

Evacuation Flow Chart



What to Do When an Earth-quake Strikes... Evacuation? Stay At home?

At home

Your house may collapse or catch fire.

Yes

No

Temporary Evacuation Area

A temporary gathering site is a place to stay temporarily to grasp the situation before going to evacuation sites and evacuation areas.

Stay at home

If your home is safe, try to stay at home confirming the local situation.

Away from home



Temporary Shelter

A facility where people who are unable to return home following a disaster can temporarily stay. The maximum accommodating capacity of food and daily necessities are provided here. In addition, information on damage in the local area and restoration status of transportation facilities is also provided.

There is the risk of spreading of fires.

No



Damages are too great to live at home.

Yes

Extinguish a fire

Yes

No

Evacuation Area

Large parks and public squares are designated as evacuation areas so that you can protect yourself from fires when a major earthquake strikes.



Evacuation Center

These are locations for evacuation and temporary accommodation if your house is destroyed, or if you are unable to live in your own home due to a fire or other disaster. They serve as centers to provide information, distribute food and perform first aid.



Return home

If you are able to continue living at home, it is recommended that you stay at home, because evacuation centers have limited capacity. If utility services are unavailable, food and water are available at an evacuation center.