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From the Volunteer Coordinator

This summer, President Obama called upon Americans across the country to serve in their communities. As MRC volunteers, each of you has already taken this step by expressing your commitment to help the City of Boston. By staffing flu clinics, participating in training sessions, tracking patients at special events, and performing many other critical tasks, each of you have helped make the City of Boston stronger and more resilient. The Boston MRC plays a critical role in ensuring the City is ready to respond to Public Health Emergencies.

If you would like to view the President's Call to Service video, or pass it on to friends, go to www.bostonmrc.org

Thanks for your continued commitment, support, and enthusiasm.

Steph Sharp, Boston MRC Coordinator

Fourth of July Celebration

The Boston MRC will again be involved with supporting the City's Fourth of July Celebration on the Esplanade. Eight volunteers who have completed training in patient tracking will be used to track patients entering and leaving the six medical tents set up for the event. In addition, two volunteers will also be needed to staff an information table at the event.

Volunteers who have received training in the Patient Tracking System have been contacted to see if they are available to assist, but any MRC volunteer who has completed orientation may submit availability to assist with the resource table.

Resource Table
Saturday July 4th, 2009
3:00-10:00pm

[Submit availability](#)

Response and Leadership Training

Boston MRC Orientation with CPR Anytime

Tuesday, July 14, 2009 / 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Managing a Mass Dispensing Clinic

Wednesday, July 22, 2009 / 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Family Preparedness and Safety for First Responders

Tuesday, August 11, 2009 / 6:00pm – 8:00pm



If you would like to attend, please send an email to the DelValle Institute at delvalle@bostonems.org with your name, email, and phone along with the name and date of the course you plan on attending.

Special Thanks

Thank you to all of the Boston MRC volunteers who helped with the events in June. MRC volunteers had a strong presence at the Special Olympics of Massachusetts Summer Games and two conferences sponsored by the DelValle Institute for Emergency Preparedness this past month. It was great seeing MRC volunteers along with our police, fire, EMS, and public health partners. It was also excellent to forge a new partnership and participate in the Special Olympics Summer Games. Thanks to Kathy Savage who helped coordinate our involvement.

Contact Us

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