



2023 Youth Xchange Sponsored Category:

## Talk Story: Share Na'auao...Wisdom!!



Share na'auao, or wisdom, we have learned from an emergency event in Hawai'i.

### WHAT

Hawai'i is vulnerable to flooding, hurricanes, earthquakes, toxic spills, tsunamis, wildfires, and other disasters, such as disease outbreaks like the COVID-19 pandemic.

### WHY

We must learn from the past and share with our 'ohana and visitors ways we can plan and prepare now, to endure and recover from an emergency or disaster in Hawai'i.

### HOW

Tell us a story! Find someone who lived through a natural disaster or public health emergency. (Hint: Ask grandparents, aunties, uncles, parents, kupuna)

Some examples of recent and past disasters or emergencies include:

- *Hurricanes*: Iwa (1982), Iniki (1992), Lane (2018)
- *Disease Outbreaks*: SARS (2003), H1N1 (2009), Ebola (2015), Zika (2016), COVID-19 (2020-22)
- *Earthquake* (1973), *Flood* (2006 & 2021), *Spill* (2021), *Tsunami* (1946 & 1975), *Volcano* (1983 & 2018)

**Your PSA should be 45 to 90 seconds long.**

Check out the links below for more information:

- Prepare NOW Hawaii | [www.preparenowhawaii.org/](http://www.preparenowhawaii.org/) | @PrepareNOWHI
- Ready Kids | [www.ready.gov/kids/disaster-facts](http://www.ready.gov/kids/disaster-facts)
- Prepare With Family | [health.hawaii.gov/prepare/protect-your-family/make-a-plan/](http://health.hawaii.gov/prepare/protect-your-family/make-a-plan/)



### **Necessities.**

Necessities to stay clean, warm, hydrated, fed and in touch.



### **Organization.**

Organized so loved ones are all informed and on the same page



### **Wellness.**

Wellness steps and needs to keep healthy and less stressed.