

Interested in Better Preparing Your Teens, Your Family, and Your Community for Emergencies through a Teen-Focused Emergency Preparedness and Leadership Program?



MyPI South Carolina, the <u>South Carolina</u> Youth Preparedness Initiative, is an innovative, multi-faceted program facilitated by trained and certified Instructors within your Community.

MyPI Graduates complete:

- FEMA's CERT Training
- "PREP + 6" Service Project
- CPR and AED Certification
- Specialized Technology and Career Tracks
- Disaster Simulation

MyPI Cohorts consist of the following from local communities:

- 18-24 Teens
- 2 Volunteer MyPI Co-Instructors
- Off-Site MyPI Admin

MyPI Graduates enhance:

- Leadership Qualities
- Communication Skills
- Teamwork Abilities
- Civic Responsibility
- Decision Making

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"Fostering Emergency Preparedness, Civic Responsibility, and Leadership in Teens"



2014 & 2017 FEMA National Award Winner:

MyPI Mississippi and MyPI National, respectively "Outstanding Achievement in Youth Preparedness"

2018 FEMA National CERT Award Winner:

MyPI National: "Preparing the Whole Community"

2019 NAE4-HA National Award Winner:

MyPI Georgia: "Citizenry in 4-H Youth Development"

MyPI Participants Learn Skills in the following Areas:

- Disaster Preparedness
- Fire Safety & Suppression
- Disaster Medical Ops
- Treatment of Injuries
- Search and Rescue
- Disaster Psychology, etc.

MyPI Helps Teens:

- Build Life Saving Skill Sets
- Serve Their Communities
- Be Empowered
- Be Safe in Schools
- Identify Hazards
- Be Weather Aware
- Learn More about First Responder Careers
- Develop Emergency Kits and Communication Plans

Have your Teen Apply Today!

MyPI South Carolina Program Website: mypisouthcarolina.org

