



## September is National Preparedness Month: Participate and Share

### This Week's Webinars

Tuesday, September 6 12 PM - 1:00 PM

#### **VIRTUAL OPEN HOUSE: DISCOVER WHAT NYC EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CAN PROVIDE THE COMMUNITY**

This session provides New Yorkers the opportunity to learn about NYC Emergency Management's Community Outreach programming. Participants will also learn about the importance of National Preparedness Month.

**Register Now:** [https://nycem-nyc.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_who0QcWKS-6dVA9vCtu9tA](https://nycem-nyc.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_who0QcWKS-6dVA9vCtu9tA)

Thursday, September 8 11 AM - 12 PM

#### **READY RATING: IS YOUR ORGANIZATION PREPARED FOR EMERGENCIES**

The American Red Cross Ready Rating program is a free, self-guided program designed to help businesses, organizations and schools become better prepared for emergencies. Members complete a ReadyGo or ReadyAdvance assessment and have access to tools, tips and best practices to help improve their level of preparedness.

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# 2022 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH EVENTS

Learn about the steps you can take to prepare for emergencies in NYC

## Virtual Events

SEPTEMBER 1 at 4:00 PM	Emergency Preparedness Trivia with FEMA
SEPTEMBER 6 at 12:00 PM	Community Preparedness Open House
SEPTEMBER 8 at 11:00 AM	Is Your Organization Ready?
SEPTEMBER 13 at 1:00 PM	Creating Communication Strategies for Emergencies
SEPTEMBER 20 at 1:00 PM	Communities Can be Language Ready for Emergencies
SEPTEMBER 21 at 2:00 PM	ReadyFest for Older Adults with VSC
SEPTEMBER 29 at 1:00 PM	Documentation Protection

## In-Person Events

SEPTEMBER 15 from 11:00 - 3:00 PM	Pets and Service Animal Preparedness Fair	
SEPTEMBER 18 from 11:00 - 3:00 PM	Emergency Preparedness Day at the Staten Island Children's Museum	*Admission to museum is free.
SEPTEMBER 24 from 12:00 - 4:00 PM	Family Day at the Bronx Zoo	*The zoo fee is needed for admission.

Visit [nyc.gov/NPM](https://nyc.gov/NPM) for information and registration to virtual events.



## Leave a Lasting Legacy and Spread the Word



National Preparedness Month serves as a reminder to take action to prepare, now and throughout the year, for the types of emergencies that could affect us where we live, work, learn, and worship. With all of the challenges New Yorkers have faced, the **2022**

theme is "A Lasting Legacy: The life you've built is worth protecting. Prepare for disasters to create a lasting legacy for you and your family."

Use the [National Preparedness Month Messaging Toolkit](#) to coordinate messaging for your community, house of worship or organization. Share the weekly themes, graphics, and links on your social media channels and with your contacts to spread the message of preparedness.

Leave a lasting legacy – prepare for emergencies today! Check out [NYC.gov/npm](https://nyc.gov/npm) for events, preparedness guides, and more.

The best way to ensure your lasting legacy is to prepare your family, and your community for emergencies.

## Join NYC Emergency Management - We Are Hiring!

NYC Emergency Management has some exciting employment opportunities available! They can be viewed on the NYC Careers website: [Jobs at NYC Emergency Management - NYCEM](#).

NYC Emergency Management is staffed by over 200 dedicated professionals who are committed to serving the City in a crisis. We are looking for candidates who have a passion for preparing New Yorkers for the next emergency and responding when a crisis hits the City.

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

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