



## Methods of gathering information during a disaster

Disaster prevention information may be obtained through various means, such as using the prefecture's website, broadcast radio, mail magazines, etc. Make use of them regularly to be more prepared for emergencies.

### Obu City website

<https://www.city.obu.aichi.jp/>



### Aichi Prefecture River Disaster Prevention Information

<http://www.kasen-owari.jp/>



### Obu City river water level information

<https://www.city.obu.aichi.jp/kurashi/dourokasen/kasen/1002178.html>



### Nagoya Regional Meteorological Observatory website

<https://www.jma-net.go.jp/nagoya/>



### Broadcast radio

Timely information is promptly broadcast over broadcast radio in the event of a disaster. Emergency messages via "J Alert" will also be disseminated.

< [When listening to information over broadcast radio](#) >

Information from broadcast radio may be confirmed by phone.

☎ 0562-45-6209    ☎ 0562-45-6213

### Obu City Disaster Prevention Radio

At the Obu City Hall Crisis Management Division, a "disaster prevention radio" which can receive wireless radio broadcast contents, may be purchased for 1,500 yen per unit.

Disaster prevention radios can also receive AM and FM radio broadcasts aside from disaster information broadcasting like earthquake early warning, evacuation advisories, etc., as well as emergency broadcasting concerning citizens' protection such as terrorism, etc.

### Yahoo! Disaster Prevention Flash Report

<https://emg.yahoo.co.jp/>



Disaster-related information such as evacuation information, early earthquake warnings, tsunami, torrential rain warnings as well as future forecasts and predictions, may be received as urgent notices via email from personal computers or mobile phones and smartphone applications etc.

### Chitamaru Anzen Anshin Mail Magazine

[https://www.chitamaru.jp/safety\\_info/melmaga\\_add.asp](https://www.chitamaru.jp/safety_info/melmaga_add.asp)



This is Chita Peninsula's mail magazine, which disseminates safety / relief information to the region. Aside from weather warnings and disaster prevention information for Obu City, information regarding crime prevention, earthquake flash reports, etc., may be received.

### Japan Meteorological Agency Radar - Nowcast

<https://www.jma.go.jp/jp/radnowc/>



Various weather forecasts are posted on the Japan Meteorological Agency website. "Precipitation Nowcast" information predicts the distribution of rainfall every 10 minutes for up to one hour ahead.

### Emergency Flash Report Mail

Emergency weather and disaster prevention information are delivered through the services offered by NTT docomo, au, SoftBank Mobile via compatible mobile devices. There are also special ringtones for emergency flash report mail. No advance registration is required. However, some handsets may need to be set up to receive this service depending on the model of the device.

### Do you know anything about "J Alert" ?

"J Alert" is a means to directly convey information in various ways from the government to citizens, when urgent situations arise requiring immediate response or action, such as information concerning ballistic missile launching, large-scale terrorism, emergency earthquake early warning, tsunami warnings, etc. So when an alert is sent through J-Alert, everyone should follow instructions from the authorities and take immediate action as well as gather accurate information.

### Civil Protection Portal Site

<http://www.kokuminhogo.go.jp/>



### Actions to take when there is a possibility that a ballistic missile might strike.

Aside from sending a message along with a special siren through the broadcasting radio, everyone will be notified via the emergency flash report mail, etc. Everyone is advised to act quick and be calm.

When you are outdoors	When there are no buildings	When you are indoors
Take refuge inside a nearby building or underground. (Note)	Take cover behind things or keep your head against the ground.	Move away from the windows or move to a room without windows.

(Note) If possible, a sturdy building would be best. If there aren't any nearby, other buildings may do as well.