

# Coming May 1st...



The Virginia Department of Emergency Management recognizes that there are a number of barriers preventing some Virginians from accessing the tools and resources to help them before, during, and after a disaster.

Whether it be a language barrier, lack of internet, socio-economic barrier or otherwise; the Partners in Preparedness program will partner with organizations who serve these vulnerable and underserved communities, and work with them to break down barriers to work toward a more equitable and inclusive Virginia.

We are looking for non-profit organizations, faith-based communities, businesses, education, community advocates, community centers, etc., to partner with to help us reach and provide every corner of Virginia with life-saving information.

Learn more about this free program, and be one of the first to sign up starting May 1st at [vaemergency.gov/partners-in-preparedness](http://vaemergency.gov/partners-in-preparedness).

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