2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN QUEENSLAND





Get Ready Queensland undertook state-wide market research in 2022 to understand Queenslanders' attitudes about their disaster risk and steps they have taken to prepare.

History shows us that disasters can happen anywhere in Queensland with little warning such as a sudden severe storm that destroys homes, a drought breaking flood or a bushfire.

In the past decade, Queensland has been impacted by 97 significant natural disaster events and \$20 billion has been placed for relief, recovery and reconstruction works.



Queensland communities

3 STEPS TO GET READY

Go to www.getready.qld.gov.au to make your emergency plan.

Having a plan means your household is ready for extreme weather, with important contacts and household information that is right for you, your family, your pets and your property.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS BEHAVIOURS



57% are registered for

emergency notifications

50% have an emergency kit





62% have an emergency plan

84% have building and/or contents insurance



Understand your **risk**

Prepare a household emergency plan

Pack an emergency kit







2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND COMMUNITIES





SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND (SEQ)

People who live in SEQ communities were asked what extreme weather could happen where they live and what they are doing to get ready.

This region covers the following:

- Brisbane
- Gold Coast
- Ipswich
- Lockyer Valley
- Logan
- Moreton Bay

- Noosa
- Redland
- Scenic Rim
- Somerset
- Sunshine Coast
- Toowoomba



SEQ communities rank their

extremely likely)

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59% are registered for

emergency notifications

22

58% have an

emergency plan

1. Understand your **risk**



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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS BEHAVIOURS



45% have an

emergency kit

84% have building

and/or contents insurance

2. Prepare a 3 household er emergency plan







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2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN **QUEENSLAND COASTAL COMMUNITIES**





QUEENSLAND COASTAL COMMUNITIES

People who live in Queensland Costal communities were asked what extreme weather could happen where they live and what they are doing to get ready.

This region covers the following:

- Bundaberg
- Burdekin
- Cairns
- **Cassowary Coast**
- Cook
- Douglas
- Fraser Coast
- Gladstone

- Hinchinbrook
- Livingstone
- Mackay
- Rockhampton
- Townsville
- Whitsunday
- Gympie



3 STEPS TO GET READY

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2. Prepare a household emergency plan









52% are registered for

emergency notifications

75% have an

emergency plan



66% have an emergency kit



83% have building and/or contents insurance



- 1. Understand your **risk**



2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN **QUEENSLAND RURAL AND REMOTE COMMUNITIES**





QUEENSLAND RURAL AND REMOTE COMMUNITIES

People who live in Queensland Rural and Remote communities were asked what extreme weather could happen where they live and what they are doing to get ready.

This region covers the following:

Northern Queensland

- Mareeba
- Croydon
- Etheridge
- Tablelands
- Charters Towers
- Flinders
- Richmond
- **McKinlay**

- Southern Queensland
 - Boulia
 - Winton
- Longreach Blackall-
- Tambo Barcoo •
 - Diamantina
 - Quilpie
- Murweh •

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- Bulloo
 - Paroo Balonne
 - Goondiwindi
 - Southern Downs
- South Burnett
- North Burnett



Rural and Remote



3.67

4.63 Flood

4.05





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1. Understand your **risk**

2. Prepare a emergency



household plan

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emergency plan

51% are registered for

emergency notifications

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64% have an



DISASTER PREPAREDNESS BEHAVOIOURS

91% have building and/or contents insurance

61% have an

Emergency Kit

2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN **QUEENSLAND RESOURCES AND MINING COMMUNITIES**





QUEENSLAND RESOURCES AND MINING COMMUNITIES

People who live in Queensland Resources and Mining communities were asked what extreme weather could happen where they live and what they are doing to get ready.

This region covers the following:

Northern Queensland

- Burke
- Carpentaria
- Mount Isa Cloncurry
- Weipa Town Authority

- Southern Queensland
- Isaac
- Barcaldine
- **Central Highlands**
- Banana
- Maranoa
- Western Downs



3 STEPS TO GET READY

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make your emergency plan.

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49% are registered for emergency notifications

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70% have an

emergency plan

1. Understand your **risk**

2. Prepare a household emergency plan

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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS BEHAVIOURS



kit

57% have an

emergency kit

82% have building

and/or contents insurance

3. Pack an emergency





2022 DISASTER PREPAREDNESS IN QUEENSLAND ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER COMMUNITIES **Aboriginal and Torres Strait**





ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER **COMMUNITIES**

People who live in Queensland Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities were asked what extreme weather could happen where they live and what they are doing to get ready.

This region covers the following:

- Aurukun
- Cherbourg
- Doomadgee
- Hope Vale
- Kowanyama
- Lockhart River
- Mapoon
- Mornington

- Napranum
- Northern Peninsula
- Palm Island
- Pormpuraaw
- **Torres Shire**
- Torres Strait
- Woorabinda
- Wujal Wujal
- Yarrabah



Scale of 1 to 10 (0 is unlikely and 10 is

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24% are registered for emergency notifications

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77% have an

emergency plan

1. Understand your **risk**

2. Prepare a household emergency

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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS BEHAVIOURS



3. Pack an

kit

82% have an

emergency kit

39% have building

and/or contents insurance

emergency plan









