What Goes in a Home Emergency Binder

One binder you can grab on the way out. These are the 14 things your household would need in a crisis.

1. **Emergency contacts** ☐
   Family, neighbors, your doctor and your landlord or building manager.
2. **Copies of IDs** ☐
   Driver's licenses and passports for everyone.
3. **Insurance policy details** ☐
   Renters or home, health and auto: policy numbers and phone numbers.
4. **Medical information** ☐
   Allergies, medications and doctors' contacts.
5. **Bank and card contacts** ☐
   Phone numbers to freeze or replace cards.
6. **Lease or mortgage copy** ☐
   Proof of where you live.
7. **A list of accounts** ☐
   Utilities, subscriptions and online accounts, without passwords.
8. **Photos of your belongings** ☐
   A home inventory in case of a claim.
9. **Pet records** ☐
   Vaccines and vet contact.
10. **A house map** ☐
    Where the shutoffs are: water, gas and electric.
11. **Utility and repair contacts** ☐
    Plumber, electrician and building maintenance.
12. **An evacuation plan** ☐
    Meeting place and routes out of your home.
13. **A small amount of cash** ☐
    In small bills.

14 **A list of what to do next**

Who to call first and which documents to take.