

HOW TO REACT RIGHT IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

How to get alarmed?

- Siren signal: 1 minute rising and falling wailing tone
- via radio (Welle Niederrhein)
- announcements from emergency vehicles (police or fire department)
- via warning apps, e.g. NINA (free on iTunes or Google Play Store)

How is the all clear given?

- Siren signal: 1 minute continuous tone

How can I perceive danger?

- Via visible signs such as fire or smoke
- Via smell perception
- Via reaction from your own body such as sickness or eye irritations



What should I do first?

1. Stay calm!
2. Go inside a closed room/ building.
This way you can first protect against emissions or potential explosions.
3. Close windows/ doors and turn off ventilation systems or air conditions.
4. Also take this into account when driving in the car.
5. Do not pick up children from school or kindergarten.
6. Notify neighbors, children and passers-by by shouting.
7. Take care of fellow citizens who are looking for help.



What should I do next?

1. Do not do anything on your own, instead wait for news and advice from the relevant authorities!
2. Turn on radio, television (regional program) or internet for up-to-date information.

Radio:

- Welle Niederrhein:
- 87,7 MHz (Funk)
 - 92,25 MHz (Kabel)

TV: Regionalprogramm, z.B. WDR

Internet: www.krefeld.de

www.alberdingk-boley.de

Phone: +492151 – 19700 (citizen information Krefeld)



Can I do anything else?

1. If you smell unfamiliar smells, go to an upper floor, cause gases are usually heavier than air and stay on the floor.
2. Avoid open fire (smoking!) because of danger of explosion.
3. If you notice any smell, hold wet cloths over your mouth and nose to avoid inhaling toxic substances.
4. Take care of fellow citizens who are looking for help.



What I should not do?

1. Do not use your telephone/ cell phone except for emergency calls in order not to block the networks! They are needed for the emergency services.
2. Do not leave the house without being asked and do not flee on foot or by car. This is how you endanger yourself. The traffic routes are urgently needed by the emergency services.