



Training Schedule and Course Description

All trainings follow the same schedule

Friday:	6:00 p.m.	Registration
	7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Classroom <i>“Involving Southern Baptists in Disaster Relief”</i> An overview of how Southern Baptist Disaster Relief began. Classroom <i>“Preparing To Serve”</i> An overview of how volunteers are called up for service, what to expect on a deployment, and how to serve safely.
Saturday:	8:00 a.m.	Breakfast
	8:30 a.m.	Classroom <i>“Mud -Out Training”</i> Teaching volunteer safety, techniques of removing debris and sanitizing a home after flooding occurs.
	9:45 a.m.	Classroom <i>“Feeding Unit Training”</i> An overview of each station of the Feeding Unit, safe food handling to meet public health standards and keeping workers and equipment sanitary.
	10:30 a.m.	<i>Hands-On Feeding Unit Training</i> Volunteers prepare lunch for everyone with hands-on training for each station and serving line.
	11:30 – 12:00	Lunch After lunch, volunteers will learn how to pack up the unit at the end of a deployment.
	1:00 p.m.	Classroom <i>“Chainsaw Training”</i> Volunteers will learn proper handling of chainsaw. For every one chainsaw operator 3-4 volunteers are needed to remove debris to curbside or other location.
	2:00 – 4:00 p.m.	<i>Hands-On Chainsaw Training.</i>

You may overnight at the church bring sleeping bags, air mattress, etc. (you’ll sleep on what you bring) and personal items.

*** Please note** You must be 18 years or older to train. 16 – 17 years of age may be trained upon a recommendation letter from pastor and youth leader and must be sponsored by a trained disaster relief volunteer. 16 – 17 year olds will **not** be allowed to run powered equipment, serve on national or out of state responses until the age of 18. No badges will be issued until 18 years of age

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