

New Jersey 4-H Emergency Preparedness Training for Teens

When an emergency happens, there are two extremely important life-saving skill sets every teen should learn:

- Understanding how to identify a threat
- Knowing how to prepare for it should it become real

Modeled after the national MyPI program (My Preparedness Initiative), the NJ 4-H Emergency Preparedness Training for Teens (EPTT) aims to work collaboratively with local community partners to teach New Jersey youth valuable leadership and teamwork qualities that not only set them up for later success in life, but can also help prepare them for what to do in the event of an emergency. Such skills that could be learned during the EPTT program include: decision making abilities, effective communication, and leadership skills. Additionally, participants will also become CPR / First Aid certified.

Youth are able to participate in the EPTT program through a unique partnership between Burlington County 4-H and the Burlington County Office of Emergency Management.

Sessions include:
Search and Rescue
Situational Awareness
Disaster Psychology
Fire Suppression Training
CPR / First Aid Certification

As well as guest presenters such as representatives from Homeland Security, the Burlington County Office of Emergency Management, and the Fire Department.#

Course Information:

Date: July 8-10, 2019

Time: 9:30am-3:30pm

Location: Burlington County
Emergency Services
Training Center
53 Academy Drive
Westampton, NJ 08060

Prerequisite: Must be at least 13 years old AND have completed the 4-H Permission Form as per
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NOTE 1 - Participants should be prepared to go outdoors for some of the activities.

NOTE 2 - Lunch Will Be Provided. Please ensure that you indicate any / all Food Allergies on the Registration Form where indicated.

NOTE 3 - Once your Registration has been approved, the Parent / Guardian will be emailed a 4-H Youth Event Permission Form to complete. If a Student Email was entered, the Student will also get this form. The email will contain all the necessary instructions on how to complete and return the Form. **Any questions concerning this form, please email Ross at MBarringer@co.burlington.nj.us.**

Please register at:

https://burlingtoncountynj.formstack.com/forms/emergency_preparedness_training_for_teens_eptt_