



DURING THE STORM

Do not go outside and stay clear of windows.

HURRICANE TIPS

If the 'eye' of the storm should pass directly over the island, the weather may clear and become calm. This will last anywhere from a few minutes to an hour depending on the speed of the storm. **REMAIN INSIDE YOUR HOUSE** during this time and only venture out to make emergency repairs. The storm will resume from the opposite direction and is usually stronger.

Please note: The great majority of injuries during a hurricane are cuts and blows caused by flying glass, trees or other debris. Other injuries include puncture wounds resulting from exposed nails or metal, and bone fractures.

- Stay indoors, but be ready to evacuate to a shelter or other location if your home is damaged, or if you are instructed to do so by emergency personnel.
- If your roof begins to fail, go to an inner room (preferably one without windows), or to a cupboard or passageway or empty bathtub or stall and shield yourself with a mattress.
- If you must use your car, keep watch for falling branches and power lines.
- Use telephone for emergencies only.
- Continue to listen for weather updates on either the local news stations or the Government Emergency Broadcast (FM 100.1 MHz).

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