Pre-Cyclone phase

Take these steps to prepare yourself, and your loved ones to face cyclonic situation

1. Preparatory stage
   - Rely on official information from IMD, TNSDMA (Facebook, Twitter), TN SMART App
   - Maintain power back up
   - Be tuned to radio & TV for official updates

2. House Protection
   - Stay calm and do not panic. All windows and doors should be closed.

3. Valuables & Document Protection
   - Keep your valuables and documents in waterproof containers.

4. Stock up on Supplies
   - Stock essential food, water and medicines for 7 days.

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**Emergency kit**
Prepare an emergency kit with essential items such as, Rope, torch light, match box, batteries, band aid, knife, dry foods, water, medicines, glucose etc.
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For people residing indoors

- Remain Calm
- Continue to keep the doors and windows closed

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Listen To Radio, Watch TV & follow TNSDMA on Social Media for Official Updates and Advice

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- Do not park vehicles under trees
- Do not travel at the time of landfall
- Travel only after Official withdrawal of Cyclone alert
Strong winds can break windows or doors, so keep them CLOSED.
During landfall, the wind velocity will suddenly drop, don’t assume cyclone has passed.

VIOLENT WINDS will resume after the lull period.

Wait for the official “Cyclone crossed” announcement by IMD before stepping out.

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WARNING! - STORM AFTER THE LULL PERIOD
Rely only on official bulletins from IMD, TNSDMA (Facebook & Twitter page), TN SMART android application
(Use Social media wisely and avoid spreading rumours)

Stay alert and listen to Official advice

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Safety tips for Fishermen

✓ Fishermen should not venture into the sea
✓ Keep boats and rafts tied up in safe places & at safe distance from one another
Stay within or move to a nearest shelter or other safe buildings
Stay inside till the official announcement from Government
Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority

Safety tips during and after Cyclone

Water & Hygiene

✅ Drink boiled water
✅ Eat hygienic food

Avoid Water Stagnation
Use Clean Water
Wash Your Hands
Avoid Pre-Cut Fruits
Use Antiseptic
Boil Drinking Water
Clean Utensils before use
No Street Food
Cover Stored Water
Avoid Dampness
Don’t Stay Wet

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Do not enter damaged buildings

Watch out, be careful and stay away from trees, electric poles, wires etc.

Seek a safe shelter as soon as possible and stay secure

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Safety tips after Cyclone

1. Do not go outside until officially advised.

2. Beware of fallen power lines.

3. If wet, do not use electrical appliances.

4. Beware of snake-bites and insect bites and carry a stick when in rain water.

5. Keep your surroundings clean and spray disinfectants.

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