

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

EARLY RESPONSE TEAM (ERT) SPRING TRAINING

**Saturday, April 30, 2016, 8 am to 5 pm
at Whatcoat UMC, Dover. Del.**



Early Response Teams (ERTs) fill a specific need in the early after a disaster to clean out flood-damaged homes. The ERT teams remove debris, place tarps on homes, and otherwise help to prevent further damage, while providing a caring presence. ERTs are not a first-response group of emergency workers, nor are they recovery, rebuild, or repair teams. Under very specific guidelines, ERTs assist survivors, without causing further harm or being a burden to the affected community.

For team members whose UMCOR badges are expiring, new photos and new UMCOR background checks are required, along with this class. ERTs work in coordination with Volunteers In Mission (UMVIM).

The Peninsula Delaware Disaster Response Committee will be offering one training in conference in April for new trainees and those needing recertification (Clergy CEUs are available):

- **Saturday, April 30, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

Lunch is provided. Cost is \$15 for one day include cost of meal and materials. T-shirts will be available. Those wishing to receive Disaster Response ERT badges must also have completed Safe Sanctuary training and background check through their local church before the badge will be distributed. Forms for background check validation will be distributed forwarded following paid registration. For more information contact DRT training coordinator Rev. Rebecca Kelly at 302-856-2414 or pastorbecky@gmail.com or Rev. D. Rich Walton or [pastorrich@ att.net](mailto:pastorrich@att.net)

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Name _____ District _____

Mailing Address _____

Best phone _____ Email _____

Church _____ Conference _____

Any dietary restrictions (for lunch) _____

Cost \$ 15

Please complete the registration form and return it to :

Disaster Response Training
c/o Rev. Rebecca Collison, Training Coordinator
102 E . Laurel St.
Georgetown, DE 19947

Or email form to pastorbecky@gmail.com

Checks made out to "Peninsula Delaware Conference" with Disaster Training in memo.