

Typhoon

MONTHLY SAFETY BRIEF

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Typhoon Safety Tips



- Secure, or move inside, and outdoor items such as toys, grills, bicycles, furniture and anything easily moveable. Move potted plants and other heavy objects away from windows, both inside and outside your house.
- Watch for leaks around windows and doors. If the wind is strong enough, water may be blown into your home even if the windows are closed. Have towels, rags and mops handy.
- If the storm becomes severe, move into a hallway or area where there is the least exposure to external glass windows.
- Remember that typhoons have "eyes," areas in their center where the weather appears calm. If the eye passes over your area, it may appear that the storm has finished, with winds then picking up again as the remainder of the storm arrives.
- After the storm is over, check for broken glass fallen trees and downed power lines which may present safety hazards near children's school bus stops, outdoor trash areas, around your car, etc.

Keeping informed



- **Radio:** Listen to the **US military radio station at AM 810.**
- **Television:** **Base Information Channel 12** on NAF Atsugi
- **Internet:** Go to <https://ats-iis.ats.navy.mil> the NAF Atsugi Website, then go to Atsugi satellite weather maps available online <https://ats-iis.ats.navy.mil>.
- **Telephone:** **Recorded information** is available from the U.S. Naval Air Facility, Atsugi by dialing **DSN 264-6311.**

