

National Preparedness Month

A Lasting Legacy

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



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.

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://www.nyc.gov/npm) for events, preparedness guides, and more.

Week 1: Make A Plan - Talk to your friends and family about how to communicate before, during and after emergencies. Utilize the Ready NY My Emergency Plan Guide: [NYC.gov/myemergencyplan](https://www.nyc.gov/myemergencyplan)

Be Informed - Enroll for free for [NotifyNYC](#), the City's official source for information about emergency alerts, and important city services.

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 for information and registration to virtual events.



Let's Talk MonkeyPox



Date: Wednesday, September 14

Time: 12:30 PM



**Guest Speaker:
Madhury (Didi) Ray, MD, MPH**

An innovator in public health emergency management and works at the intersection of medicine, data, health equity, and public health in the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene's fight against COVID-19. Outside of COVID-19 response work, she is a Director in the Division of Environmental Health.



Registration Link:

<https://bit.ly/LetsTalkMonkeyPox>

NYC Emergency
Management
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ENGAGEMENT

Pets and Service Animal Preparedness Fair

Date: Thursday, September 15

Time: 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Location: Union Square Park - North Plaza



Resources Include:

- Emergency Preparedness Plans
- Vaccines & Microchipping by appointment
- Dog Licensing and more...



National Preparedness Month

In 2021, FEMA's Ready Campaign and the Ad Council broke ground by producing the first-ever national preparedness campaign specifically targeting the **Latino community** for National Preparedness Month.

This year's National Preparedness Month campaign will feature a call to action for the **Black and African American community**.

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Protect Your Legacy

To find out more about National Preparedness Month, visit [here](#).

¡PREPÁRATE PODCAST!

On the latest episode of ¡Prepárate!, NYC Emergency Management's Spanish-language podcast, cohosts Inés Bebea and Yokarina Duarte talk with **NYC Department of Transportation Commissioner Ydanis Rodriguez** whose agency is tasked with repairs, maintenance, street closures during events, and the growing number of cyclists just to name a few. The Dominican born Commissioner is eager to make the streets safe for pedestrians, vehicles and cyclists alike, while also prioritizing equity in transportation and roads throughout all New York City neighborhoods.

You can listen to ¡Prepárate! on [SoundCloud](#)

Relief & Recovery Resources

The City of New York has developed a list of resources for those who were affected by this historic storm.

NYC Emergency Management

www1.nyc.gov/site/em/resources/ida.page

www1.nyc.gov/site/em/resources/recovery.page

Mayor's Office of Immigrant Affairs

www1.nyc.gov/site/immigrants/help/city-services/hurricane-ida-supports-and-programs.page

Community Preparedness Tips

www1.nyc.gov/site/em/ready/get-prepared.page

HURRICANE IDA SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING PROGRAM

Were you impacted by Post Tropical Storm Ida? We may be able to help!

- If you own a 1-4 family home that was uninhabitable because of damage from Ida; and
- You applied for FEMA or were not eligible for FEMA assistance because you are a landlord; and
- Have either been denied or received less than the amount needed to complete repairs that would make the home habitable, then
- You may be eligible for assistance up to \$72,000* to cover the cost of the repairs to make the home habitable** and for mitigation measures to protect against future damage.

APPLICATION DEADLINE SEPTEMBER 12, 2022

*Subject to program policy guidelines.

**Program habitability is defined as having functioning heat, hot water, electricity, and gas (where applicable) with at least one running tap with potable water and one functioning toilet.

For more information, please contact us!

Phone: **(212) 615-8329**

Email: [**IdaAssist@recovery.nyc.gov**](mailto:IdaAssist@recovery.nyc.gov)



**Community Development Block Grant Disaster
Recovery (CDBG-DR)**



The [30 Day Public Comment period](#) is now open, through September 26, for the [CDBG DR Action Plan](#).

A public info session will be held via Zoom on 9/14.

"If you plan to attend and need translation services, please submit a request to CDBGComments@omb.nyc.gov no later than September 9, 2022 at 11:59 P.M. (EST)."

Public Hearing Information

Topic: CDBG Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) Hurricane Ida Time:

Sep 14, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83037934893>

Meeting ID: 830 3793 4893

Coastal Storms & Flood Awareness Preparedness Webinars for Community and Faith Leaders

As we are currently in the **Hurricane Season**, which began June 1st, other ways to prepare for **Coastal Storms, Hurricanes and Floods** are

to view webinars the Community Preparedness Team at NYCEM facilitated.

