Duke Marine Lab Tornado Shelter Areas

Guidelines for selecting a shelter area

- Select space with as many walls as possible between you and the exterior of the building
- Avoid windows and doors with glass panels
- Avoid interior and exterior doors
- All doors around shelter areas should be closed and secured during a tornado warning
- Keep as far as possible away from entrances
- Avoid areas where chemicals are stored.

Duke Marine Lab Recommended Shelter Areas

Lab 7 / Bookhout is the recommended DUML safe shelter. If you have the ample notification and time, please proceed to the interior of Bookhout. However, if you DO NOT have time, please seek shelter in your immediate location. See reference list below.

Building Name	Shelter Area
Administration	Bathroom
Administration (2 nd floor)	Go to first floor
Boathouse	Go to Maintenance Building
Dining Hall	Room with walk in fridge and freezer
Dorm 1	East / West Hallway
Dorm 2	East / West Hallway
Dorm 3	East / West Hallway
Dorm 4	Bathroom
Dorm 5	Bathroom
Dorm 6	East / West Hallway
Lab 1	Bathroom
Lab 2	Room 106
Lab 4 / Seawater Tank / "Turtle Farm"	Go to nearest building
Lab 5	Bathroom or old walk in cold box
Lab 5 (2 nd Floor)	Go to first floor
Lab 7 / Bookhout	Telepresence or Computer Cluster
Lab 7 / Bookhout (2 nd floor)	Room 224 or 225
Lab 7 / Bookhout (3rd floor)	Room 324 or 325
Lab 8	Equipment Room
Library / Auditorium	Bathrooms
Library Stacks	Go to first floor bathrooms
Maintenance	Bathrooms or carpentry area
Oceanography	Bathroom
Oceanography (2 nd floor)	Go to first floor
Pilkey Research Lab	Faculty office hallway
Pilkey Research Lab (2 nd floor)	Go to first floor
Repass	Bathrooms
Social Science Cottage	Bathroom off hallway or kitchen closet
Student Center	Closets between bathrooms