



# EHR

## Electronic Health Records Bulletin

"Your major line of communication with EHR and CureMD"

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## CureMD Updates & Reminders

### ❖ Nurses and NPs

- Patients have requested from the EHR Department to explain what "Non-Reactive" means when viewing their lab results. Please be mindful to educate on the terminology of the result(s) posted and to also explain to them the number of labs that will be posted to the portal.

### ❖ Clerical Staff

- Please double check before scanning/uploading documents in CureMD. We are experiencing numerous reports of errors being scanned into the wrong patient's charts.
- Please review the correct workflow before creating Patient Portal access. Please ensure that the correct email address is correct before saving and sending.

### ❖ 2024 EHR Training

- June 21 | August 16 | September 20 | October 18 | November 15
- To request special training outside of these scheduled dates, please contact the EHR department via email @ [EHR@adph.state.al.us](mailto:EHR@adph.state.al.us) to accommodate your request.
- Contact Connor McLemore (IT Help Desk) at 334-206-5268 with CureMD computer issues.



# Watermelon Mint Salad

## Ingredients

- 6 cups watermelon cubes (seedless)
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh mint
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 2 teaspoons sugar



## Directions

1. Place watermelon and mint in large bowl.
2. Whisk lemon juice, oil, and sugar until sugar is dissolved.
3. Drizzle mixture over watermelon; toss gently to combine.
4. Enjoy!

## JUNE HOLIDAYS & HEALTH OBSERVANCES

- ❖ National Cancer Survivors Day, June 2
- ❖ State Holiday, June 3
- ❖ D-Day, June 6
- ❖ Family Health and Fitness Day, June 8
- ❖ Flag Day, June 14
- ❖ Father's Day, June 16
- ❖ Juneteenth, June 19
- ❖ National ASK Day, June 21
- ❖ National HIV Testing Day, June 27
- ❖ Men's Health Week, June 10-16
- ❖ National Nursing Assistants Week, 13-19
- ❖ Alzheimer's and Brain Awareness Month
- ❖ Fireworks Safety Month



*"In our work and in our living,  
we must recognize that difference  
is a reason for celebration and growth,  
rather than a reason for destruction."*

*~Audre Lorde*

### HELPFUL LINKS YOU JUNE FIND USEFUL

[ADPH Districts & Health  
Departments](#)

[ADPH Guide to Services](#)

[Central Office Telephone  
Listing](#)

[Map \(Public Health Districts\)](#)

[CDC Vaccines](#)

[VAERS](#)

[CDC Pink Book](#)

### June Fun Facts



Pearls are the traditional  
birthstone for the month of June.

Pearls represent faith and purity  
and is the only gemstone that is  
formed and found within a living  
creature that does not require to  
be cut or polished before use.

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## HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS

Hurricane season is here.

Hurricane season runs from June 1 through November 30 each year. Now is the time to plan and prepare. Waiting until the last minute is never a good idea, and it's a particularly bad idea when a major storm is just hours away. Take the time now to review your emergency plan, make sure you are stocked with basic supplies, and get familiar with your local evacuation routes.

### ***Are You Ready?***

Your emergency plan should cover everything you need to do before, during, and after an emergency. The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) Center for Emergency Preparedness (CEP) has created the ***Are You Ready? Emergency Preparedness Guide***. This guide covers each phase of emergency preparedness in great detail, so feel free to download a copy to help you prepare. We'll cover some of the major points below.

### ***Before a Hurricane***

One of the first things you can do to prepare for any type of emergency is to put together an emergency supply kit containing the following items:

- Water --- 1 gallon per person, per day
- Food --- 2-week supply of non-perishable food per person
- Manual Can Opener
- Medications --- 1 months' worth of all prescription medications. Don't forget to rotate your stockpile based on expiration dates!
- First Aid Kit
- Flashlight (and don't forget the extra batteries!)
- Radio (and don't forget the extra batteries! Unless you have a crank-operated or solar-powered radio...)
- Clothes
- Personal Care Items --- soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, feminine products, etc.
- Important Documents --- copies of IDs, birth certificates, deeds, bank account information, etc.

For hurricanes, some specific things you can do to prepare include:

- Know your area's hurricane risk --- Remember, hurricanes are not just a coastal problem.
- Strengthen your home --- Consider adding hurricane shutters to your home and bring in outside furniture if you're in the path of a storm.
- Recognize warnings and alerts --- Sign up for community alerts in your area and utilize the various available [emergency alerts and apps](#).
- Check on your neighbors --- See if any of them need additional assistance with hurricane prep or evacuation.
- Prep your pets --- Be sure you're prepared to [take care of your pets](#) during an emergency.

In the event that evacuation is required, consult the Alabama Department of Transportation's [map of hurricane evacuation routes](#).

Visit [Ready Alabama](#) and ADPH's [Get 10 Alabama](#) for more preparedness tips.

### ***During a Hurricane***

If you are unable to evacuate and have to ride out a hurricane at home, you have to determine where you will be safest from high winds and flooding.

If possible, get to a designated storm shelter in your area; otherwise, go to an interior room.

Go to the highest level of your building if you are trapped by flooding. Do not climb into a closed attic, as rising water may trap you there.

Do not walk, swim, or drive through flood waters. It only takes 6 inches of moving water to knock a person down, and a foot of moving water is enough to sweep your vehicle away.

To read the complete article, click here: [Alabama's Health](#)