

This program seeks to identify people who are **not able to evacuate themselves** or have **limited capability to escape** from catastrophic emergencies in Gilpin County

Registration is simple:

1. Fill out this form, and return it to Gilpin Ambulance Authority.
2. Participate in a Pre-Evacuation Assessment at your own home.
3. Stay informed on county conditions.
4. In the event of an emergency, have your escape kit

Follow the directions of emergency responders who arrive to evacuate you.

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GILPIN COUNTY EMERGENCY EVACUATION ASSISTANCE



GILPIN AMBULANCE AUTHORITY



Are you ready to evacuate in the event of a Wild Fire, Flood or Blizzard?

Do you need help evacuating in the event of an emergency?

Do you have a family member who needs help evacuating?

Critical Information

Regarding Your Safety
In the event of a
county wide emergency!

You or a family member may be at risk!

You may need assistance if you or a family member suffers from a:

- **Mobility Impairment**, affecting your ability to move quickly to avoid danger, or reach help.
- **Visual Impairment**, such as partial or complete blindness severely affecting your ability to escape danger.
- **Hearing Impairment**, affecting your ability to follow audible evacuation notices or commands.
- **Speech Impairment**, affecting your ability to communicate injury, illness, 911 phone calls, or ability to call/shout for help
- **Cognitive Impairment**, affecting your judgement in emergencies not only in recognition and avoidance of danger but in cooperation with emergency responders attempting to remove you from harms way.

YES!

I will need help evacuating in the event of an emergency and would like to participate in this service

Resident 1: _____

Resident 2: _____

Physical Address:

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Briefly describe any challenges faced by you that complicates your ability to evacuate:

Contact Gilpin Ambulance Authority with any questions or concerns regarding evacuation assistance - (303)-582-5499

For other emergency preparedness questions contact the Sheriffs Office - (303)-582-1060

Tips for evacuation preparedness

- Talk to your family and friends about evacuating. Plan where you will go. Plan a secondary place to evacuate to in case your primary location is not available.
- Have a bag ready with the most important items. Lists of phone numbers, your medications, financial information and family photo albums. Pack light, and only pack the essentials. In an evacuation, the most important item is YOU.
- In the event of an evacuation, do not waste time trying to turn off the utilities. The ultimate goal is to get you to safety.
- Don't delay your evacuation. Get to safety as soon as possible. Follow the instructions you receive when speaking to emergency responders, or through announcements you hear in your area.

Pre-Evacuation Assessment

After you return our registration form to Gilpin Ambulance Authority you will be contacted to set up a site review to pre-plan your evacuation. This time is crucial, as this is a chance for emergency responders to meet you and understand your needs.

During your interview, we will record some basic information about your specific needs for evacuation and address specific methods for quickly evacuating you and your loved ones. The local fire department will also have a representative present to inspect wild fire hazards around your home, and designate fire hazards that may increase the threat to you and your home.

Evacuation pre-plans will also include details to reasonably prepare to evacuate your service animal or companion pet during an emergency.

All Preplan - Actions - Requests based upon NFPA "Emergency Evacuation Planning Guide for People With Disabilities" Copyright June 2007