Coastal Storms and Hurricane

- Full webinar visit our [YouTube](#) page.
- Full list of resources download this [PDF](#).
- Downloadable [PDF](#) of the presentation.



Flood Awareness

- Full webinar visit our [YouTube](#) page.
- Full list of resources download this [PDF](#).
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Ready New York Question of the Week

Hurricanes rotate ___ in the southern hemisphere and ___ in the northern hemisphere.

- a) Clockwise; counterclockwise
- b) Counterclockwise; clockwise
- c) Clockwise; clockwise
- d) Counterclockwise; counterclockwise

See the correct answer [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS



Photo by C. Donlan

Thursday,
September 8, 2022
4:00 PM to 5:30 PM

華人策劃協會 **ADVANCING OUR
CPC COMMUNITY**

133-14 41st Ave, Flushing,
NY 11355

Snacks and giveaways
available to go!

Please wear a face mask.

Columbia University and NYC Emergency Management
哥伦比亚大学和纽约市紧急情况管理处联合举办

FLUSHING CLIMATE MEETING 法拉盛气候会议

- W**hen is flooding going to happen next?
- W**here is the water coming from and where does it go?
- H**ow can I prepare for flooding?
- W**here can I get information about flooding?



For requests regarding accessibility,
please email
communityprep@oem.nyc.gov or call
(917) 468-2471 by Aug 29. Register
online by September 1.

中文翻译请致电 (718) 358-8899 x 749

In recent years flooding in NYC has increased, causing property damage and loss of life.

近年来，纽约市的洪水灾害增加，造成财产损失和生命伤亡。

Join the community to learn about how climate change affects Flushing and how to
prepare for flooding.

参与我们的社区讨论，详细了解气候变化是怎样影响法拉盛以及我们如何为洪灾做
好准备。

Questions? Contact Lillit Genovesi at lillit.genovesi@cornell.edu or 718-595-3954

Participating Organizations:





Are You Prepared for an Emergency?

7 people die every day from a home fire, impacting the elderly and children the most. Learn how to prepare you and your loved ones for emergencies by attending our FREE preparedness event.

Free Emergency Preparedness Event
J. Hood Wright Park
Saturday, September 10, 2022
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

- Free kid-friendly preparedness presentation
- Free hand-only CPR training
- Free presentation on pet emergency preparedness
- Enter for a chance to win a free "Go-Bag"
- Sign up for a free smoke alarm install
- Sign up for a free Carbon monoxide detector install

For more information, please contact Alex Poku at (646) 265-0364.

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NYC FAITH SECTOR COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM PRESENTS:

FALL 2022 SUMMIT FOR NYC FAITH COMMUNITIES:

CLIMATE CHANGE, DISASTERS & THE VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES WE SERVE

Wednesday, September 28, 2022 | 9:00AM - 3:00PM
Brooklyn Borough Hall | 209 Joralemon St., Brooklyn, NY 11201

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

Keynote Presentations:

- Climate Justice: Why Faith Communities Matter
- The Deep Links between Climate Injustice and Racial Injustice
- Why Climate Change Calls for a Disaster Services Remodel

Interactive Panel Discussions:

- Climate Disaster Inequities: NYC Faith Leaders Share Lessons Learned
- Strengthening Climate Resilience in NYC: Leveraging Local Resources

FEATURED SPEAKERS:



Kizzy Charles-Guzman,
Executive Director,
NYC Mayor's Office for
Climate & Environmental Justice



Keynote:
Jacqueline Patterson,
Executive Director,
The Chisholm Legacy Project



Karena Gore,
Executive Director,
Center for Earth Ethics,
Union Theological Seminary



Tonya Gayle,
Executive Director,
Green City Force



Pastor Zac Martin,
Director of Faith and Clergy Initiatives,
Brooklyn Borough President's Office



Erum Hanif,
Chief Executive Officer,
APNA Brooklyn

BREAKFAST & LUNCH PROVIDED. HALAL, KOSHER, VEGETERIAN & VEGAN BY REQUEST

FREE REGISTRATION : WWW.NYDIS.EVENTS/FSCPP2022

Questions? lcummings@nydis.org

[Register Here!](#)

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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