



NEWSLETTER

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH IS COMING

National Preparedness Month is an observance each September to raise awareness about the importance of preparing for disasters and emergencies that could happen at any time.

During National Preparedness Month, as community and faith-based leaders there are many ways to engage in National Preparedness Month! As members of your communities, you can:

- Host a preparedness presentation
- Attend or host a Ready NY presentation
- Attend fairs/tabling events
- Push out a social media campaign with preparedness info
- Create a "How to Create a Go-Bag" through TikTok or a YouTube short
- Challenge planning
- Attend other sessions regarding emergency preparedness

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Get Involved in NYC Emergency Management's National Preparedness Month Events

National Preparedness Month is a nation-wide initiative that occurs each September with the help from various organizations and agencies who participate in events throughout the month to promote community preparedness. Below are some upcoming events and sessions.

In-Person Events



Staten Island Children’s Museum Emergency Preparedness Family Day

Sunday, September 08, 2024
11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Location: Staten Island Children's Museum - 1000 Richmond Terrace, Building M, Staten Island, NY 10301

Registration:

<https://sichildrensmuseum.doubleknot.com/openrosters/availableevents.aspx?orgkey=4834>

In celebration of National Preparedness Month, NYC Emergency Management is excited to present Family Preparedness Day in collaboration with The Staten Island Children's Museum. This engaging event offers families the chance to gather essential preparedness information from a variety of community partners and city agencies. Children will have a blast with Cape Coloring by Ready Girl and can enjoy other activities like jumping in a bounce house, face painting, and a balloon artist! We will also be giving away 50 Flood alarms.



How to Keep Critical Services Going After Emergencies - 3 Steps to Organizational Preparedness

Wednesday, September 18, 2024, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

This training is designed to raise awareness for leaders of community and faith-based organizations about the importance of organizational planning in advance of emergencies. This is an introductory training that outlines the three steps organizations can take to ensure that they can continue to provide services following an emergency, and best practices for managing disaster volunteers and donations.

§ In-Person Registration (Max 30): <https://forms.office.com/g/KxWvxVhEmt>

Virtual Events

NYC Emergency Management Presents the National Preparedness KICK-OFF Webinar

Wednesday, September 4, 2024, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

This session provides New Yorkers the opportunity to learn about NYC Emergency Management's Community Engagement programming. Participants will also learn about National Preparedness Month and learn how they can engage in programming with NYC Emergency Management.

[Click here to register!](#)

Preparing Families and Communities for Coastal Storms

Thursday, September 5, 2024, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

The webinar will provide community and faith leaders with best practices, resources and outline what the City's actions are along with what the City needs from community during coastal storm and flooding emergencies.

[Click here to register!](#)

NPM Strengthening Communities Information Session - Offering #1

Wednesday, September 18, 2024, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Join this information session to learn about the Strengthening Communities program, the benefits of prospective applicants and considerations for community and/or faith-based coalitions interested in applying for Strengthening Communities Cohort #4. Emergencies affect every community differently, but you can help your community be prepared and resilient.

For the NYC Emergency Management's Strengthening Communities program, it pays to be prepared: The program offers grants to community networks to build their emergency preparedness plan and support local community resources. For more information review, <https://www.nyc.gov/site/em/ready/strengthening-communities.page>

[Click here to register!](#)

NPM Strengthening Communities Information Session - Offering #2

Thursday, September 19, 2024, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Join this information session to learn about the Strengthening Communities program, the benefits of prospective applicants and considerations for community and/or faith-based coalitions interested in applying for Strengthening Communities Cohort #4. Emergencies affect every community differently, but you can help your community be prepared and resilient.

[Click here to register!](#)

For more information, visit [nyc.gov/npm](https://www.nyc.gov/npm).

GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITY



Announcement Date: August 14, 2024

Opportunity: DOC and NOAA Heat Tabletop Exercise Design Challenge

Overview and Eligible Uses: Extreme heat is a leading cause of weather-related illness and death in the United States, resulting in more fatalities annually than hurricanes, tornadoes, severe storms, and floods. In recent decades, rising temperatures have intensified heat-related health impacts, affecting livelihoods and infrastructure. These impacts are likely to increase without proactive measures to understand heat exposure, identify those most at risk, and implement short- and long-term risk reduction strategies.

The funding for this competition will be provided by the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022.

Amount: Up to 10 winners will be selected and the overall number of winners will evenly divide a total cash prize pool of \$200,000.

Award Type: Cash prize

Eligible Applicants:

- State, tribal, local, and territorial governments
- Community-based organizations

Key Dates: Application opens until November 15, 2024 by 11:59PM ED

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT https://www.noaa.gov/news-release/biden-harris-administration-noaa-issue-national-heat-strategy-provide-200k-for-extreme-heat?utm_source=substack&utm_medium=email

General Info and Upcoming Events



Stop the Bleed provides people with the tools and knowledge to stop life-threatening bleeding in the event of an emergency situation. Bleeding is the number one cause of preventable death after injury, and the actions of immediate responders can be crucial in determining the outcome of the situation.



