

Protect yourself and your family from natural disasters

Survival Passport

Chapter 178

Please check the Hazard Zone Map!

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Before a disaster strikes, please make sure to check where the hazard zones\* are on the Hazard Zone Map, and if it is safer for you to “evacuate to an evacuation center”, or “take safety inside your house”.

If you do not have the Hazard Zone Map, you can get it from Minoh City Office Main Building 1F, the Citizen Safety Policy Division at Minoh City Office Main Building 2F, or at the Toyokawa or Todoromi branch.

You can also view the Hazard Zone Map, along with city information about disaster prevention, public facilities, roads, and waterways on the “Minoh Map” local information website, or the disaster prevention app “HAZARDON”, which launched in January.

\*A hazard zone is an area where there is a risk of landslides or floods set by the prefecture (based on a survey). Landslides are divided into Red Zone, High Risk Area, and Yellow Zone categories. Floods are divided into Danger Level 1 - 3 categories.

Scan here for the “Minoh Map” local information website! (Japanese only)

Which is safer for your home?

Go to an evacuation center? Take safety your house?

Check in 3 steps!

How to read the Hazard Zone Map

STEP1.

Check your house area color on the Hazard Zone Map.

STEP2.

Check which evacuation action you should take in an emergency (“evacuate to an evacuation center”, or “take safety inside your house”) based on your house area color and house structure.

STEP3.

If you should take the "evacuate to an evacuation center" action, check the Minoh City evacuation information announcements and find out when to evacuate.

Landslides

Example Hazard Zone

DO NOT go outside!

Outdoors in a hazard zone is the most dangerous place to be.

RED ZONE

Regardless of your house structure, evacuate to an evacuation center.

HIGH RISK AREA

If you are in a 1 floor building, evacuate to an evacuation center!

RED ZONE

Areas where there is a danger of houses collapsing

Areas where there is a danger of landslides flowing into the 1st floor windows

Evacuate to an evacuation center

- Before it gets dark
- Before a storm grows stronger

Please go to an evacuation center

HIGH RISK AREA

Areas where there is a danger of landslides flowing into the 1st floor windows

1 floor

2+ floors

Take safety inside your house

Do not go outside. Go into a room away from mountains, cliffs and rivers on the 2nd+ floor.

YELLOW ZONE

Areas where there is a danger of landslides flowing under the floor

Take safety inside your house

Do not go outside. Go into a room away from mountains, cliffs and rivers.

※If you live outside the hazard zones, please stay inside your house and do not go outside unless urgent or necessary.

Floods

Example Hazard Zone

DO NOT go outside!

Outdoors in a hazard zone is the most dangerous place to be.

DANGER LEVEL 3

Regardless of your house structure, evacuate to an evacuation center!

DANGER LEVEL 2

if you are in a 1 floor building, evacuate to an evacuation center!

DANGER LEVEL 3

Areas where there is a danger of flood water rising to the 2nd floor

Evacuate to an evacuation center

- Before it gets dark
- Before a storm grows stronger

Please go to an evacuation center

DANGER LEVEL 2

Areas where water may rise above floor level

1 floor

Evacuate to an evacuation center

- Before it gets dark
- Before a storm grows stronger

Please go to an evacuation center

DANGER LEVEL 2

Areas where water may rise above floor level

2+ floors

Take safety inside your house

Do not go outside. Go into a room away from mountains, cliffs and rivers on the 2nd+ floor.

DANGER LEVEL 1

Areas where water may rise above floor level

Take safety inside your house

Do not go outside. Go into a room away from mountains, cliffs and rivers.

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If the city announces an “Evacuation of the Elderly, Etc.”...

Houses that should “evacuate to an evacuation center”

- Elderly people, people with disabilities (and helpers), those with young children, etc., should evacuate immediately.
- Those who can follow standard evacuation procedures should begin to prepare for evacuation (and start to evacuate when an “Evacuation Instruction” is announced).

※People who can take safety inside, and people who live outside the hazard zones can also go to an evacuation center. Even if it's just that you do not feel safe being home alone, do not hesitate to go to an evacuation center for any reason.