Hello Neighbor!

- Check on Your
 Neighbor When There
 is a Heat Health Alert
- Help your neighbor find a cool place like a library or another neighbor's home
- Encourage them to drink lots of water
- Know the signs of heat related illness and call 911 if there is an emergency

In case of an emergency call 911



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Staying Cool During the Heat

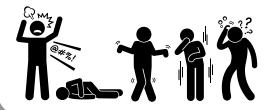
Learn ways to
beat the heat,
stay cool,
and stay healthy
during heat season.

Recognize the Signs

- Heavy Sweating
- Nausea or Vomiting
- Muscle Cramps
- Weakness
- Dizziness
- Headache
- Fainting







What to do if someone is suffering from a heat related illness

- Move to a cool place
- Loosen clothing
- Drink water
- Take a cold bath/shower
- Place cold cloths on body and change them frequently
- Seek medical attention







Ways to Keep Cool

- Drink plenty of non-alcoholic liquids
- Reduce outdoor activities
- Take cool showers or baths
- Wear light colored clothing

Don't Like the Taste of Water?
Try Adding...



- Lemons
- Limes
- Strawberries
- Oranges
- Mint

- Thyme
- Cucumber
- Lavender