



FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
VOLUNTEER #: _____
Orientation: _____

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

DATE OF APPLICATION: _____

GENERAL INFORMATION (please print/type clearly)

Name:	Date of Birth:	Are you 18 years or older? Yes No
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Street Address:

City:	State:	Zip Code:	County:
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Home Phone:	Day Phone:	Mobile Phone:
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Email Address:	Would you like to receive an Email Newsletter? Yes No
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Do you have any allergies/conditions that might affect your volunteer work? If Yes, please describe:

EMERGENCY CONTACT – please fill out all sections

Name:	Relationship to you:
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Street Address:

City:	State:	Zip Code:	County:
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Home Phone:	Day Phone:	Mobile Phone:
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EMPLOYER INFORMATION

Employer name:

Street Address:

City:	State:	Zip Code:	Phone Number:
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Position held:	Supervisor name/position:
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EQUIPMENT/FACILITIES AVAILABLE:

EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES OR FACILITIES YOU COULD DONATE FOR DISASTER RESPONSE OR OCART TRAINING

PLEASE LIST:

OUT OF COUNTY DEPLOYMENT:

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONSIDERED FOR FINGER LAKES REGION DEPLOYMENT?	YES	NO
NEW YORK STATE DEPLOYMENT?	YES	NO
NORTHEAST DEPLOYMENT?	YES	NO
NATIONAL DEPLOYMENT?	YES	NO

JOB SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE – please fill in only those blocks for which you have substantial job experience		
Veterinarian, ___ years	Fire Fighter/HAZMAT, _____ yrs	Horse stable work ___ years
Vet technician / asst. , ___ years	Law enforcement, ___ years	Zoo (animal care) , ___ years
Emergency Medicine, ___ years	Dog control officer, ___ years	Military, ___ years
RN / LPN / PA, ___ years	Kennel attendant, ___ years	Boating experience, ___ years
Kennel owner, ___ years	Pet groomer, ___ years	Truck & trailer operations, ___ years
Disaster response, ___ years	Wildlife rehab, ___ years	Heavy equipment operator, ___ years
Animal shelter director, ___ years	Donations management, ___ years	Marketing/fundraising, ___ years
Non-profit work, ___ years	Animal behaviorist, ___ years	Public / media relations, ___ years
Teacher, ___ years Grade level(s): _____	Animal husbandry, ___ years	CERT/Red Cross, ___ years
Administrative / clerical, ___ years	Web design, ___ years	Communications/IT, ___ years

Other skills and experience related to disaster response:

Which of the following specialized jobs would you like to be considered for?

___ Shelter coordinator: Overall shelter management, inventory, operational resources, and clean out.

___ Handling specialist: Safe animal handling and care at shelter, including sanitation, nourishment, and exercise

___ Educator: Develop and deliver public information about disaster readiness for pets and commercial livestock

___ Rescue coordinator: Oversees Team in rescue operations, requests resources, develops rescue training

___ Animal rescue specialist: Upon activation, safely and humanely assists with rescue operations

___ Administrative: Properly manages documents and forms related to animal disaster response

Have you made adequate plans for your residence, family and pets in the event of a community disaster?
 ___ Yes ___ No
 If yes, briefly explain your plans:

Are you currently participating in any other volunteer work? Yes No
 Organization(s) and duties as a volunteer:

Have you been convicted of a crime within the last 7 years? Yes No
 (Conviction will not necessarily disqualify applicant from volunteering.)
 If yes, please explain:

CERTIFICATION

I hereby affirm that my answers to the foregoing questions are true and correct and that I have not knowingly withheld any facts or circumstances which would, if disclosed, affect my application unfavorably. I understand that any false statements, representations or failure to disclose pertinent information will be considered sufficient cause for disqualification from consideration for volunteer service or immediate discharge. I understand also, that I am required to abide by all rules and regulations of the Ontario County Animal Response Team (OCART).

I understand and agree that my position in OCART is entirely voluntary and without compensation. I further understand that nothing contained in this volunteer application or in the granting of an interview is intended to create an expressed or implied volunteer contract between the OCART and myself. No promises regarding volunteer work or any duration of volunteer service have been made to me and I understand that no such promise is binding on the OCART unless made in writing. I further understand and agree that if I am offered and accept a volunteer position in OCART, my volunteering can be terminated with or without cause, and with or without notice, at any time, at the option of the OCART.

I understand and agree that my volunteer position is contingent upon, among other things, my signing the OCART Volunteer Agreement and Code of Conduct. I hereby certify that I have read the foregoing material and understand the contents thereof.

Applicant's Signature:	Date:
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Recommended vaccines (not eligible for compensation or reimbursement)

	DATE MOST RECENTLY VACCINATED
TETANUS	
HEPATITIS B	
RABIES PRE-EXPOSURE (This vaccination is not appropriate for all volunteers - please indicate if you have received this vaccine)	

Additional training credentials

	DATE MOST RECENTLY TRAINED
RED CROSS 1ST AID	
RED CROSS CPR	
TECH. ANIMAL RESCUE	
TECH. LARGE ANIMAL RESCUE	
ICE RESCUE	
ICS 100	
ICS 200	
IS 700 - NIMS	
HAZMAT A	
HAZMAT O	
HAZMAT T	

Please make sure all sections are completed

Return this application to:
 Ontario County Animal Response Team
 Ontario County Emergency Management Office
 2914 County Rd. 48
 Canandaigua, NY 14424
 (585) 396-4310