



Notice from Kagoshima Prefecture

Nuclear Disaster Preparation Training

February 7 (Sat) 7:00 am to 6:00 pm



Organized by

Kagoshima Prefecture, the City of Satsumasendai, the City of Ichikikushikino, the City of Akune, the City of Kagoshima, the City of Izumi, the City of Hioki, the City of Aira, the Town of Satsuma, and the Town of Nagashima

Purpose

- Based on the Japanese Government's Nuclear Emergency Response Guidelines and evacuation plans formulated by the prefecture and relevant municipalities, we will conduct a comprehensive exercise in cooperation with the national government, plant operator, and other entities with the goal of enhancing disaster awareness among local residents and strengthening coordination among stakeholders.
- Based on the lessons learned from the exercise, we'll review and revise evacuation plans and work to enhance and strengthen nuclear disaster preparedness measures.

Characteristics

- The evacuation exercise is divided into two groups: residents within the PAZ (approximately within a 5 km radius of the nuclear power plant) and residents within the UPZ (approximately within a 5 to 30 km radius of the nuclear power plant).
- The exercise will be conducted on a compressed, one-day schedule to simulate a faster progression of the accident.
- The PAZ evacuation exercise will start around 8:35 am. The UPZ evacuation exercise will start around 10:10 am.
- During the overall training, evacuation will be conducted under the assumption that the spatial radiation dose rates have increased in certain areas of City of Satsumasendai and Town of Satsuma within the UPZ.
- In the region-specific component of the exercise, each municipality will conduct communication drills, evacuation exercises, and evacuation guidance training.
- Public announcements and evacuation drills will be conducted using the Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App.



Primary exercise

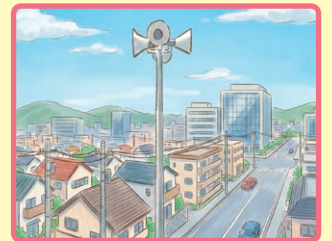
- Establishment of a Disaster Response Headquarters by the prefecture and participating municipalities
- Setup and operation of an off-site center
- Reporting of abnormal events and communication among stakeholders
- Implementation of emergency monitoring; collection and evaluation of measurement results
- Implementation of evacuation area exit inspections; distribution of and instructions for taking stable iodine tablets
- Information dissemination via municipalities' emergency radio networks, sound trucks, Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App, and other channels
- Evacuation of residents and others in coordination with relevant organizations, issuance of evacuation guidance, and provision of indoor sheltering at evacuation centers assuming scenarios such as building collapse
- Reception at temporary assembly points, issuance of clearance certificates at evacuation exit inspections, etc.

Requests

On the day of the exercise, public information drills will be conducted in certain areas using municipalities' emergency radio networks and sound trucks. Vehicles and personnel will participate in the exercise, so we appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

Emergency alert emails will be sent in Satsumasendai and Ichikikushikino.

If you have a mobile phone capable of receiving emergency alert emails or if you've installed the Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App, please be aware that you will receive notifications related to the exercise. Thank you in advance for your understanding.



For more information

Nuclear Safety Section, Kagoshima Prefecture Phone: 099-286-2378
 Disaster Preparedness and Safety Section, City of Satsumasendai Phone: 0996-23-5111
 Community Development and Disaster Preparedness Section, City of Ichikikushikino Phone: 0996-32-3111
 General Affairs Section, City of Akune Phone: 0996-73-1211
 Crisis Management Section, City of Kagoshima Phone: 099-224-1111

Safety and Security Promotion Section, City of Izumi Phone: 0996-63-2111
 General Affairs Section, City of Hioki Phone: 099-273-2111
 Crisis Management Section, City of Aira Phone: 0995-66-3111
 General Affairs Section, Town of Satsuma Phone: 0996-53-1111
 General Affairs Section, Town of Nagashima Phone: 0996-86-1111

Nuclear disaster preparation training will make use of the

Kagoshima Prefecture Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App!



Free download

*Data usage charges may apply.

1 What is the Kagoshima Prefecture Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App?

▶ This app, launched in fiscal 2022, allows users to view evacuation information and other critical updates in the event of a nuclear disaster.



▶ It uses QR codes to facilitate smooth check-in procedures at evacuation centers and other necessary processes.



2 What can you do with the Kagoshima Prefecture Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App?

▶ Receive notifications regarding evacuation from local authorities.



▶ Check the ambient radiation levels at nearby monitoring posts.



▶ Instantly access evacuation routes anytime, anywhere



▶ Use QR codes to check in at evacuation centers



3 Preparing for the nuclear disaster preparation training

1 Please install the Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App.

▶ Scan the QR code below or search for “かごしまけんげんしりよくぼうさい鹿児島県原子力防災アプリ” in your app store. If you don't have a smartphone, you'll receive a printed sheet with a QR code during check-in. Even on the day of the exercise, you can use this printed QR code to complete the check-in process.



If you have an Android phone



If you have an iPhone

2 Please register your name, address, and other information.

For more information

You can find instructions for downloading the Nuclear Emergency Preparedness App as well as a video introducing its functionality on Kagoshima Prefecture's website. Please search for “かごしまけんげんしりよくぼうさい鹿児島県原子力防災アプリ” or scan the QR code at the right.

