

# Chemical Emergency.

## Our Kids Know What to Do. Do You?

When it comes to chemical emergencies, our kids could teach us a thing or two. That's because every school child in Torrance is taught what actions to take should there ever be a significant chemical release. Want to be sure? Go ahead, ask them what to do when they hear the Community Alert Siren. Then compare their answer to the instructions below.

### WHERE TO GO?

### WHAT TO DO?

#### DRIVING



1. Continue driving unless directed otherwise by emergency personnel or traffic controls.
2. Close windows, vents; turn off air conditioner/heater.
3. Turn your radio to 1620AM CitiSOUNDS and listen for further instructions.
4. If your vehicle stalls, DO NOT start the engine. Shelter In Place.

#### HOME



Stay Inside and Shelter In Place.

#### WORK/SCHOOL



Stay Inside and Shelter In Place.

#### OUTDOORS



Go into a building or vehicle. Shelter In Place.

#### PARKED



1. Shelter In Place. DO NOT start the engine!
2. Close windows, vents; turn off air conditioner/heater.
3. Turn your radio to 1620AM CitiSOUNDS and listen for further instructions.

### SHELTER IN PLACE



1. Go indoors immediately.



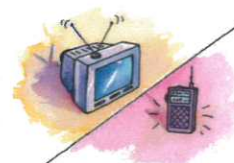
2. Close doors and windows.



3. Turn off heaters and air conditioners. Close fireplace dampers.



4. Additional precautions to consider: cover nose and mouth with wet cloth and seal windows.



5. Watch Torrance CitiCABLE 3 or local television stations. Listen to KNX 1070AM, KFWB 980AM or Torrance CitiSOUNDS 1620AM.



6. Wait for additional instructions. Following an "all clear" message, air out your home.

**IT IS IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER THAT THE TORRANCE COMMUNITY ALERT SIREN IS TESTED ON THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT APPROXIMATELY 11:30 AM.**

This information is provided by **ExxonMobil** in coordination with the City of Torrance and the Torrance Fire Department (TFD). For more information about the Torrance Community Warning System, please contact TFD Fire Prevention at (310) 618-2973.

**TORRANCE COMMUNITY WARNING SYSTEM. YOU NEED TO KNOW!**