# WHAT DO I DO IN THE EVENT OF A NUCLEAR EMERGENCY?

While a nuclear emergency in Ontario is unlikely, being prepared in advance and knowing what actions to take can better protect your personal safety. If you live within 10 km of Pickering or Darlington Nuclear Generating Station, please keep this information handy.



#### Remember to:

**GO** inside and turn on your radio or television for instructions.

**LISTEN** to the media reports.

**FOLLOW** instructions provided by the Province.

#### And:

Stay calm \* Don't evacuate — unless advised to do so

### Follow instructions for:

Evacuation \* Shelter in place \* Taking KI pills \* Reporting to a reception centre for monitoring

#### **Red Alert information:**

During a nuclear emergency, the Province also issues a Red Alert to recommend immediate actions to protect citizens, their families and others when there is an imminent threat to life, public safety or property.

# Be sure to sign up for public alerting at www.ontario.ca/emo.

### Your emergency checklist:

- \* Have a nearby friend, family member or neighbour with whom to communicate.
- \* Ensure you have at least one working flashlight and extra batteries.
- \* Ensure you have a battery-powered radio and extra batteries.
- \* Store at least four litres of water per person per day (two for drinking, two for washing) for three days.
- \* Store a three-day supply of food for each person and pet. Select foods that are compact, lightweight and non-perishable, and require no refrigeration, cooking, preparation or added water.
- \* Pick up your KI pills.

# Keep the following supplies in a sturdy, easy-to-carry bag:

- \* A manual can opener
- \* Extra keys for the house and car
- \* A first-aid kit
- \* Cash in small bills
- \* Any medications, infant formula
- \* KI pills

# If you live in Durham, KI pills are available free-of-charge at the following pharmacies:

- \* Bay Ridges Pharmacy, 1794 Liverpool Rd. Pickering, 905-839-1123
- \* Pickering Medical Pharmacy, 1885 Glenanna Rd. Pickering, 905-831-8181
- \* Liverpool Pharmacy, 725 Krosno Blvd. Pickering, 905-839-4300
- \* Global Drug Mart Remedy's Rx, 130 Waverly Rd. Bowmanville, 905-623-2333
- \* Courtice Pharmasave, 2727 Courtice Rd. Courtice, 905-432-8888

### If you live in Toronto:

Call the Toronto Office of Emergency Management at 416-392-4554 or email oem@toronto.ca