

## American Red Cross

Saving and Rebuilding Lives

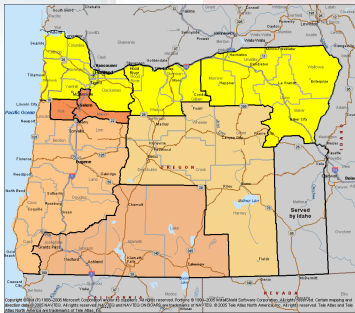


## Our Mission

The American Red Cross, a humanitarian organization led by volunteers and guided by its Congressional Charter and the Fundamental Principles of the International Red Cross Movement, will provide relief to victims of disaster and help people prevent, prepare for and response to emergencies.



## Oregon Red Cross



### *Oregon Chapters*

- Oregon Trail  
Portland
- Willamette  
Salem
- Oregon Pacific  
Eugene
- Southern Oregon  
Medford
- Oregon Mountain  
River  
Bend



## Program and Services

- Blood Services
- Service to Armed Forces
- International Services
- Disaster Services
- Transportation Services
- Health and Safety Services



## Disaster Services

- In the State of Oregon, Red Cross responds to a disaster every eight hours.
- Teams of volunteers respond around the clock to meet the emergency disaster caused needs.
- Disasters include house fires, floods, landslides and winter storms.



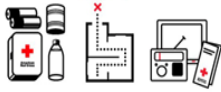
## Disaster Services - Assistance

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| • Housing <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Hotel, Motel or Shelter</li></ul>                       | • Mental Health Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Licensed professionals</li></ul>                                 |
| • Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Mobile and fixed feeding or financial assistance</li></ul> | • Health Services <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Replacement of essential medications and urgent medical needs</li></ul> |
| • Clothing <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Financial assistance</li></ul>                         | • Information and Referral  |



## Disaster Services - Preparedness

**Get a kit.  
Make a plan.  
Be informed.**



**Be Red Cross Ready**



## Disaster Services - Partnerships



**WAL-MART**



**GRAINGER**

**Fred Meyer**  
What's on your list today?



**National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster**  
Promoting Cooperation, Communication, Coordination and Collaboration  
in Disaster Response



## Preparing for Emergencies

- Red Cross trains 100,000 Oregonians a year in live-saving skills like First Aid, CPR, AED & Bloodborne Pathogens
- Training in the Workplace  
– OSHA Regulations



## Preparing for Emergencies

- First Aid Supplies
- Disaster Supplies
- Automated External Defibrillators



## What your business can do!

- Individual Preparedness: Ensure your employees are prepared at home, at work and in their cars
- Develop an Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan for your business
- Get involved in your community



## Resources and Contacts

- Chapter Website  
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