

American Red Cross in Nassau County

DISASTER TRAINING SCHEDULE

June-Aug 04

Please call the Disaster Department 747 3500 X253 or 224 to sign up for all of the following classes or email Bevernsng@usa.redcross.org All disaster classes are free of charge. Our goal is to have trained volunteers to assist with disaster response right here in our community. If you would like to join our Disaster Action Teams please contact our office.

Introduction to Disaster Services

The purpose of this course is to provide basic information about disaster and its effects, to outline the role of agencies in disaster relief and to introduce participants to American Red Cross Disaster Services. Note that this class is the prerequisite for all other Red Cross disaster training. This is a self study program please contact our office for a copy of take home materials. Course ID# 38539

Mass Care: An Overview

The purpose of this training is to provide basic information about the activities of the Mass Care function. Participants will learn about the skills and abilities needed by Mass Care workers and how they can get started in their local chapter. This is self study program please contact our office for a copy of take home material.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Disaster Services. Course ID# 38540

Disaster Assessment

The purpose of this training is to provide an overview of the concepts, procedures, tools and resources contained in the recently released Disaster Assessment (ARC30-3049) document. *Prerequisite: Introduction to Disaster Services*

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
	May 20, Thurs	6:30PM-9:00PM	Chapter
	June 9, Wed	6:30PM-9:00PM	Chapter
	July 28, Wed	6:30PM-9:00PM	Chapter

Shelter Operations & Shelter Simulation

Course # 306811& 306812

The purpose of this course is to prepare you to effectively and sensitively manage shelter operations as a team, and to meet the needs of people displaced as a result of a disaster. Shelter Simulation will practice the knowledge and skills from the Shelter operation portion of class.

Prerequisites: Introduction to Disaster Services & Mass Care: An Overview (see above)

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
38531	June 14 Monday	6:30PM – 9:30PM	Chapter
38532	Aug 11 Wednesday	6:30PM -9:30PM	Chapter

Family Services Emergency Assistance

Course # 307200

The purpose of this course is to enable staff to meet the emergency needs of disaster victims following a disaster in a chapter setting. The course is designed to help the participants develop the interviewing skills, knowledge, attitudes, and relationships necessary to meet the disaster-caused emergency needs of individuals and families.

Prerequisites: Introduction to Disaster Services.

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
38533	Jun 22 & 29 Tues	6:30 PM-9:30 PM	Chapter

Weapons of Mass Destruction

Course # 30792

The purpose of this course is to provide basic information about the issues and safety concerns in performing our work in an environment involving a Weapons of Mass Destruction and or terrorism (WMD/T) incident.

Prerequisites: Introduction to Disaster Services

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
38534	July 14 Wed	6:30PM-9:30PM	Chapter

Mass Casualty

Course # 3079102

The purpose of this course is to prepare participants to provide a more effective initial response to a mass casualty disaster. Table top exercise is conducted Prerequisites: Introduction to Disaster Services (Lunch will be provided)

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
38535	Aug 7, Saturday	9:00AM-4:00PM	Chapter

ERV Ready Set Roll

Course # 3068402

The purpose of this course is to prepare drivers to safely and effectively use an Emergency Response Vehicle (ERV) and its equipment to meet the feeding and other services needs of the people affected by disaster.

Requirements: Over 21 years of Age, Valid NYS driver's license, Satisfactory NY Dept motor vehicle report & current defensive driving course, Intro to disaster, Mass Care An Overview, First Aid & CPR Certification. (Chapter can help with these additional trainings please speak to Emergency Services Coordinator)

<u>Course ID#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
38536	July 10, Saturday	9:00AM-4:00PM	Chapter

To be become a DAT member you must take Intro to Disaster, Mass Care Overview, Disaster Assessment, Family Service Emergency Assistance and First Aid & CPR. All other classes are optional.

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