



What is the Social Needs Registry?

The Social Needs Registry is a tool used by Fairfax County that enables a partnership between the county and community organizations that have an ongoing and trusted relationship with residents with social needs. Through this partnership, Fairfax County and those organizations serving people with social needs will enhance communications and service delivery to the county's most vulnerable and hard-to-reach residents prior to and during an emergency. Additional information about the Social Needs Registry is available by going to the Fairfax County Web site at www.fairfaxcounty.gov/specialneeds.

Where do I Get Information During an Emergency?

Use the following resources for critical information during an emergency:

- Local media outlets
- Cable Channel 16
- Community Emergency Alert Network (CEAN): www.fairfaxcounty.gov/cean
- County Web site: www.fairfaxcounty.gov
- Emergency Information Line: 703-817-7771, TTY 711
- RSS feeds: available at www.fairfaxcounty.gov
- Health and Safety Podcast: available at www.fairfaxcounty.gov
- General information line: 703-FAIRFAX (324-7329), TTY 711
- Police, fire, and emergency response: 9-1-1.

There is never a guarantee of immediate assistance during an emergency, so you should be prepared to be self-sufficient for at least three days.



To request this information in an alternate format, call the Office of Emergency Management, 703-324-9000, TTY 703-324-9001



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Who are People with Social Needs?

The social needs population is made up of people who are vulnerable, at-risk, or hard to reach and will require specialized communications and/or transportation during an emergency.

Specifically they are:

- Older adults or young children
- Economically disadvantaged
- Reliant on public transportation
- Isolated by culture or religion
- Affected by the digital divide
- Living in or attending licensed facilities
- Limited in English proficiency
- People with disabilities, and/or
- People who have household pets or service animals



Who Should Register with the Social Needs Registry?

Agency directors and administrators of organizations assisting those with social needs should register with Fairfax County's Social Needs Registry. Registration will facilitate direct and easy communications between Fairfax County and groups that need specialized communications and/or transportation during emergencies. Participation in the registry is voluntary.

How to Register:

Go to the Fairfax County Web site, click on Special Needs Registry under E-Services and go to "Organization Register with Social Needs Registry." www.fairfaxcounty.gov/specialneeds/socialneedsregistry.htm