

## Reasons we volunteer for the Red Cross (DAT)

1. Helps me realize there are people who are really in need.
2. It is one way to give back to my community.
3. It is one way to connect with people.
4. It gets me out of my own self centeredness.
5. Give back to the community.
6. Like to help others.
7. A chance to meet other people.
8. A chance to learn something new.
9. Makes me feel good.
10. Be a part of an organization that helps others.
11. The look of relief when we arrive on the scene.
12. The ability to “be” there when someone is helpless.
13. The gratitude of firemen and personnel on scene. (canteening).
14. When children look at you as you provide a blanket etc for them after they’ve lost everything.
15. Just knowing I can help whether there is a need or not.
16. It makes me feel good.
17. Sometimes people need a helping hand.
18. They appreciate help.
19. They train you.
20. The need is real!
21. To give back to the community.
22. It gives you warm fuzzies.
23. Let others know you care about them.
24. To help others.
25. To be able to help people who are in need in disaster.
26. Serve on DSHR assignment.
27. Work with the community.
28. Help make a difference.
29. Offer support to those in need.
30. Serve and offer help for families.
31. Get experience to use for life and job.
32. Meet new people and make new friends.
33. Help was given to me when I had a fire – so I need to help others.
34. Help out my community and other communities.
35. Work together as a team with fire department, rescuers and law enforcement.
36. Fulfillment for knowing someone was helped by me or my team.
37. Just to try to make a difference in my world.