

CIL staff presenting on a panel at the Governor's Hurricane Conference



CIL staff tabling at the Citrus County Hurricane Expo



FEMA and CIL staff working together to help the community.

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# **Emergency Preparedness**

The Center for Independent Living of North Central Florida (CILNCF) helps government and non-government groups work with people with disabilities. We assist with volunteers, observation and evaluation of staff and how to effectively connect with people with disabilities.

# The CILNCF also assists with:

- Locating special needs shelters
- Accommodations at special needs shelters
- Preparing, responding and recovering from hurricanes and any type of emergency
- Building an Emergency Supply Kit
- Creating an Emergency Action Plan

Our staff has years of experience working with the local Marion County Emergency Management division, as well as FEMA in Florida. Kevin Towles is the Marion County Representative for Emergency Management. Please contact him for more information regarding Emergency Management related issues.



Every year, to ensure people with disabilities are well prepared, the CILNCF works with Emergency Operation Centers and CILs throughout Florida, provides outreach to rural communities, conducts emergency drills with government and private groups, as well as Emergency Preparedness Expos in various counties, and presents at local and statewide events such as the Florida Governor's Hurricane Conference.









