

Surge Update

20 October 2017

Storm Brian forecast to hit the UK this weekend ***Winds of 70 mph and torrential rain predicted for UK***

Crawford & Company[®] has readied its surge response teams as weather warnings are in place for Friday night and into Saturday for winds of up to 70 mph and heavy downpours of rain.

Rain will be heaviest over hills in Wales and western England, but temperatures will remain above normal for the time of year in the mild air.

The UK Met Office has issued a yellow warning for a spell of strong south-westerly winds on Saturday, potentially causing large waves and flooding. Power cuts are also possible.

Current Activity

Crawford[®] has adjusters placed on standby at strategic locations around the country and additional 24 hour support to ensure that service level agreements are maintained and customers can be reassured in the event of a claim.

We have seen a small increase volume of claims after ex-hurricane Ophelia but not outside what we would expect to see for this time of year.

Expected Activity

We will continue to monitor weather systems and ensure adequate resources are put in place to handle any increased call or claims volume.

We will maintain close contact with our clients throughout the weekend and update the market where appropriate.

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