



**SOUND THE ALARM**  
save a Life



**American  
Red Cross**

## Help us Sound the Alarm about fire safety.

Join the American Red Cross to *Sound the Alarm*, a home fire safety and smoke alarm installation event that will help save lives!

Through a partnership with area fire departments, and with the support of local community groups, corporations, and organizations, the Red Cross identifies neighborhoods that experience a high rate of home fires, yet are less likely to have working smoke alarms.

Working in teams, volunteers canvass the community, going door-to-door to discuss the importance of creating and practicing fire escape plans. They also offer to install free smoke alarms in any homes where working smoke alarms don't currently exist.

You can make a difference in the community by volunteering for our next *Sound the Alarm* event. Team positions include:

### **Smoke Alarm Installer**

Conduct home visits, test existing smoke alarms (replacing batteries as needed), and install smoke alarms in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

### **Disaster Safety Instructor**

Educate residents on the importance of fire safety and assist them in creating home fire escape plans.

### **Reporter**

Document resident information, including what services were provided during the visit. Complete the acknowledgement forms and reports used for campaign tracking.

## Won't You Join Us?

Volunteers and volunteer teams are needed for our next *Sound the Alarm* event:

### **West Newton, Pennsylvania**

<b>Event Date</b>	Saturday, May 11, 2019
<b>Meeting Location</b>	Collinsburg Volunteer Fire Co. 514 Hickory Drive West Newton, PA 15089
<b>Meeting Time</b>	9:00 a.m. volunteer arrival 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. event
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