Severe Weather or Natural Disasters

- Tornadoes, hurricanes, strong thunderstorms, wild fires, blizzards, ice storms, earthquakes, volcanoes, floods can:
- Cause deaths and serious injuries
- Damage or destroy homes, businesses, and automobiles, buses, trains, and airplanes
- Interrupt electrical, gas, and water supplies
- Disrupt travel on roads and highways, train tracks, and through airports
- Interfere with, or overload hospitals, clinics and physician offices and emergency response services that do remain in operation
- Disrupt commodities movement such as food, potable water, and medicines

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