

ALL PURPOSE CHECKLIST		PAGE 1	OF 1	PAGES
TITLE/SUBJECT/ACTIVITY/FUNCTIONAL AREA		OPR	DATE	
HURRICANE SHELTER RELEASE & SAFE HAVEN RETURN		SEG		
NO.	ITEM <i>(Assign a paragraph number to each item. Draw a horizontal line between each major paragraph.)</i>			
	As a minimum, the following items should be briefed/provided to personnel prior to shelter release or return from safe haven. The release from shelters will be in stages dependent upon the status of the various destinations, neighborhoods, and housing areas.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
1.	Stay out of the disaster area. Unless you are authorized to help, your presence may hamper first-aid, rescue, and clean-up work. (Brief any known areas). Make sure you have proper personal protective equipment for the task. (i.e. gloves, steel toe boots, eye protection, ear plugs, long sleeves, and pants etc).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	People are anxious to get outside and survey the damages where they can come in contact with hazards. Be aware of the surroundings when returning as extreme damage could render a familiar landscape unrecognizable. Avoid river and streams. These waters may rise rapidly due to run off.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Do not touch fallen or low-hanging wires of any kind under any circumstances. Stay away from puddles with wires in/near them. Do not touch trees or other objects in contact with power lines. Call police or utility companies (CSC on base) immediately to report hazards downed power lines, broken gas or water mains, overturned gas tanks, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	If your are driving, use extreme caution. Drive only if needed. Streets may be filled with debris especially secondary travel routes (back roads & short cuts). Stay away and be alert for flooded roads and under passes. Do not attempt to drive on washed out roadways.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	Walk cautiously. Avoid stray pets, wild animals, watch for snakes. Animals will seek shelter on high ground and maybe in or around your home. Normally placid pets may panic and attack with little or no warning. (Note Red/Fire ants maybe floating in flooded areas, watch your step).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	Guard against spoiled food. Use dry or canned food. Do not drink or prepare food with tap water until you are certain it is not contaminated with flood waters. Eat and drink only foods/liquids you are absolutely sure are safe. If power has been out, food that was refrigerated or frozen may not be safe to eat.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7.	Supervise children closely. Ensure they do not wonder off. Numerous hazards may still be present.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8.	Keep radios and televisions tuned to local broadcast stations for updates and area specific information. Law enforcement agencies often put curfews in place, so anyone out at night could be subject to arrest.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9.	Use care handling power tools, gas lanterns, generators and matches. Do not operate charcoal grills, propane camping stoves or generators indoors.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10.	Do not use electrical appliances until they're dry. Replace any gas control valves, electric circuit breakers, ground-fault interrupters and fuses that have been in water.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.	All mishaps must be reported to the installation safety office, even those that seem minor. The installation safety office then decides if a mishap meets reporting criteria. Follow your unit mishap reporting guidelines. (chain of command + wing safety 7-2910 or command post 7-4330). AETC Mishap form 435 must be generated, signed and forwarded to wing safety.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

