Here are simple things individuals and families can do to participate in the ShakeOut. Instructions and resources can be found at ShakeOut.org/newmexico/howtoparticipate.

**Plan Your Drill:**
- Register at ShakeOut.org/newmexico/register to be counted as participating, get email updates, and more.
- Download a Drill Broadcast recording from ShakeOut.org/newmexico/drill/broadcast.
- Have a “Drop, Cover, and Hold On” drill at 10:18 a.m. on October 18. You can also practice other aspects of your emergency plan.
- Discuss what you learned and make improvements.

**Get Prepared for Earthquakes:**
- Do a “hazard hunt” for items that might fall during earthquakes and secure them.
- Create a personal or family disaster plan.
- Organize or refresh your emergency supply kits.
- Identify and correct any issues in your home’s structure.
- Other actions are at www.earthquakecountry.org.

**Share the ShakeOut:**
- Have a neighborhood party to discuss preparedness, and register for the ShakeOut.
- Invite friends and family members to register.
- Encourage your community, employer, or other groups you are involved with to participate.
- Share photos and stories of your drill at ShakeOut.org/newmexico/share.

Millions of people worldwide have participated in Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drills since 2008. The Great ShakeOut is held on the third Thursday of October each year.

Everyone can participate! Individuals, families, businesses, schools, colleges, government agencies and organizations are all invited to register.