

DISASTER RELIEF



Alabama Disaster Relief • Colbert-Lauderdale Association
Time Required is from 8 hours for the initial training. After you are trained, you will receive a badge with your picture, and name, and where you are from. On call-outs, it could be field trained from 4 hours, to a week at a time, depending on the disaster. You will receive either a phone call from the Colbert-Lauderdale office, or from Butch Hillis.

Specialties Include:

- ***Feeding unit***, which involves helping set up a feeding unit trailer, cooking, and feeding the people you are helping. Food will be provided, with all equipment.
- ***Shower training*** is setting up the trailer for the workers to shower, and will include a washer and dryer for you to clean their clothes. Everything is also provided.
- ***Chain Saw*** is when you are called for down trees, limbs, and pulling them to a special place by the disaster. Chain saws are provided, along with other equipment you might need.
- ***Clean-up, mud-out, and recovery*** is just about above, and sometimes locating the home owners.
- ***Child Care*** is where you take care of children and help provide baby-sitting duties at a special place while the parents/guardians will also help.
- ***Chaplain*** will work with the people who have experienced the disaster, pray with them, and encourage that help is on the way through physical and religious relief. A bible is available for them, if needed.
- ***Communications*** is helping the victims re-unite with their families or animals. A unit will be set-up for this purpose.
- ***Administration*** is the group of people that will be available for help with all of the above, trained personnel will be present or near.

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