

Extreme Weather Alert: Protect Your Home, Now.

Steps to take, ASAP >>



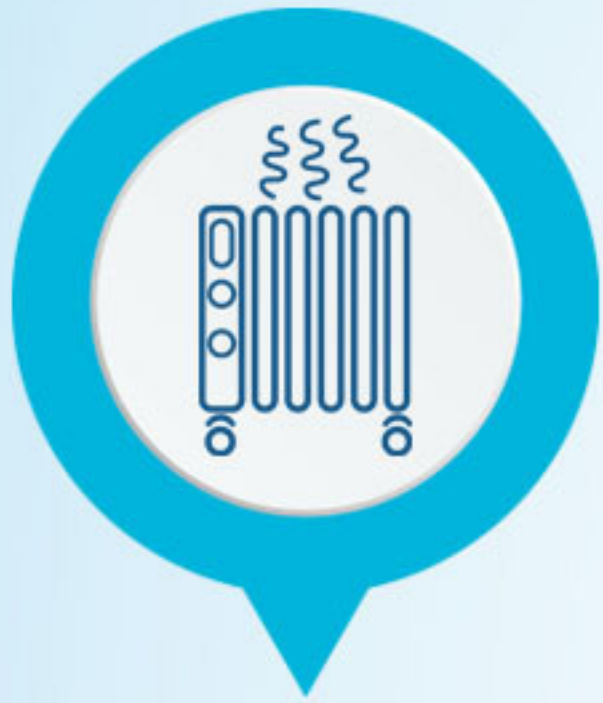
Seal vents.

Seal up vents in crawlspaces and basements. Some vents can simply be closed by hand, while others may require expanding spray foam or foam vent inserts.



Wrap pipes.

Insulate pipes if they are accessible.
Pipe insulation is inexpensive and easy to install.



Turn up the heat.

Make sure that you have adequate heat in areas that might be prone to freezing, especially where uninsulated pipes are exposed.



Dry up. And down.

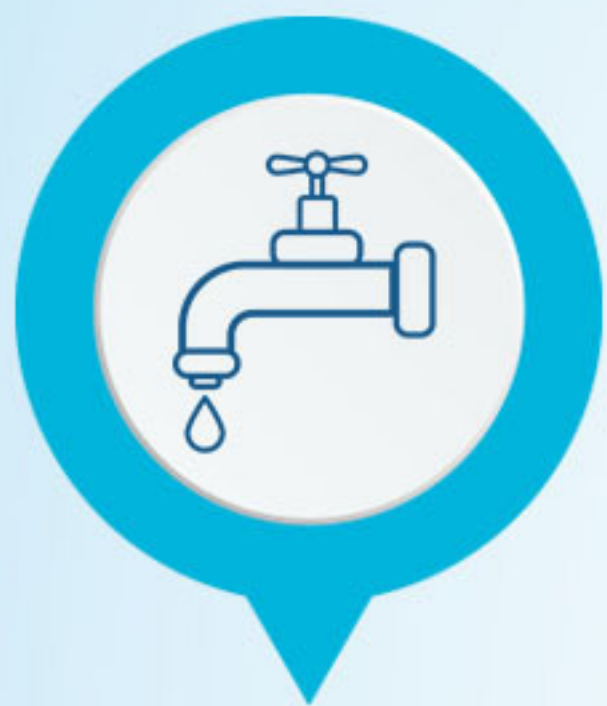
Warm up sluggish pipes with a hair dryer or other heating appliance, moving evenly along affected areas.



Let warmth circulate.

Open up spaces that might trap cold around pipes, like closets and under sinks.

Especially space adjacent to outside walls.



Let it flow.

Let the water trickle in sinks and bathtubs. Moving water is less likely to freeze. Flush toilets and run your taps a few times throughout the day and night.



Locate the shutoff.

Be aware of where your main water shutoff valve is located so you can be prepared to act in case a leak happens.



Check sensors.

If your policy includes sensors that monitor moisture and/or temperatures in your home, make sure they're in good working order.



Need more info?

Contact your insurance agent.