



New York City Emergency Management Launches Emergency Preparedness Campaign: Agency's First Ever Citywide Multilingual Mailer



Read, Register and Be NOTIFIED

Notify NYC Mailer Selfie Contest

NYC Emergency Management recently sent out a mailer to all NYC Households. Post a selfie on your social media account (**X**, **Facebook**, **Instagram**, **LinkedIn**, or **Threads**), and tag us. One winner will be chosen at random to receive a **FREE GO BAG**.

To participate, [read our contest rules](#).

ANNOUNCEMENT: We will be back August 21st!

NYC Emergency Management Community Preparedness Newsletter next edition will be back in action on August 21st, 2024! Learn about the Notify NYC Mailer, Partner Spotlights, Hazard Mitigation and more! We look forward to sharing in August, just in time for National Preparedness Month!

National Preparedness Month Kick Off

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.

Get Involved!

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
- "How to Create a Go-Bag" through TikTok or a YouTube short
- Challenge planning
- Attend other sessions regarding emergency preparedness

Email us at communityprep@oem.nyc.gov

COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS EVENTS

National Preparedness Month Kick-Off Webinar

Wednesday

September 4, 2024

12:00 - 1:00PM



Strengthening Communities Information Session - Offering #1

Wednesday

September 18, 2024

12:00 - 1:00PM

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.



Strengthening Communities Information Session - Offering #2

Thursday

September 19, 2024

6:00 - 7:00PM

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.



NYC Emergency Management Presents the National Preparedness KICK-OFF Webinar

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

[Click here to register!](#)

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OR SCAN THE QR CODES ABOVE TO REGISTER

For more information, visit nyc.gov/national-preparedness-month

Partner Spotlight: East Harlem COAD





Many thanks to Strengthening Communities partner, [East Harlem COAD](#), for hosting a **Safety & Self Care Workshop** for BIPOC Mental Health Month!

Extreme Heat: Beat the Heat!

BEAT THE HEAT

Heat is dangerous and kills hundreds of New Yorkers each year.

Protect yourself, your loved ones, and your community with the right resources to keep cool this summer.

nyc.gov/beattheheat



What to Do Before Extreme Heat

Know the Signs of Heat Illness

Heat stroke occurs when the body's temperature rises quickly, which can lead to death. Call 911 or go to an emergency room if you or someone you know has the following symptoms

- Hot, dry skin
- Confusion, hallucinations, and disorientation
- Loss of consciousness or being unresponsive
- Nausea or vomiting
- Trouble breathing
- Fast, strong pulse
- Weakness
- Dizziness

People suffering from heat exhaustion need to get to a cool place, remove extra clothes and drink lots of water. Symptoms to look for:

- Heavy sweating
- Cold, clammy skin
- Muscle cramps
- Lightheadedness or feeling faint
- Headache
- Decreased energy
- Loss of appetite or nausea

Understand Your Risk and Make A Plan

- Talk with your doctor about your risk to extreme heat. **Different conditions can raise your risk.**

- Air conditioning is the best way to stay safe during extreme heat.

24/7 Map of Cool Options

NYC Cool Options
Find address or place

Beat the Heat any time with NYC Cool Options

Facility type: Business hours: Accessible: Pet friendly:

- Williamsburg Library** ⚡
Library
240 Division Av
Open • Closes 6:00 PM • (718) 302-3485
- Jefferson Market Library** ⚡
Library
425 Avenue of the Americas
Open • Closes 8:00 PM • (212) 243-4334
- Congregation Yetev Lev-Williamsburg Satmar OAC-OLDER ADULTS ONLY** ⚡
Older Adult Center
125 Howard St
Open • Closes 5:00 PM • (718) 625-1608
- Petco Union Square** ⚡
Other
44 Union Square East
Open • Closes 9:00 PM • (212) 695-9851
- CCNS Northside OAC-OLDER ADULTS ONLY** ⚡
Older Adult Center
175 North 6 St
Closed • Opens 7:00 AM Tue • (718) 387-2316
- Clinton Hill Library** ⚡
Library
380 Washington Av
Open • Closes 6:00 PM • (718) 398-6713
- Westbeth OAC-OLDER ADULTS ONLY** ⚡
Older Adult Center
155 Bank St.
Open • Closes 6:00 PM • (212) 255-5191

View our 24/7 map of cool options and be sure to call locations ahead of time before heading out.

