# Shelter In Place (SIP)

#### Before

#### Common

- Assemble a (Go Bag) for each person
- Maintain & rotate food/water supply (Food & Water)
- □ Stockpile supplies (Supplies)

## During

- Account for everyone and move to a safe area
- Assess building & identify safe/unsafe areas
  - □ Shut off Utilities if needed
  - Lock doors
  - □ Close windows, air vents & fireplace
  - Seal any gaps, including doors/vents
  - □ Turn off fans, A/C & forced air heating systems if appropriate
- □ Refer to (Decision-Making Tree) to determine whether to SIP or evacuate
- □ Continually reassess the safety of SIP & evacuate if SIP is posing greater risks than evacuation
- □ Listen to news/radio for information
- □ Bring your family/pets inside
- If safe, grab your Go Bag

## After

Common
Call appropriate organizations/companies for clean up
Notify family/friends of your safety

## Be sure you know whether you should STAY (Shelter in Place) or GO (Evacuation)