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PURPOSE:

To provide a guide for natural disasters.

PROCEDURE:

1. Response to catastrophic events will be of long duration with little outside assistance available initially.
2. Attention to family needs should be done first with the option of leaving the family at home or bringing them to the station.
3. Family members brought to the station may be used to assist victims and the fire district in a variety of ways.
4. The District Office will be established as a base station and all operations will be assigned from there.
5. The fire district will follow the disaster plan established by the Marion or Linn County.
6. Emergency operations will be under the direction of the Fire Chief or designee who will direct public safety, public works, community development, administration, and support.
7. Evacuation will be handled by Marion or Linn County Sheriff's Office.
8. These incidents will be very stressful and require a great deal of organization and patience.