City of Placentia

Community Emergency Response Team

Do you know what to do in the event of a disaster?

Do you know how to prepare before the disaster occurs?

Join the CERT Training!

CERT training is FREE and open to anyone interested in learning about how they can be an effective responder in their community. This training is provided using a nationally recognized 20-hour curriculum approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Participants will learn how to:

- Identify and anticipate hazards in the community
- Reduce fire hazards in the home and workplace
- Extinguish small fires
- Assist emergency responders
- Conduct light search and rescue operations
- Set up medical treatment areas
- Provide disaster first aid
- Help reduce survivor stress

Those who complete the 20-hour course are recognized as program graduates and receive a certificate of completion and a free CERT emergency kit. Additional training is provided on an annual basis to those that wish to become further involved in community-wide emergency preparedness efforts.

Sign-up today as space is limited and the class is offered only twice a year!

The course is FREE to all participants and you are not required to be a resident of Placentia to enroll.

For more information and registration, please contact the City of Placentia CERT Program Manager Sagar Patel at (714) 993-8135 or visit us on the web at www.placentia.org/cert