New York City Parks' [Cool It! NYC map](#) can help New Yorkers find places near them to hydrate, refresh, and stay in the shade from NYC Parks.

General Info and Upcoming Events



FEMA
Region 2



R2 Preparedness WEBINAR Wednesdays

Adapting to Change: Drawing Lessons from Business Failures, Behavioral Shifts, and the Pitfalls of Complacency

Wednesday July 31, 2024 from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm ET

Please join the Region 2 Individual and Community Preparedness Officer and Regional Flood Insurance Liaison for an informative webinar on Adapting to Change.

Change can feel slow and almost imperceptible



until a significant event occurs, revealing that things are no longer the same. It is important for local leaders and individuals to adopt a proactive stance in mitigating the rising future flood risk before it becomes too late. Time is a factor, and this presentation will explore how time can be both a liability and an asset.

Register by [clicking here.](#)

Avoid Disaster Scams

Wednesday August 21, 2024 from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm ET

Please join the Region 2 National Preparedness Division in partnership with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) for a webinar on how to avoid scams post disaster.



Extreme weather and natural disasters can occur without warning, leaving you to make critical decisions when you may feel rushed. Scammers try to take advantage of that environment, preying on people before, during, and after disaster events. This webinar, presented by an attorney from the Federal Trade Commission's Northeast Regional Office, will help you spot, avoid, and report scams that you may encounter as you prepare for, deal with, and recover from extreme weather and other natural disasters.

Register by [clicking here.](#)

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**



THURSDAY AUGUST 8TH 6-9PM

Herbert H. Lehman High School
3000 East Tremont Avenue, Bronx

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**

NYC Aging Presents...WIN A \$50 GIFT CARD!

YOUR OPINION MATTERS

NYC Aging wants you to participate in our **SERVICE NEEDS ASSESSMENT** survey to build an age-inclusive city. As the number of older New Yorkers 60+ continues to grow, the valuable information we get from you will be used to better serve you and inform our programming and advocacy.

Whether you or your caregiver are using our services currently or will in the future, your opinion matters to us. And by completing the survey, you may be entered into our drawing and may **WIN A \$50 GIFT CARD!**

You can access the survey by using the QR code below or type this link into your browser: on.nyc.gov/agingsurvey.



For more information call Aging Connect at **212-AGING-NYC (212-244-6469)**



If you are *aged 60 and older* and/or are *caring* for someone aged 60 or over, please take a moment to **complete the survey** (or access the survey using the link or QR code in the flyer below) to ensure all of our city's diverse communities are represented.

All responses to this survey are voluntary and anonymous; however, for those who complete the survey and choose to share contact information, **they will be entered into a drawing to be one of 50 individuals to win a \$50 gift card.**

For more information, call Aging Connect at *212-AGING-NYC (212-244-6469)*.

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 Financial Officer (CFO)

Accounts Payable Specialist, \$68,428-\$68,428 – Job ID# 633411

The Accounts Payable Unit completes payments for all incoming invoices for the agency's day-to-day activities and all emergency activations, oversees end-of-year tasks to close out the fiscal year, which includes that all invoices processed before the end of the fiscal year deadline, reviews reimbursement packages, and supports approved agency travel requests.

BUREAU: Office of the Chief Operating Officer (COO)

IT Project Manager, \$84,764 - \$93,690 – Job ID# 633407

The IT Project Manager, reporting to the Chief Technology Officer, will effectively manage IT Projects and the IT budget and procurement processes.

The ideal candidate will comprehensively understand agency systems, including Blade Systems and SAN, Networking, Virtualization, Databases, Exchange, desktops, laptops, mobile services, applications, and related technologies. The candidate should be capable of understanding system specifications, overseeing installations, and overseeing testing of computer systems and peripherals in adherence to established policies, standards, and guidelines.

BUREAU: External Affairs

Strategic Partnerships Specialist, \$68,428-\$68,428 – Job ID# 637903

Reporting to the Director of Strategic Partnerships, the Strategic Partnerships Specialist will work on private sector outreach efforts, as well as assistance and business continuity planning to ensure the resiliency of New York City.

The Specialist will work closely with other units in NYCEM, as well as City, State, Federal, and nongovernmental agencies to maintain, and continue to improve upon, existing plans and

programs.

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

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