The Law Enforcement and Emergency

Response service provided by the

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department is

enhanced by the efforts of our

CERT Program

Volunteers provide a valuable resource to the Sheriff's

Stations based on their dedication countless hours of

service they provide to the community.

Persons who would like to help maintain the high

quality of life in their community are invited to join

In partnership with

"Our Team of Excellence"

LASD CERT Community Emergency Response Team Semper Paratus

Los Angeles County Operational Area

For more information contact your nearest Sheriff's Station

Altadena Station (626) 798-1131	Avalon Station (310) 510-0174
Carson Station (310) 830-1123	Century Station (323) 567-8121
Cerritos Station (562) 860-0044	Crescenta Valley Station (818) 248-3464
Compton Station (310) 605-6500	East Los Angeles Station (323) 264-4151
Industry Station (626) 330-3322	Lakewood Station (562) 866-9061
Lancaster Station (661) 948-8466	Lennox Station (310) 671-7531
Lomita Station (310) 539-1661	Malibu-Lost Hills Station (818) 878-1808
Marina Del Rey Station (310) 823-7762	Norwalk Station (562) 863-8711
Palmdale Station (661) 267-4300	Pico Rivera Station (562) 949-2421
San Dimas Station (909) 599-1261	Santa Clarita Valley Station (661) 255-1121
Temple Station (626) 285-7171	Walnut Station (909) 595-2264

West Hollywood Station
(310) 855-8850

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Join the "Team of Excellence"

CERT
COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

LOS ANGELES COUNTY SHERIFF VOLUNTEER

VIPS Volunteers in Police Service

CERT Volunteers

The quality of life, life, its safety and welfare, comes from the commitment of each community member.

There are members of the community who have demonstrated a willingness to maintain this this high caliber of life. These individuals have assumed responsibilities that require them to achieve a higher level of public trust.

This trust is earned only by their unselfish acts of community service and professionalism.

CERT Training:

- Disaster Preparedness
- Fire Safety
- Disaster Medical Operations-Triage and treating life Threatening injuries
- Disaster Medical Operations
- Assessment, Treatment and Hygiene
- Light Search and Rescue
- Team Organization
- Disaster Psychology
- Terrorism and CERT
- Final Exercise

About CERT...

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Using the model created by the Los Angeles City Fire Department, began promoting nationwide use of the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Concept in 1994. Since then, CERT's have been established in hundreds of communities.

CERT Training promotes a partnering effort between emergency services and the people that they serve. The goal is for emergency personnel to train members of neighborhoods, community organizations, or workplaces in basic response skills. CERT members are them integrated into the emergency response capability for their area.

If a disastrous event overwhelms or delays the community's professional response, CERT members can assist others by applying the basic response and organizational skills that they learned during training. These skills can help save and sustain lives following a disaster until help arrives. CERT skills also apply to daily emergencies.

CERT members maintain and refine their skills by participating in exercises and activities. They can attend supplemental training opportunities offered by the Department or other agencies. Finally CERT members can volunteer for projects that improve community emergency preparedness.

CERT Training will teach...

1. Hazards that may affect their homes and communities.
2. Understand the function of CERT and their roles in immediate response.
3. Take steps to prepare themselves for a disaster
4. Reduce potential fire hazards in their homes and workplace
5. Fire Suppression strategies
6. Conduct Triage under simulated conditions
7. Perform Head-to Toe assessments
8. Medical treatments for basic wounds
9. Planning and size-up for potential Search and Rescue situations
10. Safe techniques for debris removal
11. Structure search techniques
12. Describe ways to protect rescuers during search and rescue

MOST IMPORTANT!

TEAMWORK!

Information can also be provided by contacting the Department CERT Coordinator at:

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