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The Division of Licensing Programs is sharing the below emergency preparedness message from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

FEMA Releases Shelter-in-Place Guidance

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) released [Shelter-in-Place Pictogram Guidance](#) for ten hazards and three building types.

The pictograms provide clear, visual guidance to the public on shelter-in-place actions classified by both hazard and building type to ensure the public takes effective protective actions when instructed to shelter-in-place during emergencies.

This guidance provides recommended interior locations for specific hazards, additional actions for protection, and the recommended duration for staying sheltered-in-place.

The [Shelter-in-Place Pictogram Guidance](#) found on [Planning Guides](#) by [FEMA.gov](#).