stops listed, please contact: COVID-19 Vaccine Preparation Section Health Promotion Division (04-7093-7151)

5 Process until Making a Reservation:

- 1. Receive your Vaccine Coupon in the mail.
- 2. Read the information and fully understand what is written.
- 3. Make a reservation over the phone or on the internet.

For information about reservations and consultation:

Kamogawa COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center (0570-003-067)

Available every day, 9 AM - 3 PM (9:00 - 15:00)



Announcement about Child Allowances

Families who are getting child allowances from the city will have to submit some paperwork to recieve their payments. The Child Support Division will ask about your income for the past year and for some information about your children. You will get this information in the mail. Please return the proper paperwork by June 30th. If you do not get te paperwork back in time you will not be able to get child allowance payments until submitted.

Where to Apply:

Fureai Center, Child Support Division

City Hall - General Support Window (1F)

Amatsu-Kominato City Hall Branch Office

Branch Offices (Emi, Yoshio, Kominato)

Necessary Documents:

 ∇ Copy of your insurance card

If you are enrolled in the national healthcare system through the city you don"t need to submit this with your form.

Questions:

Fureai Center, Child Support Division (04-7093-711



JUNE 15TH IS CHIBA CITIZEN'S DAY!

There are many free entries or discounts offered at locations around Chiba prefecture for Chiba Citizen's Day!

You will have to bring an ID showing your address in Chiba Prefecture, like a <u>driver's license or foreign residence</u> <u>card</u>, to get these discounts.

Kamogawa Seaworld (04-7093-4803)

Discount on June 15th:

High schooler's and older ... 2,400 yen (with free churro coupon) **Middle schooler's and younger** ... Free entry

Chiba Citizen Appreciation Month Discount (June 1st – 29th)

High schoolers and older ... 2,400 yen

Elementary and Junior high schoolers ... 1,440 yen

4 years old and under ... 960 yen

%These discounted tickets all include a free churro coupon.

Mother Farm (0439-37-3211, in Kimitsu City)

Discount for Chiba Citizen Appreciation Week (June 1st -15th)
Junior high schoolers and older ... 1,300 yen

Elementary School (6th grade)— 4 yrs. and under ... Free entry

■Tai no Ura (04-7095-2318)

Boat tour: Free for Kamogawa Citizens

■Tanjoji Temple (04-7095-2621)

Free entry into the Treasured Items Sanctuary

