

Mission

The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors.

Vision

The American Red Cross, through its strong network of volunteers, donors and partners, is always there in times of need. We aspire to turn compassion into action so that...

... all people affected by disaster across the country and around the world receive care, shelter and hope;

...our communities are ready and prepared for disasters;

...everyone in our country has access to safe, lifesaving blood and blood products;

... all members of our armed services and their families find support and comfort whenever needed; and

... in an emergency, there are always trained individuals nearby, ready to use their Red Cross skills to save lives.



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Service to the Armed Forces



The American Red Cross West Virginia Region empowers ordinary people to perform extraordinary acts in emergency situations. We train. We mobilize. We connect donors and volunteers to those in urgent need of a helping hand. Whether it is a hurricane or a heart attack; a call for blood or a call for help, the American Red Cross is there.

Together, we can transform a life in crisis into a life of hope.

Red Cross in West Virginia

For more than 130 years, the mission of the American Red Cross has been to prevent and alleviate human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors. Every day through the Red Cross, people mobilize to help their neighbors, whether they are down the street, across the nation or around the globe. A half million volunteers and more than 30,000 employees of the Red Cross, many from communities like yours, help provide these life-changing and often lifesaving services. The American Red Cross West Virginia Region serves the people of West Virginia with chapters and offices throughout the state.



Service to the Armed Forces

Every Red Cross office provides emergency military case management services to members of the armed forces, their families and other eligible clients on a “round-the-clock” basis: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days per year.

The Red Cross’s Continuum of Care supports our military service members from the moment they enlist to the moment they separate from the service – and beyond. Three key components of the Continuum of Care are: Providing Emergency Services, Supporting Military Hospitals and Veterans Affairs (VA) Health Care Facilities, and Building Strong Families and Resilient Communities.

Visit redcrosswv.org today to learn more!

Veterans Service Initiative

A wide variety of benefits are available to veterans through the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). Sometimes, however, a veteran may need assistance with accessing the benefits that he or she has earned.

The Red Cross assists veterans and their family members in preparing, developing and obtaining sufficient evidence to support the applicant’s claims for benefits.

The Veterans Service Initiative is currently the only one of its kind in the country and is being accomplished by:

- + Training volunteers on providing peer support
- + Utilizing mobile technology kits to serve veterans who lack transportation, access to internet, or resources to get to a Vet Center
- + Building collaborative partnerships with other organizations that serve veterans
- + Following up and following through with veterans until needs are met.



If you are interested in volunteering to assist with the Veterans Service Initiative, please call

1-844-216-8286.