



Disasters call for heroes.

In the event of a public emergency, when resources are strained and immediate action is critical, your help could make all the difference. Volunteer for Show-Me Response, and help Missouri be prepared.

Who can volunteer?

Anyone can volunteer, as people of all skill sets and levels are needed. There is especially a need for:

- Physicians
- Nurses
- Dentists
- Radiologic technologists
- Respiratory therapists
- Clinical lab technicians
- Emergency medical services staff
- Pharmacists
- Veterinarians

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Registry of Volunteer
Healthcare Professionals

Become a volunteer. Go to
ShowMeResponse.org
and help in times
of public crisis.

Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services
Division of Community and Public Health
P.O. Box 570
Jefferson City, MO 65102
1.800.392.0272
(24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

Missouri State Emergency Management Agency
Emergency Human Services
P.O. Box 116
Jefferson City, MO 65102
573.526.4768

ShowMeResponse@health.mo.gov
ShowMeResponse.org

AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE
ACTION EMPLOYER: Services provided on a
nondiscriminatory basis. Individuals who are deaf,
hard-of-hearing, or have a speech disability can dial
711 or 1-800-735-2966.



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What is Show-Me Response?

Show-Me Response is the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services' web-based registry of medical, public health and other professionals who wish to volunteer their services in the event of a disaster or public health emergency. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has directed all states to form such registries to support more efficient disaster response.

Why volunteer?

In the event of a natural disaster or other large-scale public health crisis in Missouri, immediate deployment of emergency personnel is critical. However, such events can quickly overwhelm communities and their health care systems with individuals urgently in need of care. In addition, it is often difficult in the midst of a disaster to locate qualified volunteers and coordinate large volunteer efforts. When you register for Show-Me Response, you make it easy for hospital, public health and emergency response authorities to contact you in the event your skills are desperately needed.

What will I do as a Show-Me Response volunteer?

When you register for Show-Me Response, you make yourself available to be contacted in the event of a disaster should your area of expertise be needed. Once contacted, you will be able to choose your type and level of involvement based on the following:

- **How long you are willing to be deployed**
- **What distances you are willing to travel**
- **Your prior emergency response commitments**
- **Your willingness to work under the auspices of the federal government during a declared national emergency**

Show-Me Response is funded via a contract through the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' (DHHS) Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR).

You may also opt not to volunteer in the event you are contacted, as registering for Show-Me Response does not obligate you to participate.

How do I register?

To register or for more information about Show-Me Response, go online to: ShowMeResponse.org.

How will I be contacted?

When you register for Show-Me Response, you will be prompted to provide your contact information. This is the information that will be used to contact you in the event of an emergency that requires your help. As a Show-Me Response volunteer, you may also use the registry to learn about optional training opportunities that are provided to you at no cost.

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