# Community Emergency Plan Checklist

**Preparation and Planning:**
Risk Assessment: Identify potential emergencies and their impact on the community.
Resource Inventory: List available resources including personnel, equipment, and supplies.
Skill Inventory: Identify individuals with special skills like medical training, search and rescue experience.
Emergency Contact List: Compile contacts for local emergency services, utilities, and other essential services.

**Communication:**
Emergency Alert System: Establish a system for notifying community members of an emergency.
Two-Way Communication: Ensure a system for communication among community members and emergency responders.
Information Sharing: Establish a platform for sharing information and updates.

**Response Coordination:**
Emergency Response Team: Establish a team to coordinate the response to emergencies.

Training and Drills: Conduct regular training and drills to prepare for various emergency scenarios.
Evacuation Routes: Identify and clearly mark evacuation routes.
Emergency Shelters: Identify or establish shelters for residents who need to evacuate their homes.

## Medical Preparedness:
First Aid Supplies: Ensure a sufficient stock of first aid supplies.
Medical Personnel: Identify medical personnel within the community and coordinate with local medical facilities.
Health and Safety Information: Distribute information on basic health and safety measures during emergencies.

## Supply Stockpiling:
Food and Water: Stockpile non-perishable food and water supplies.
Medical Supplies: Stockpile essential medical supplies and medications.
Power: Arrange for emergency power supplies like generators or solar chargers.

## Infrastructure Protection:
Utility Systems: Ensure utility systems are protected and have backup plans.

Transportation: Ensure transportation systems are functional and have alternative options.
Building Assessments: Ensure buildings are structurally sound and equipped for emergencies.

**Recovery Planning:**
Damage Assessment: Establish a system for assessing damage post-emergency.
Cleanup and Repair: Organize teams and resources for cleanup and repair.
Mental Health Support: Arrange for mental health support for community members.
Public Education and Information:
Emergency Preparedness Workshops: Organize workshops to educate community members.
Information Distribution: Distribute preparedness information through various channels.