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Monroe County Shelter Information

For Category 1 & 2 Storms:

There are 4 Public Shelters throughout the Keys: Key West High, Sugarloaf Elementary, Marathon High School in Marathon and Coral Shores in Tavernier. All are Pet Friendly Shelters.

For Category 3, 4 & 5 Storms:

There are **NO SHELTERS** in Monroe County. Evacuation becomes **MANDATORY** for everyone.

Once an evacuation order has been issued, Monroe County residents, seeking public shelter on the mainland, will be informed of the shelter locations. Please note that sheltering options may include, Florida International University, the E. Darwin Fuchs Pavilion at the Miami-Dade County Fair and Exposition (which will allow residents to shelter with their pets), and other facilities within Miami-Dade County, based on their availability on a per storm basis.

Monroe County Shelters for Category 1 & 2 Storms

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| 1. Key West High
2100 Flagler Ave
Key West | 3. Marathon High
350 Sombrero Beach Rd.
Marathon |
| 2. Sugarloaf Elementary
US1 & Crane Blvd.
MM19, Sugarloaf | 4. Coral Shores High
US1 & MM 90
Tavernier |

Monroe County Information Hotline: 800-955-5504

www.monroecountyem.com

Monroe County Shelter Information

What to Bring to a Shelter:

Water • Food • Clothing • Bedding
Personal Supplies • Baby Supplies
Medications • First Aid • Important Papers
NO ALCOHOL • NO WEAPONS

Pet Shelters:

Are available at all Monroe County Shelters. You need to pre-register your pet, provide proof of residency in Monroe and present medical and current vaccination records for each pet.

Special Needs:

Monroe County Social Services has a "Special Needs Registry Program" that will offer assistance to persons with special needs during emergency events, including transportation. To be part of this program you must pre-register. Call **305-292-4591**, or visit our website.

For more information on Sheltering on the mainland for Category 3 or higher storms visit our Emergency Management Website:

www.monroecountyem.com

Or call:

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Shelter locations and directions will be provided at the appropriate time.