



Mediterranean arc

Tsunami risk

Did you know?

The Mediterranean arc, coastal region, could be exposed to tsunami generated by strong earthquakes off the coast of France, Italy and Maghreb. The beaches, the ports and the urban zones closest to the sea could be impacted.

Anticipate to react quickly!



Learn to recognize the previous signs announcing a tsunami.*



Identify by yourself the quickest way to join the highest land point.



Think of putting your family in security by preparing an emergency kit and a family procedure.

Alerts to the population

In case of a tsunami, the best reflex is to put yourself in safety, on the high level land points, without waiting, taking with you the emergency kit, and this, for several hours, because the first tsunami wave is not often the highest.



Sirens.



Automatic alert messages.



Directives given by the municipal police and beach life guards.



THE EMERGENCY KIT



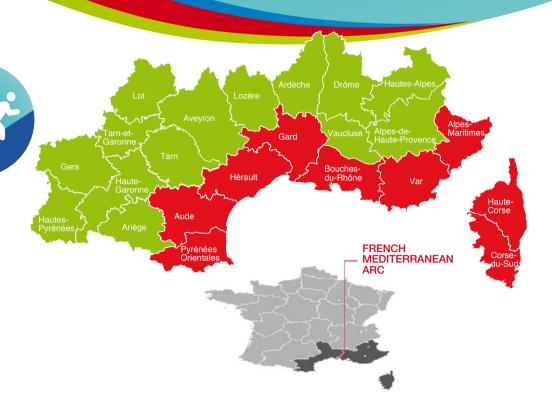
Think about it **TODAY!**

Personnalise the content of your emergency kit according to personnal needs. Put it away in a place accessible to all the members of the family.

The emergency kit must be equiped with medicines, food and information equipment:

- ☐ Water, long conservation food☐ First aid kit
- Medicines
- ☐ Garbage bags
- Pocket lamp, radio and batteries
- ☐ Candles, matchsticks, cigarette
- lighters Whistle
- Copies of your personnal papers

Cross check the material in your kit and control regulary the expiry date of the different elements.



sunami - Miyako - Japan on March 11th, 2011

* Previous signs of a tsunami:

If you perceive one or several of the following forerunners:

- A powerful or prolonged earthquake
- An abnormal variation of the sea level
- A deafning and unusual noise

Evacuate immediately the coastal areas without waiting for the official alerts!

Tsunami : good manners to adopt



Join immediately the high level land points by foot.

- Go quickly by foot far away from the coastal areas (beach, port ...) until you reach a high level land spot.
- Climb up to second or the third floor of a building.
- Climb up a tree in case of no other solution.



Respect the directives given by the authorities.



Don't drive.



If you are sailling at sea, go to the large.



Stay at a safety place until the authorities declare the end of the danger, which could take many hours.

More information on: http://www.info-tsunami.fr/

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