Virtual

**The first
Wednesday
of each month**
12-1PM
-or-
4-5PM

The focus of the course:

- The immediate response to bleeding
- Recognize life-threatening bleeding
- Appropriate ways to stop bleeding

To register for one of our free courses, visit bklynlibrary.org/calendar and search "Stop the Bleed"



Join Maimonides Health and Brooklyn Public Library's First Wednesday Stop the Bleed course on Wednesday, September 4th at 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM or 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM.

Register at bklynlibrary.org/calendar and search "Stop the Bleed"

WOODSIDE QUEENS FESTIVAL



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SEPT 21. 10-6PM

60TH-63RD ST. & WOODSIDE AVE.

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Saturday, September 21 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
60th -63rd Street and Woodside Avenue

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Selfcare for Disaster Responders

Wednesday August 28, 2024, from 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm ET

Please join the Region 2 National Preparedness Division in partnership with AmeriCares for a webinar on selfcare for disaster responders amidst the 2024 Hurricane season.



Disaster Responders deal with the double burden of stress from home and work in the face of major disasters. Facing the difficult scenario of caring for themselves and others during this emergency presents responders with the risk of burnout, indirect trauma, and compassion fatigue. During this webinar, we will discuss the specific stressors for disaster responders as well as provide tools that can be used to promote self-care and aid in self-assessment.

Register by [clicking here.](#)

DEP Flood Preparedness Town Hall & Flood Kit Giveaway

Flood Preparedness Town Hall & FLOOD KIT GIVEAWAY



TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 17TH 6-9PM

**Beach Channel HS
100-00 Beach Channel Drive, Rockaways**

Flood Preparedness Town Hall & **FLOOD KIT GIVEAWAY**



THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 19TH 6-9PM

**Susan E. Wagner School HS
1200 Manor Road, Staten Island**

Flood Preparedness Town Hall & **FLOOD KIT GIVEAWAY**



TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 24TH 6-9PM

**PS 146 Anna M. Short School
E. 106th St. and 1st Ave., East Harlem**

**We Are Hiring! Join the NYC Emergency
Management Team**



New York City Emergency Management (NYCEM) is responsible for coordinating citywide emergency planning and response for all types and scales of emergencies. It is staffed by more than 200 dedicated professionals with diverse backgrounds and areas of expertise, including individuals assigned from other City agencies.

Our Mission: NYC Emergency Management helps New Yorkers before, during, and after emergencies through preparedness, education, and response.

Our Jobs: NYC Emergency Management has a variety of vacancies within multiple bureaus across the agency – the jobs summaries below are simply a selection of the jobs available. **To see a full list of our job vacancies, [click here](#).**

BUREAU: Office of the Chief Counsel

Records Program Manager, \$76,385 - \$76,385 – Job ID# 645543

The Records Management unit is looking for a Records Program Manager who will work under the directions of the Chief Counsel and the Deputy Director, Records. The Program Manager will assist with maintaining and managing the agency's electronic and physical records. This includes any day-to-day responsibilities and creating and implementing policies around agency records. The Program Manager will work with staff to ensure that all records are in compliance according to City policies and procedures.

BUREAU: Office of the Chief Operating Officer (COO)

Director - Data Engineering , \$130,000 - \$130,000 – Job ID#640140

The Office of the Chief Operating Officer (COO) is comprised of Human Capital Management (HCM), Information Technology (IT), Support Services, and Geographic Information Systems (GIS). The Office of the COO is focused on implementing agency initiatives and strategies and incorporating them into daily operations to meet agency objectives and goals.

NYCEM has an exciting opportunity for a motivated data professional to join the GIS unit as the Director of Data Engineering. NYCEM is creating a data integration team comprised of data engineering and geospatial experts to help implement EDGC recommendations. The selected applicant will both develop an interagency data strategy and manage the data integration team. Reporting to NYCEM's Executive Director of GIS.

BUREAU: Response Bureau

Strategic Partnerships Specialist, \$76,385-\$76,385 – Job ID# 644770

The Response Bureau is responsible to monitor incidents throughout the City, alert the public and City agencies, initiate NYCEM response, on-scene coordination and special event planning and coordination. It is comprised of for Watch Command, Field Response Unit, and the Response Support Unit.

Reporting to the Director of Response Support with latitude for independent initiative and judgment, the Response Support Program Manager plays a crucial role in ensuring the safety and success of special events throughout the city and supporting other aspects of NYCEM's response operations. You will collaborate closely with NYC, state, and federal agencies to provide logistical and operational support, contributing to the resilience and preparedness of New York City.

**Learn More About NYC Emergency Management Community
Preparedness - <https://youtu.be/L250wy3o6r4>**

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