For People with Disabilities and Other Special Needs:

- Create a support network to help in an emergency.
- Tell your support network where you keep your emergency supplies.
- Give one member of your support network a key to your house or apartment.
- Participate in the Utah Special Needs Registry (see below).
- Wear medical alert tags or bracelets to help identify your disability.
- If you are dependent on dialysis or other life sustaining treatment, know the location and availability of more than one facility.
- Show others how to operate your wheelchair.
- Know the size and weight of your wheelchair, in addition to whether or not it is collapsible, in case it has to be transported.

Additional Supplies for People with Disabilities:

- Prescription medicines, list of medications including dosage, list of any allergies.
- Extra eyeglasses and hearing-aid batteries.
- Extra wheelchair batteries, oxygen.
- Keep a list of the style and serial number of medical devices.
- Medical insurance and Medicare cards.
- List of doctors, relatives or friends who should be notified if you are hurt.

Utah's Special Needs Registry

This registration website allows residents with special needs an opportunity to provide confidential information to emergency response agencies so those agencies can better plan to serve them in a disaster or other emergencies.