

Volunteers constitute 90%

of the total workforce to carry out
our humanitarian work.



*Build your
Red Cross story*



American Red Cross

Contact information:

Orientations and appointments can be
scheduled for individuals or groups interested in
exploring volunteer opportunities.

*Apply online
www.redcross.org/volunteer
or contact one of our offices.*

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Give Back to Humanity

**To become an American
Red Cross volunteer, apply online
or call your local office to sign up for
an in person orientation.**

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American Red Cross
Western and Central
New York Region

Red Cross volunteers touch lives every day. They are as diverse as the people receiving Red Cross services.

It takes all kinds of people to make this organization work—different ages, different backgrounds and different skills.

There are a variety of things to do, and you can navigate your own volunteer path to spend your time serving in ways you enjoy.

“I am honored to have the opportunity to volunteer for such a wonderful organization. The Red Cross is awesome!”



“I have grown as an individual by volunteering and by the training that the Red Cross has provided. Wonderful people and it is satisfying to serve my community.”

Mission Statement

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.

Disaster Services—Help people affected by disasters ranging from home fires to hurricanes by providing food, shelter, essential relief supplies and comfort and hope. Many opportunities are available in the areas of sheltering, feeding, client casework, logistics (facilities, warehousing, transportation, procurement), staffing (training, planning and support, staff relations), public affairs, fund raising, government relations, Mental Health, Health Services, planning and preparedness.

Preparedness Education—We have a number of programs to educate the community on the importance of preparing BEFORE a disaster strikes. Become a Pillowcase Project presenter or assistant, Home Fire Installation/Education Team member or Disaster Preparedness presenter.

Service to the Armed Forces—Connect families and veterans with resources in response to emergencies, train military families in coping and resiliency skills, and supply recreational and therapeutic support in military and VA health care facilities.

International Humanitarian Services—Provide international tracing and messaging for loved ones separated by armed conflicts, provide educational outreach to international populations at the local level and help educate youth about the Geneva Conventions.

Fund Development—Support our many fundraising events such as BASH, Ice Bar, Real Heroes Breakfast, State Fair Parking Lot and more. Volunteers are needed to help plan and work the day of these events.

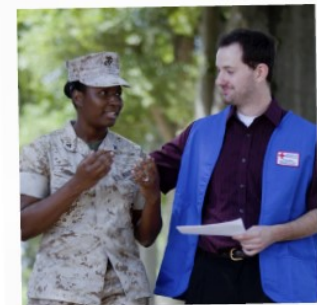
Blood Services—Opportunities include coordinating blood drives; serving as a driver to transport blood from mobile blood drives and fixed donation sites, deliver blood to hospitals, and make shuttle runs between regional centers; scheduling blood drive volunteers; working in the Rochester warehouse; and volunteering at drives throughout our communities to help register blood donors and staff the refreshment area.

Clerical Support—Help with mailings, filing, data entry, receptionists, or other office tasks. Experienced volunteers can take on upper-level office assistance responsibilities and positions.

Recruitment—Help design and implement recruitment plans for new volunteers.

Red Cross Clubs—Join an existing club or start a new club from elementary to college.

*Youth and group engagement opportunities available.
Contact us for more information.*



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