



Kinship Circle DISASTER ANIMAL RESPONSE TEAM

Kinship Circle Disaster Animal Response Team (DART)

deploys aid for animal victims of disasters. We are an all-volunteer nonprofit that relies solely upon charitable contributions. Kinship Circle works in agreement with emergency agencies and NGOs in disaster-stricken areas to provide skill, experience, stamina and leadership — in a spirit of cooperation that best serves animals.

KINSHIP CIRCLE DART CAPABILITIES

Our independently trained/certified responders reflect a broad range of skills and experience in such areas as:

- Disaster Impact Assessment & Ground Operations
- Field First Aid & Animal Transport
- Veterinarian, Vet Tech, Vet Assistant / Animal Medical Experience
- Animal Control Officer (ACO) Skills, Training, Certification
- Emergency Sheltering: Animal Care & Handling, Admin (setup, intake, records, shelter management, etc)
- Shelter In Place: Food-Water Stations, Mapping, Documentation
- SPECIALIZED TRAINING, SUCH AS:
 - ~ Search And Rescue (SAR)
 - ~ Technical Rescue (TAR, rope, high/lo angle, confined space, etc)
 - ~ Large Animal Rescue (LAR)
 - ~ Swiftwater/Basic Water Rescue
 - ~ Flood Rescue Boat
 - ~ Wildland Fire Training/Fire Rescue
 - ~ Aggressive Animal Handling
 - ~ Hazardous Materials & Decontamination Process
 - ~ Wildlife Rehabilitation
- Animal Disaster Training: With credentialing organizations HSUS-NDART, American Humane, UAN Redrover, Noah's Wish, Best Friends...
- Required FEMA Certifications: Via FEMA Independent Study Program
- Volunteer Recruitment & Management
- Documentation: Photography, Videography, Situation Reports
- Computer Technology & Admin: Communication, Wi-Fi, Information Coordination & Tracking, Spreadsheets, etc.
- We welcome new volunteers! Register here:
www.kinshipcircle.org/disasters/volunteer

SEE FIELD NOTES & IMAGES FROM SOME DEPLOYMENTS:

- Thailand Floods: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/thailand_floods/animal_aid.html
- Hurricane Irene: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/monitor/8-2011_irene.html
- Japan Quake-Tsunami-Radiation: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/japan_quake/notes.html
- Brazil Floods-Mudslides: kinshipcircle.org/brazil_flood/notes.html
- Chile Earthquake-Tsunami: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/chile_quake/notes.html
- USA Gulf BP Oil Disaster: kinshipcircle.org/gulf_spill
- USA Iowa Floods: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/iowa_flood/rescue-notes.html
- Hurricanes Gustav & Ike: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/gustav_ike/hurricanes.html
- Hurricanes Katrina & Rita: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/gulfcoast/katrina.html
- DISASTER WATCH: kinshipcircle.org/disasters/monitor/watch.html



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