

Storm Damage Assessment Guide for Your Home:

Introduction: Welcome to Excel Roofing's comprehensive Storm Damage Assessment Guide. This guide is designed to help you, the homeowner, understand how to assess your roof for potential damage following a storm. It's important to identify and address any issues promptly to ensure the safety and longevity of your roof.

Understanding Storm Damage

Types of Storm Damage

- Wind Damage: Look for missing shingles, chimney issues, and damage to gutters.
- Hail Damage: Identify dents or pockmarks on shingles, gutters, or siding.
- Water Damage: Check for leaks in your attic or water spots on your ceiling.

Signs of Damage

- Missing or broken shingles
- Cracked or warped shingles
- Granules from shingles collecting in gutters.
- Dents on vents, gutters, or flashing

Safety First

Safety Precautions

- Do not climb on the roof during or immediately after a storm.
- Use binoculars to inspect your roof from the ground.
- Be aware of power lines and fallen debris around your home.

When to Call a Professional

- If you suspect structural damage.
- For a thorough and safe roof inspection.
- When climbing a ladder or roof is required.

Documenting the Damage

Taking Photos

- Take clear, well-lit photos of any damage from different angles.
- Include wide shots for overall context and close-ups for detail.

Notes and Records

- Note the date and time of the storm.
- Keep a record of all damage noticed.
- Make a list of damaged items inside your home if applicable.

Next Steps

Contacting Your Insurance

- Reach out to your insurance company promptly.
- Provide them with documented evidence of damage.

Selecting a Roofing Contractor

- Choose a licensed, insured, and experienced contractor.
- Get multiple estimates for repair work.

Preparing for Repair

- Discuss timelines, costs, and materials with your chosen contractor.
- Decide which repairs to begin.

In Conclusion we can help:

Storm damage can be stressful, but with the right knowledge and preparation, you can navigate through the process smoothly. Remember, safety is your main goal, and when in doubt, always consult with a professional.

For a more detailed inspection and professional repair services, contact us at [Contact Us:](#)

We offer expert assessments and high-quality local repair services to keep your home safe and secure for your family.

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