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| **Category** | **Corresponding Event Types in the NCDC Storm Events Database and the US Drought Monitor Database** |
| Extreme heat waves | Excessive Heat  Heat |
| Extreme cold temperatures | Cold/Wind Chill  Extreme Cold/Wind Chill |
| Extreme snow (or ice) storms | Blizzard  Heavy Snow  High Snow  Ice Storm  Lake-Effect Snow  Winter Storm  Winter Weather |
| Tornadoes | Tornado |
| Floods | Coastal Flood  Flash Flood  Flood  Lakeshore Flood  Surge/Tide |
| Hurricanes | Hurricane, Hurricane (Typhoon)  Marine Hurricane/Typhoon  Marine Tropical Depression  Marine Tropical Storm  Tropical Depression  Tropical Storm |
| Wildfires | Wildfire |
| Drought | D1 (Moderate Drought)  D2 (Severe Drought)  D3 (Extreme Drought)  D4 (Exceptional Drought) |