

HELP!

As an employee of a New York State school district, you can answer this plea for help as an American Red Cross Disaster Services Volunteer.

Once you are trained as a Red Cross Disaster Volunteer, you will become eligible to receive up to 20 work days per calendar year of Disaster Leave from your job without any loss of seniority, pay, annual leave, sick leave or earned overtime. Disaster Leave is subject to your agency's approval and is for trained Red Cross Volunteers only.

Here is your chance to get the training

The Red Cross is presently recruiting and training Shelter Workers to facilitate safe sheltering of persons displaced by disasters. Shelter training specifically for public sector employees covered by the Disaster Leave Law will be held on Saturdays in October from 9:30am to 4:30pm at the below locations:

October 6, 9:30am to 4:30pm
220 Herald Place
Syracuse, NY 13202

October 13, 9:30am to 4:30pm
620 E. Main Street
Endicott, NY 13760

October 20, 9:30am to 4:30pm
Fredonia Central School
425 E. Main Street (Rte. 20)
Fredonia, NY 14063

October 20, 9:30am to 4:30pm
106 N. Broadway
White Plains, NY 10603

October 27, 9:30am to 4:30pm
Clinton County Emergency Services
16 Emergency Services Drive
Plattsburgh, NY 12903

October 27, 9:30am to 4:30pm
Eastern Niagara County Chapter
637 Davison Road
Lockport, NY 14094

The training and lunch are FREE!!

In addition to the training, you will receive valuable preparedness guidance on key steps to help ensure that you and your family know what to do in preparation for and during a disaster.

Please register for the training here:

<http://www.zoomerang.com/recipient/survey-intro.zgi?p=WEB226VGRTN9P8>

If you have questions or need additional information please email:

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