



*This checklist is meant for do-it-yourself projects only.
Please consult a licensed and insured contractor for more advanced projects.*

1. Roof

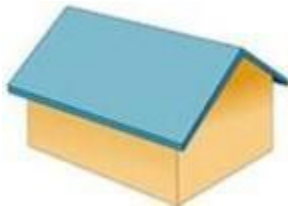
Inspect your roof covering with binoculars or a ladder.

What is your roof type?

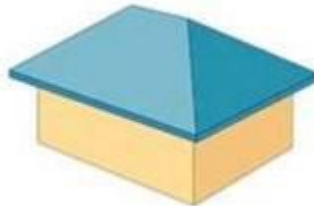
Gable

Hip

Other: _____



Gable Roof



Hip Roof

Are shingles at the edge of the roof loose or brittle to the touch?

Yes

No



Loose/Brittle Shingles

Are you missing shingles or tiles?

Yes

No

If “yes”, note location here:

Do you have many granules in your gutters?

Yes

No

2. Soffits

What is your soffit type?

Wood

Vinyl

Metal

Are soffits adequately reinforced to resist wind?

Yes

No

Can you see any signs of rot or water damage on or around the soffits?

Yes

No



3. Attics

Check your roof attachment with a flashlight inside the attic.

Can you see rows of long nails (shiners) beside the framing?

Yes

No



Do you have hurricane straps attached where each roof rafter/truss meets the top of the wall?

Yes

No

How many hurricane straps do you see?

None



Hurricane Strap

4. Roof Leaks

Check for roof leaks from inside the attic.

Can you see water stains, drip marks, or dark spots on the roof or in the attic?

Yes

No

Can you see any daylight coming through the roof where it joins plumbing lines and intersects with walls or other roof sections?

Yes

No

5. Windows

Protect your windows from penetration by windborne debris by installing impact-resistant windows or shutters that meet recognized product approval standards: ASTM E1996-03 or Miami Dade PA 201, PA 202 and PA 203 and Florida Building Code TAS 202, and TAS 203.

What type of windows do you have?

What year were they installed?

Are they impact-resistant?

Yes

No

Do you have shutters or other tested and approved opening protection?

Yes

No



Aluminum Panel Shutters



Accordion Shutters

6. Doors

Are the door and jambs intact or split?

Yes

No

Are there loose screws or hinges?

Yes

No

Do you have any double-entry doors?

Yes

No

Do any double-entry doors have head and foot bolts?

Yes

No

If "yes", flush bolt length at head and threshold: _____



Intact Hinge



Double-Entry Doors

7. Garage Doors

What is the gauge (thickness)?

Is the door wind or impact-resistant?

Yes

No

How many mounting brackets do you see around the door?

How many horizontal reinforcements are on the door?

Do you see missing or rusting bolts holding the door or track?

Yes

No

Do you see damaged or loose tracks?

Yes

No

Do you see sign of roller wear and tear?

Yes

No



Track and Roller



Sticker Identifying Thickness and Impact Resistance

Horizontal Reinforcement

8. Gutters

Are any gutter joints loose?

Yes

No

Are any downspouts loose or missing?

Yes

No



Gutter Joint

Do you see erosion on the ground around your home?

Yes

No

Are your gutter clear of debris?

Yes

No



Debris in Gutter

9. Landscaping

Are there any cracks in your tree trunks or large limbs?

Yes

No

Can you see mushrooms or insect infestation?

Yes

No

Are any branches near or hanging over the home? Powerlines?

Yes

No

What type of loose landscaping materials do you have?

Mulch

Rock



Tree Branches Hanging Over Roof



Mulch