Washington State
Emergency Registry of Volunteers (WAserv)

For volunteers who are willing and able to help during disasters and public health emergencies.
Register now to partner with your local public health agencies and Medical Reserve Corps programs throughout the state:

www.waserv.org

What is WAserv?

The Washington State Department of Health has developed a statewide registry of volunteers who are ready to respond to public health emergencies locally, across the state, and in other states.

How does WAserv work?

WAserv allows health care, public health and support professionals to make it known in advance that they are willing to volunteer in emergencies by going on-line and providing information about themselves.

This includes personal identification and professional information, including their specialty qualifications and how to contact them.

Your personal information will only be shared with designated emergency response managers if absolutely necessary.

This registry is a resource for local health jurisdictions and emergency managers. WAserv will augment existing volunteer programs, such as the Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) and emergency workers programs, which provide liability protection for emergency volunteers.

Who is eligible to register?

A diverse group of qualified health professionals may be needed to respond quickly to a disaster or public health emergency. Doctors, nurses, dentists, veterinarians, medical technicians, radiation professionals, social workers, mental health counselors, public health professionals, and support personnel are all encouraged to register.

What will I do?

If activated, your primary purpose is to support health care personnel surge capacity needs in times of disaster. Activities could include staffing primary and alternate care facilities, dispensing medications, mass vaccinations, and victim counseling, depending on your expertise.

Where can I get more information?

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Register now:
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Registration is simple and takes approximately 20 minutes.

WAserv is part of the Emergency System for Advance Registration of Volunteer Health Professionals (or ESAR-VHP). A proud partner of the Medical Reserve Corps: **www.medicalreservecorps.gov**

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