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On April 17, 2013, at 10:15 a.m., Utah will pretend to have a magnitude 7.0 earthquake



## ARE YOU READY?

### What is the Great Utah ShakeOut?

The Great Utah ShakeOut is an annual earthquake drill, similar to a fire drill, to help individuals, families, businesses and the community prepare for an earthquake or any disaster.

Drop, cover and hold on!

ShakeOut began in California in 2008 and has since spread to other states and nations. In 2012, nearly 1 million Utahns practiced the earthquake actions of **Drop**, **Cover and Hold on** and other aspects of family, school and organizational emergency plans.

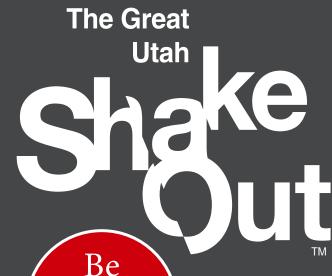
The more **Utahns** prepare, the more likely they will recover from an earthquake. The ShakeOut helps us succeed when all of us participate.

Read on for more information about why you should participate in the ShakeOut, how you can participante and who can participate.



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Ready

Make a Plan

Get a Kit

Be Informed

**Get Involved** 

## WHY PARTICIPATE?

# How to Join?

### ARE YOU IN?















Utah is earthquake country. The ShakeOut is a perfect time to practice your emergency plans with the rest of the state.
Below is a list of reasons you should participate in the ShakeOut.

- You understand that praciticing life-saving actions works to help you be prepared to take action instantly.
- You want to use the ShakeOut as a reason for you, your family, community or business to get prepared now.
- You were invited to register by someone you know, and you want to join them.
- You are excited to be part of a statewide effort to prepare Utah!

- Go to BeReadyUtah.gov and click on "The Utah ShakeOut" link to get started
- Explore ShakeOut.org
- Get announcments and updates about how to participate in the drill.
- Become earthquake savvy. Know the risks and what you can do to prepare.



#### The ShakeOut is for:

Individuals/Families Childcare and Preschool Schools Colleges/Universities Local and State Government Federal Government Tribes Businesses Medical Facilities Science/Engineering Organizations Museums, Libraries, Parks Nonprofit or Faith-based Organizations Service Membership Organizations **Preparedness Organizations Communications Groups CERT Groups** 

HOA/Retirement Communities
Neighborhood and Scout Groups