



International Humanitarian Law

# Youth Action Campaign



**American  
Red Cross**



# Module 1

## American Red Cross IHL Youth Action Campaign





# Program Structure

- Complete the **IHL Youth Action Campaign Training**.
- Create a campaign that raises awareness **through in-person and social media** educational activities.
- Apply to attend the **annual Summit** in Washington, D.C.



# Rules of War in a Nutshell



# Why is the American Red Cross Involved in IHL?

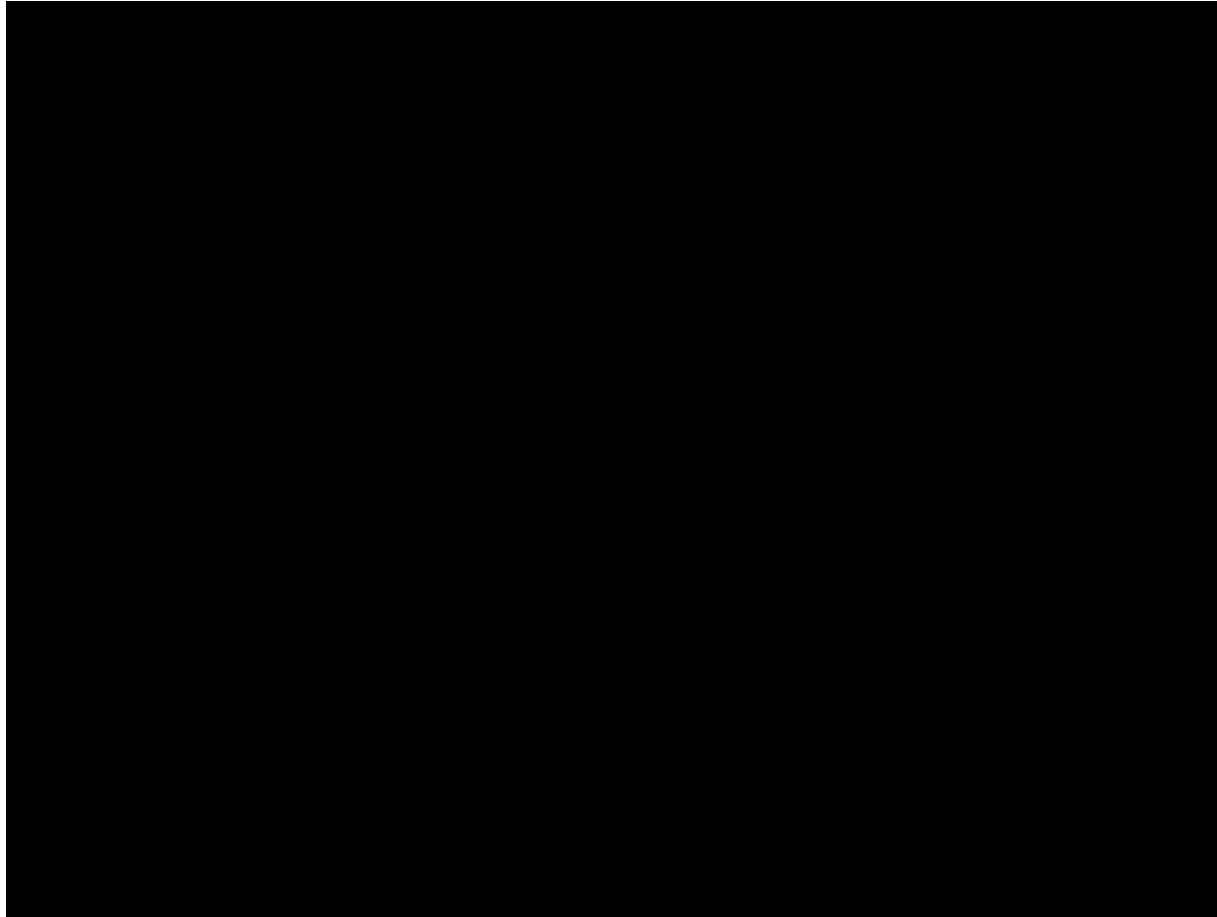


The American Red Cross has the mission to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors.

The American Red Cross is part of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and has the mandate to educate the public about International Humanitarian Law.



# Henry Dunant – The Story of an Idea





# The Structure of The Red Cross & Red Crescent Movement

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Committee  
of the Red  
Cross

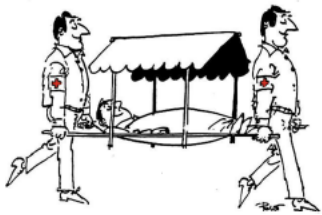
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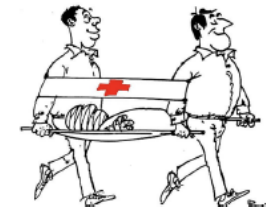
# The **Seven Fundamental Principles** of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement



Humanity



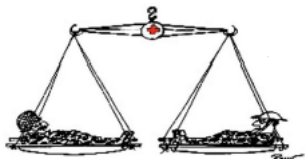
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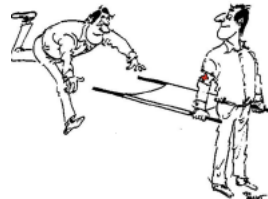
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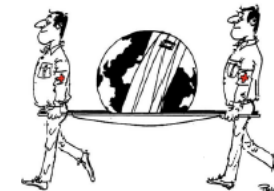
Independence



Impartiality



Voluntary Service



Universality

