

As part of caring for your congregation and community, it is important to have an action plan in the event of emergencies including medical, natural disasters, and/or threatening events.

*“I have said these things to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”*

JOHN 16:23

## DESIRED ENVIRONMENT

### GOOD

- Develop a Medical Response Team
- Develop a Disaster Plan
- Encourage Members to have a family emergency preparedness plan (see resources)

### BETTER *Above, plus:*

- Train staff and key volunteers in American Heart Association’s CPR/AED/First Aid training (offered through Welborn Baptist Foundation’s Health Ministry)  
*Template for Hands Only CPR included in resources*
- Offer Training on Emergency Preparedness, Liability, Confidentiality, and Communication through Welborn Baptist Foundation’s Health Ministry

### BEST *Above, plus:*

- Develop and implement policy and procedures for Medical and Disaster Emergencies
- Obtain an AED for your facility and train volunteers