



DISASTER CLASSES

The **Salem County Chapter** of the **American Red Cross** will hold disaster volunteer training sessions at ***Salem County Emergency Services, 135 Cemetery Rd, Woodstown, NJ*** for interested volunteers. The cost for the courses is **FREE**.

- ***Friday, July 23, 2010: Time: 8:30 am to 4 pm. Bring a Bag Lunch.***
 - **Introduction to Disaster Services & Fulfilling Our Mission: Translating Your Compassion Into Community Action.** This is a prerequisite to all subsequent courses and must be taken in order to study further.
 - **Mass Care:** This course will provide an overview of the activities performed by the Mass Care group in support of a disaster relief operation.
 - **Shelter Operations:** This course will prepare employees and volunteers of the Red Cross and other Agencies to manage shelter operations effectively and sensitively as a team while meeting the needs of people displaced as a result of a disaster. It will furthermore provide participants with an opportunity to apply the knowledge, skills and abilities required to operate a successful shelter.
Prerequisite(s): Mass Care Overview

Any **healthy** individual aged **18** or older or member of the **Junior Red Cross** may participate in the free training. When training is completed, participants aged 18 or older, have the opportunity to join **DSHR**, the **Red Cross Disaster Services Human Resource** that provides volunteers for national disasters.

For additional information or to register, call the **Salem County Chapter** at **(856) 299-1027**.
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