

**Are You Ready? Disaster Preparedness for People with Disabilities –  
Part III  
Service Learning Project  
September 2007- May 2008**

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**Project Outcome Report – July 5, 2008**

The “Are You Ready? Disaster Preparedness for People with Disabilities – Part III” service- learning project went from September 1, 2007 until May 31, 2008. The project goals were to provide information and materials to help individuals to: Understand what resources are available in the community in which you live, work or go to during the day; Make Personal Disaster Preparation; Identify Needed Disaster Supplies; Deciding on “What is in Your GO Bag”.

Individuals with disabilities, senior citizens and caregiver, attend workshops called “What is in Your GO Bag?”. Tim Moore as Project Director was responsible for planning 42 project activities (exhibits, events, presentations, or workshops) during the project time period. Information and supplies were giving out to 3,987 individuals. This includes a total of 488 GO Bags and Backpacks were giving out to folks in the Richmond Metro area (Chesterfield, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, Powhatan) along with folks in the City of Petersburg

Tim worked hard to provide disaster preparedness information tailored to meet the unique needs of the workshop attendees. 97 workshop evaluations provided valuable input. This allowed for the creation of more hands-on/interactive workshops.

Tim Moore as Project Director and Linda Moore as Project Assistant, logged in 1,720 volunteer hours each between August 19, 2007 and June 14, 2008. The project counted on dedicated volunteers from Deep Run High School in Henrico County and members of the Goochland Baptist Church. The following individuals: Bonnie Atwood, David Bolter, Emily Bracken, Ellie Coyne, Carol Daddis, Warren Delaney, Craig Fabin, Ralph Fetty, Anne Henley, Ward Hildreth, Robin Hillman, Bill Perkins, Susann Young, freely volunteered their time to make the project a success.

Tim is thankful to all 21 Community Partners who provided materials and a location to hold events, workshops and presentations. Community Partners included the:

- A Grace Place, AARP – Chapter # 69 Richmond, Virginia
- American Radio Relay League (ARRL)
- Bon Secours Richmond Health System,
- Caring Communities,
- Center for Caring,
- Deep Run High School,
- Goochland Baptist Church,
- Greater Richmond Chapter of the American Red Cross,
- Goochland Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)/ Citizen Corps, Resources for Independent Living, Inc.
- Hanover CSB Day Health Program,
- Meals on Wheels,

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- Senior Connections,
- TRIAD (Chesterfield, Hanover/Ashland, Petersburg, Richmond),
- Virginia Baptist Disaster Service,
- Virginia State Animal Response Team (VSART)