Campground emergency contacts

Complete a fresh copy at each stop and keep it reachable. This print-first packet has no medical, account or policy-number fields. Keep completed contact details private.

Immediate emergency in the U.S.? Call 911.

Give your location, callback number and what is happening. Follow the call-taker's instructions and stay on the line until told to hang up. This sheet and website do not contact help.

Campground name / street address / city / state

Site number / loop

County / emergency access entrance

Phone number you are calling from

Location last verified / date

Campground and trusted contacts

Office / park staff phone

After-hours staff phone

Trusted contact name / phone

Official local emergency-information source

Know the place to go before the hazard

Hazard-specific shelter / verified with whom and when / entry instructions

Route to shelter / backup if unavailable / meeting point

Weather watcher / backup

Two alert sources

An RV is not a tornado shelter. Do not assume a bathhouse is suitable for every hazard. Follow official warnings and instructions promptly; do not delay an urgent move to collect possessions.

Sources and further reading

National 911 Program: calling 911 and following dispatcher instructions
NWS: campground weather planning and hazard-specific shelter
NWS: what to do during a tornado

Roadside dispatch call sheet

For non-emergency assistance after immediate danger is addressed. In an emergency, call 911 first. Do not step into traffic or walk along an unsafe road to improve your location description.

Roadside provider / official dispatch number

Trusted contact / phone

Road / direction of travel / nearest exit, mile marker or cross street

Safe-to-identify position / map pin checked / callback number

Tell dispatch what must be supported

RV make / model / year / color / tow vehicle or towed-car configuration

Travel height + units

Total length + units

Width + units

Relevant verified weight / units / source; towing or recovery manual location

Observed symptom / immediate hazards to tell dispatch (no guessed diagnosis)

Ask: Can the dispatched equipment handle this configuration? How will travelers and pets be transported? What destination, charges and provider authorization are confirmed?

Dispatched company / callback

ETA / next update time

Confirmed destination / passenger transport plan / permission or cost questions

Manual or record shared / follow-up

Service outcome / date

Common mistake: assuming one tow vehicle has room for the whole party. Follow officials and qualified recovery personnel; this is not repair guidance. Store membership and policy details separately in your secure records.

Sources and further reading

FLHSMV: disabled-motorist safety guidance

NHTSA: road-trip preparation