Chapter: Safety & Emergency Procedures

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The following areas are addressed in NRTC's disaster preparedness plan:

- 1. Identification of essential personnel needed for the operation of the NRTC.
  - The Director, Managers, Supervisors and Youth Specialists, Kitchen support staff are essential personnel at NRTC.
- 2. Identification of an alternative physical work location including provisions for temporary work sites.
  - The alternative physical location for NRTC youth will be the Montgomery County Juvenile Court's Corrections facility in the Juvenile Justice Center.
- 3. Communication plan for Center staff with or without e-mail, internet or telephone access.
  - NRTC maintains a current list of staff phone numbers. In the event staff members
    cannot be reached by phone, supervisors will be responsible for making personal
    contact with their personnel.
- 4. Identification of essential work activities that must continue in order to ensure youth safety.
  - NRTC maintains supervision of the youth and the appropriate staff-to- youth ratios in order to ensure safety and security.
- 5. Procedures for tracking youth.
  - For those youth who are not at NRTC, supervisors will make contact with them to ensure their safety. The Probation Department can be used as a resource for contact information, if necessary.
- 6. Continuity of services to youth.
  - Essential services will continue to be provided at the alternative work location.
- 7. Maintenance and security of agency records.
  - Current youth files are maintained in a locked cabinet. Backup files are available through the Probation Department and the Court's electronic database.