The SAFE Program is recommended for people who:

• Use electricity for medical equipment, like:
  • breathing treatments,
  • refrigerated medications,
  • reading magnifiers; and/or
• Use supplemental oxygen; and/or
• Depend on others for routine transportation needs; and/or
• Need mobility assistance; and/or
• Use specialized transportation equipment, like:
  • wheelchairs,
  • walkers,
  • scooters; and/or
• Use “life-sustaining” prescription medications including but not limited to:
  • Heart medication
  • Breathing medication
  • Diabetes medication; and/or
• Receive medication by mail; and/or
• Receive meal delivery service; and/or
• Receive meals/groceries by mail.

Complete an Application
By Visiting:
Mariposa County
Public Health Branch
5300 Hwy 49 N.
Mariposa, CA 95338
Health & Human Services Agency

By Mail:
Call our office at 209-966-3689 or 800-459-4466 to request an application be mailed to you.

By Internet:
www.mariposacounty.org/SAFE
The application can be printed OR completed online.
During a declared emergency or disaster, SAFE Program Staff will:

⇒ Advocate your specific medical and/or health needs to the emergency response agencies including transportation needs during an evacuation.
⇒ Provide resource requests to the emergency management to meet your specific medical and/or health needs in evacuation shelters.
⇒ Be available in an evacuation shelter to provide you with any information you included in your SAFE application. We offer this service in case you did not have enough time to bring your medical, health and/or emergency contact information with you.
⇒ Be available in an evacuation shelter to help identify and obtain any additional medical and/or health resources you may have.

If there is a widespread power outage lasting longer than 36 hours, SAFE Program Staff will:

⇒ Contact you if you have indicated you rely on electricity for any medical equipment including oxygen and medication delivery devices. We offer this service to ensure your necessary medical and/or health needs are being met.

If the community you live in becomes isolated due to landslide, rockslide, severe weather, floods and/or earthquake, SAFE Program Staff will:

⇒ Attempt to contact you if you have indicated you rely on “Meals on Wheels” and/or mail delivery for food or medications.
⇒ Provide information and advocate your medical and/or health needs to the emergency response agencies capable of accessing the isolated area to assure your health and safety.