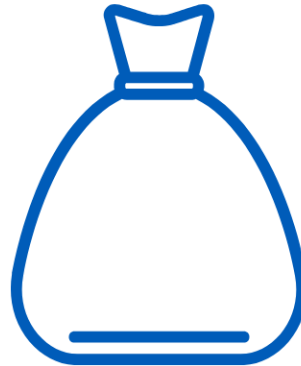
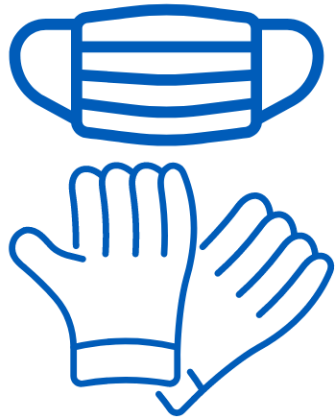


A photograph of a beach heavily littered with debris from a storm. In the foreground, there is a large pile of trash including plastic cups, food wrappers, and other unidentifiable debris. In the background, a long pier extends into the ocean, and a Ferris wheel is visible on the horizon under a cloudy sky. Two people are walking on the beach in the distance.

STORM RESPONSE TEAM

HOW TO PREPARE

- Make sure you have proper attire (rain jacket and boots)
- Wear Personal Protective Equipment (mask and gloves)
- Bring a bag or bucket to collect trash. Kitchen tongs work great for collecting wet trash!
- Plan where your cleanup location will take place. We will provide a list of suggested locations



THE CLEANUP



- Collect as much trash as possible
- Take photos, focusing on large amounts of trash, single-use plastic items, and PPE
- If you are at the coast, concentrate on the high tide line, since beach maintenance trucks will get to the trash on the high side



SAFETY TIPS

- If there's **lightning**, don't go
- Be careful near the **outfall**, and don't climb any fences to reach trash
- Wear sturdy **boots**
- Don't pick up that looks **sharp or dangerous**
- Wear **gloves**, and don't touch trash with your bare hands
- Stay at least **6 feet away** from any other people or groups

AFTER YOUR CLEANUP

1

Dispose of trash collected in appropriate receptacle. Make sure the trash can or dumpster isn't full or overflowing.

2

Wash your hands and sanitize all reusable cleanup gear thoroughly

3

Send photos, cleanup location, and any other important information to egarcia@healthebay.org

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