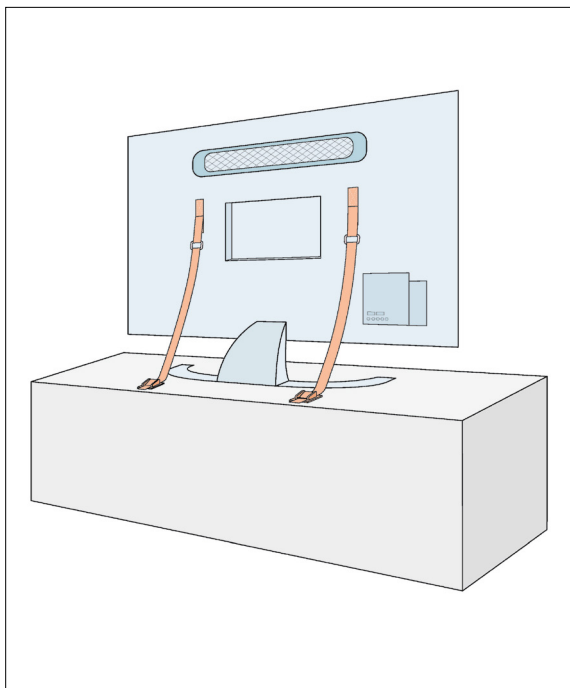


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Televisions can easily tip over or fall during earthquakes. Here are two options to prevent this.

**Option 1:** Attach the TV to furniture (as shown)

- Use flexible nylon strap packages, with buckle or Velcro fasteners, available at hardware stores and online.
- Stick one end of each strap onto the furniture as shown, following the package's instructions.
- Connect the other end to the back of the TV by screwing the strap into TV mount holes, or by sticking adhesive fasteners onto the TV.
- If the furniture the TV is on is tall, properly secure it to studs in the wall using a stud finder to find the correct locations.

**Option 2:** Attach the TV to a wall with a mounting kit (available where TVs are sold or online). Carefully follow the manufacturer's instructions.

