

# Be Prepared for Flood Damage

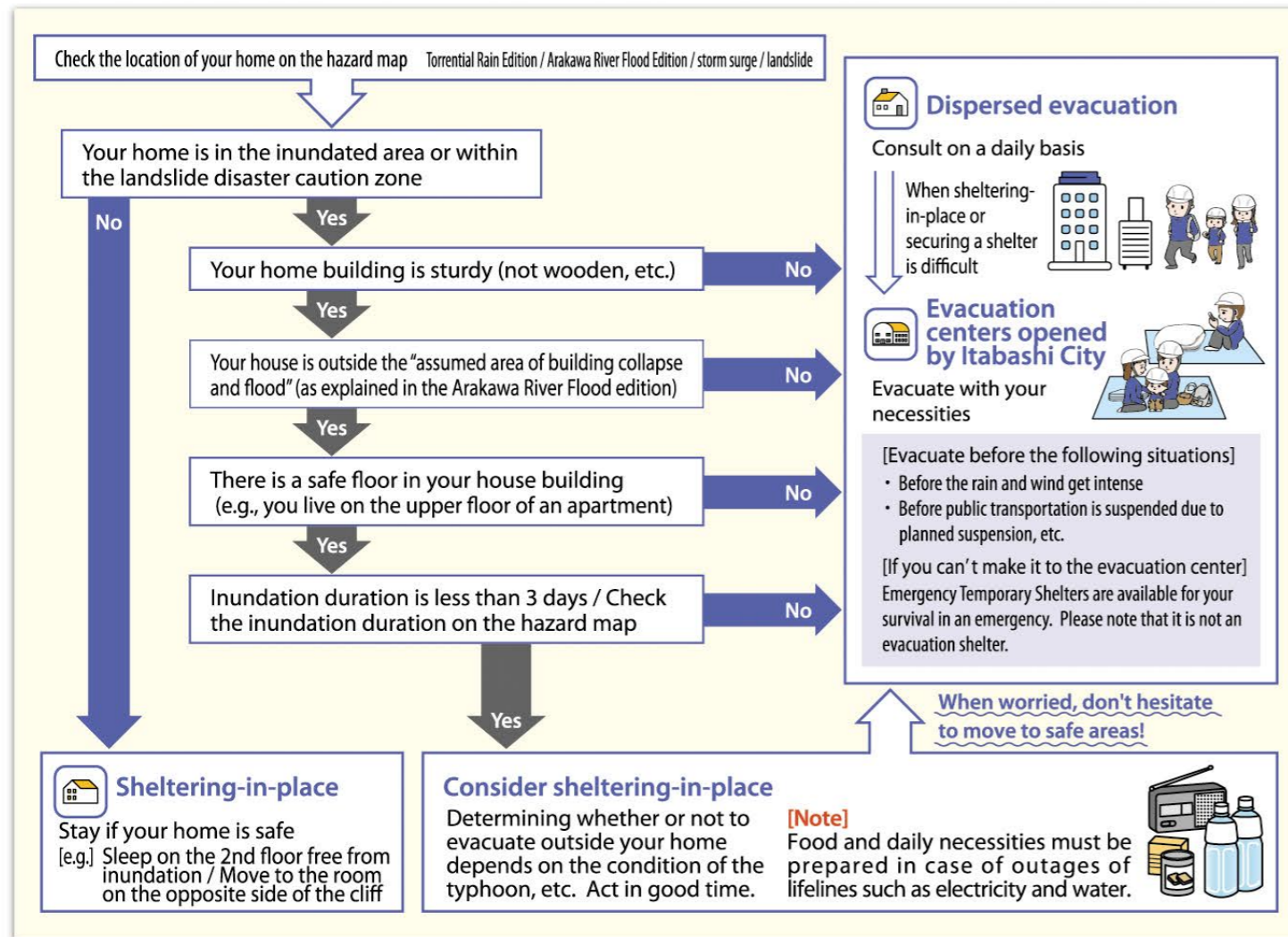
## Alert levels and evacuation activities

The City issues "evacuation information" with alert levels determined from the comprehensive overview of "disaster preparedness weather information" issued by the JMA, the amount of rainfall, and the status of the river water level. The Level 5 information is issued only when the City knows about the outbreak and the status of a disaster; therefore it is not always issued. To evacuate safely, make sure to evacuate **while the Level 4 information is issued**.

