



Delaware County Medical Reserve Corps

The County of Delaware is pleased to join an exciting national initiative geared toward encouraging individuals to volunteer to assist during public health events. The Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) is a branch of Citizen Corps and offers medical professionals and other non-medically qualified volunteers the opportunity to receive training and to be part of a team to support a broad range of emergency/disaster responses to help our fellow citizens in the county. Volunteers possess a diverse range of skills, but the willingness to volunteer is what really counts! Please join us to learn more about the Medical Reserve Corps!

Medical Reserve Corps started after the events of September 11th. In the aftermath of the tragedy, many citizens wanted to help but there were significant challenges with identifying, training and credentialing them in time of need.

MRC volunteers are part of a larger system of preparedness and response. Volunteers attend important trainings on disaster mental health, emergency and disaster response, public health preparedness, and more. MRC Volunteers also participate in important exercises that test our county and regional emergency response.

For more information on the Delco MRC please contact staff at the Office of Intercommunity Health at 610-891-5311 or check it out on the web at: www.medicalreservecorps.gov.