

30 Days 30 Ways

Family Emergency Preparedness

Kit Storage

Ok – so you and your family have started building your kit – Good! What is the best container for your kit and where should you keep it? Here are a few things to consider:

Rubbermaid tubs are water proof, pest proof, easy to store and can be used as a water storage container.



Draw backs -the tub can be heavy and difficult to carry should evacuation become necessary:

5 gallon buckets have many of the same advantages of a rubbermaid tub. While they are easier to carry they do not offer the same storage capacity.



My choice is a backpack or roll behind piece of luggage. Although they are not water proof they are the best container should evacuation on foot become necessary.



Storage:

After a great deal of thought I now store my kit in my car. My car goes with me to work, Church, shopping etc. By storing it in my car it also supplements my vehicle breakdown kit.