

We're Ready! Community Disaster Preparedness Workshop - Free
Friday, June 21, 2019
9am–4pm
Faculty

Dear University of Alberta employees and students,

It's flood, fire, and tornado season! Disasters are expected to increase in severity and frequency due to climate change. Community disaster resilience is critical because governments have communicated that institutions, households, and neighbourhoods must be prepared to be on their own for the first 72 hours of an emergency. The We're Ready! Community Disaster Preparedness Pilot Workshop aims to provide employees and students at the University of Alberta with knowledge, skills, and resources to design their own disaster preparedness plans in order to prepare employees for climate emergencies in the workplace, while also providing them with knowledge to prepare for emergencies in their other communities (eg. neighbourhoods).

Teachings will use interactive exercises that include:

- Sharing of previous disaster experiences and lessons
- On-site mock disaster game
- Developing an understanding to build momentum for community ownership of having a preparedness plan

Available only for University of Alberta students and employees. Students who complete the full-day workshop will be eligible for **two professional development credits**.

For more information contact
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