

**New York Annual Conference
The United Methodist Church
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Early Response Team

Training and Certification

You are invited to register for the Early Response Team (ERT) Certification training scheduled below. Attendance is limited to 15 participants per workshop, so you are encouraged to register as soon as possible.

The mission of an Early Response Team is to provide a caring Christian presence in the aftermath of disaster. This ERT training is designed to help you respond safely to a disaster. Upon certification, you will be eligible to be deployed by NYAC to be a responder in another conference as well as in NYAC.

DATE	VENUE	INSTRUCTOR
Saturday June 25, 2011 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Lake Ronkonkoma UMC 792 Hawkins Ave, Lake Grove, NY 11755	Rev. Joseph Ewoodzie
Saturday June 25, 2011 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	St. James UMC 35 Pearl St, Kingston, NY 12401	Rev. Dale Ashby

Requirements for Certification

- All day Attendance

Training Overview: 8 hours UMCOR training overview and content

- Who? What? When? Why?
- Covenant Agreement
- Equipping a Team
- Team Safety
- Safe Sanctuaries Policies
- What exactly does an ERT do?
- Instructions for Tasks
- Team Building Activities
- Forms
- Test Your Knowledge

Registration:

Call Denise Hamilton at 914-615-2226 or email the NYAC mission office, NYACdisaster@gmail.com