

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



The <u>Mississippi Youth Preparedness</u>
<u>Initiative</u> is an innovative, multi-faceted 5 to 10 week program facilitated by trained and certified Instructors within your Community.

MyPI Graduates complete:

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

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
- Decision Making









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



Applications Available at mypi.extension.msstate.edu Have your Teen Apply Today!

For more Information, contact: **Dr. Ryan Akers**, MyPI Coordinator, cra20@msstate.edu or 662.325.5914

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
- Give Back to Their Communities
- Be Empowered
- Identify Hazards
- Be Weather Aware
- Develop Emergency Kits and Communication Plans



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