Dear Resident,

Florida Statute 252.355 requires your local Emergency Management agency to maintain a registry of persons with special needs located within their jurisdiction. The intentions of this brochure are to identify some basic information about Special Needs Sheltering.

You may register by returning a form through mail, phone, or visiting this website: https://bit.ly/2Pf6TOQ. If you are registering on the website, you will click the SIGN UP HERE link about the login box.

Remember, registration does not guarantee a bed within the shelters, but it will assist with planning and preparation for you in the event of an emergency!

If your medical care exceeds the capabilities of a shelter, or if a physician determines you are in need of extra assistance, you may be placed in an alternate facility that can adequately meet your needs.

Prescription medications, hospital beds, and private rooms are not available at a shelter. See our checklist provided below for recommended items to bring. Please also make sure your oxygen provider can continue to supply your oxygen needs.

Any cost associated with hospital care, other medical facility care, or medical transportation are your responsibility.

Listen to news broadcasts for more information and instructions; keep your phone nearby so that if you are called for Special Needs Sheltering you can leave.

It is extremely important that your information is accurate and up to date in order to ensure we can assist you.

**Personal Check List:**

- Medications / diabetic supplies (2 week supply)
- Special dietary needs (these are not accommodated at shelters, no food is provided)
- Medical supplies (oxygen masks, e-tanks, concentrators)
- Wound care supplies
- Blanket / pillow / air mattress
- Towel / wash cloth
- Extra clothes
- Wheelchair / walker
- Personal hygiene items
- List of emergency contacts
- List of all of your medical providers
- ONE caregiver only
ENSURE THE SHELTER IS OPEN BEFORE GOING!

West Pasco Location

The Mike Fasano Regional Hurricane Shelter

11611 Denton Avenue, Hudson, FL

East Pasco Location

Wiregrass High School, 2909 Mansfield Blvd., Wesley Chapel, FL

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