



# CERT Equipment Checklist

Keeping and maintaining your CERT equipment is your responsibility. These two lists define both the required and recommended equipment lists that you need for CERT deployments.

You should use the “Required Equipment” checklist to inventory your kit after each deployment, keep your kit in your vehicle at all times, and your ID cards on your person.

Be sure to periodically check the expiration date(s) and replace perishable items like food, water, batteries, and first aid creams.

## Required Equipment

- ☐ CERT ID Card
- ☐ Long Pants
- ☐ Sturdy Shoes or Boots (No open-toed shoes or sandals; canvas/tennis shoes allowed for drills or exercises, but not for actual emergency deployment)
- ☐ CERT Vest
- ☐ Helmet (hard hat)
- ☐ Dust Mask
- ☐ Goggles / Safety Glasses
- ☐ Rubber/ Latex Gloves
- ☐ Leather Gloves
- ☐ First Aid Kit
- ☐ Whistle (for signaling)
- ☐ Flashlight
- ☐ Extra Batteries
- ☐ Gas/Water Wrench
- ☐ Bottled Water
- ☐ Non-perishable Food
- ☐ Pen
- ☐ Set of the CERT Forms
- ☐ Pen(s) / Pencil(s)
- ☐ Code of Conduct

## Recommended Additional Items

- ☐ WVREDI ID card
- ☐ Thumb Drive with copies of your ID cards, certifications, and medical & emergency contact information
- ☐ Tri-fold cheat sheet
- ☐ Duct Tape
- ☐ Caution Tape
- ☐ Triage Tape
- ☐ Duct Tape
- ☐ Knife (folding or pocket)
- ☐ Sturdy Scissors
- ☐ Multi-tool
- ☐ Crowbar
- ☐ Pens / Graphite Pencils
- ☐ Lumber Crayons
- ☐ Markers / Sharpies
- ☐ Water-Impermeable Notebooks
- ☐ Hat (for indoor or staging area only)
- ☐ Hardhat Headlamp
- ☐ Poncho or Rain Gear
- ☐ Extra Pair of Socks
- ☐ Ear Plugs
- ☐ Carabiners
- ☐ Rope or straps
- ☐ Sun Block
- ☐ Antiseptic Hand Cleaner
- ☐ Cell Phone
- ☐ FRS or Amateur Radio