

Earthquake

During an earthquake, remain calm and quickly follow steps outlined below:

- If **INDOORS** seek refuge in a doorway or under a desk or table. Stay away from glass windows, shelves, and heavy equipment.
- If **OUTDOORS** move quickly away from buildings, utility poles, and other structures. **CAUTION:** Always avoid power or utility lines as they may be energized.
- If in an automobile, stop in the safest place available, preferably away from power lines and trees. Stop as quickly as safety permits, but stay in your vehicle for the shelter it offers.
- After the initial shock, evaluate the situation and if emergency help is necessary, call ABAC Police (Department of Public Safety) at 391-5060. Protect yourself at all times and be prepared for after-shocks.
- Damaged facilities should be reported to Plant Operations by ABAC Police (Public Safety). **NOTE:** Gas leaks and power failures after earthquakes can create specific additional hazards.

If an emergency exists, activate the building alarm. **CAUTION: THE BUILDING ALARM RINGS LOCALLY INSIDE THE BUILDING - YOU MUST REPORT THE EMERGENCY TO CAMPUS POLICE BY TELEPHONE/CALL BOX.**