Alert level	Evacuation information issued by the ward	Information from the JMA, etc. (Disaster preparedness weather information)	What a resident should do
<b>5</b>	<b>Emergency Safety Measures</b>	<b>5 equivalent</b> <b>Heavy Rain Emergency Warning, Information on flooding, etc.</b>	<b>LIFE IN DANGER: SECURE SAFETY NOW</b>
<b>Be sure to evacuate by alert level 4</b>			
<b>4</b>	<b>Evacuation instruction</b>	<b>4 equivalent</b> <b>Landslide Alert Information Information on potential flood hazards, etc.</b>	<b>All evacuate from hazardous places</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Evacuation of the elderly, etc.</b>	<b>3 equivalent</b> <b>Heavy Rain Warning Flood Warning Information to provide a warning on flooding, etc.</b>	<b>Those who take a long time to evacuate should leave hazardous areas.</b>
<b>2</b>		<b>2 equivalent</b> <b>Heavy Rain Advisory Flood Advisory, etc.</b>	<b>Check the evacuation action with hazard maps, etc.</b>
<b>1</b>		<b>Probability of warnings</b>	<b>Those who take a long time to evacuate should leave hazardous areas.</b>

## Evacuation activity determination flow

Make sure to check the flow chart to save life.



## How to collect information

Listen to every public announcement made by the disaster prevention authorities, etc., to gather correct information. Never get confused by false rumors or become the one to spread them.

### Gather information from TV

#### NHK-G Data Broadcast ("d" button)

Set your TV channel to **NHK-G** and you will see the disaster information on the L-shaped ticker. For more information, press the **"d" button** to show the data broadcast screen. Then, select "Regional disaster prevention/life information" to check the disaster-related information sent out by the City.

#### J:COM Channel (Ch. 11)

Press **Channel 11** on your **TV remote control** to watch disaster-related information such as disaster statuses and evacuation information, as well as life support information in the course of recovery efforts. Available free of charge if your home is compatible with J:COM.

\*Not available at some locations/buildings.

\*If you're watching the information with the TV-installed tuner, you may have to reset the TV channels.

### Check websites, etc.!

#### Itabashi City official website

<https://www.city.itabashi.tokyo.jp/>



#### Itabashi City Disaster Preparation & Crime Prevention information X (former Twitter)

@itabashi\_bousai



#### JMA website

<https://www.jma.go.jp/jma/index.html>



#### MLIT River Hazard Observation

<https://www.river.go.jp/portal/#80>



#### Tokyo Metropolitan Flood Control Integrated Information System

<https://www.kasen-suibo.metro.tokyo.jp/im/uryosui/tsim0102g.html>



#### Itabashi City weather information

<https://www.micosweb.jp/web/itabashi/quick01>



### Use mobile phones/smartphones

#### Itabashi City Disaster Preparation information e-mail newsletter service / Itabashi City official LINE account

E-mail/LINE newsletters of various weather information announced by the JMA, the rainfall amount/river water level information observed by the City, and urgent notices from the City.

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Itabashi City official LINE account



Send a blank email.

#### Yahoo! Disaster Prevention App (for smartphones)

A free app to receive information from Itabashi City on the opening of evacuation centers and emergency information for disaster prevention.

\*Generates connection fees.

#### <How to sign up>

- ① Read the QR code to download "Yahoo! Disaster Prevention App".
- ② Launch the app, and go to "Setting" → select "Itabashi City" at "Set region".
- ③ Likewise, go to "Setting" → "Set region" → set "Municipal emergency information" to "On".



#### Itabashi Disaster Prevention + Portal and App

A one-stop portal of useful information at times of disaster, such as at-a-glance maps and lists of evacuation instructions and shelter opening status, public transportation services, and weather information.

Portal site  
<https://bosaiportal-city.itabashi.tokyo.tumsy.net/>



## Always be prepared

### Prepare for a stockpile

Stockpile in case of staying at home etc. for more than one week.

- [e.g.]
- Drinking water (3ℓ a day per adult)
  - Food (3 meals' worth a day per adult)
  - Portable toilets (5 times' worth a day per adult)
  - Daily necessities (masks, flashlight, gas cartridge stove, lighter, radio, tissue paper, plastic bags, storage battery, etc.)

### Prepare to prevent inundation, etc.

#### Set advance measures for underground facilities

- When an inundation is expected at underground parking lots, etc., set water stops and sandbags.
- Inspect and overhaul pumps and other water discharge facilities.

#### Clean street gutters/inlets

- Clogging of street gutters and inlets cause road submerges and inundations.
- Do not put block the surface of the gutters/inlets.
- Please help us clean the gutters/inlets on a daily basis.

### Prepare for survival kit

Always have the survival kit ready to bring with you in case of evacuation.

- [e.g.]
- Valuables (Cash/passbook, etc.)
  - Clothes (Socks/extra clothes, etc.)
  - Water/food (Drinking water/emergency food, etc.)
  - Medical supplies (Household medicine/antiseptic, etc.)
  - Daily necessities (Masks/tissue paper, etc.)
  - Others (Radio/mobile battery, etc.)

## Facilities within the inundation simulated area for persons requiring special care and consideration

For the list of facilities within the inundation simulated area for persons requiring special care and consideration (facilities subject to evacuation security planning), designated in Itabashi City's Local Disaster Prevention Plan, go to the City's official website.

<https://www.city.itabashi.tokyo.jp/bousai/bousai/1014933.html>

