

# Agenda

**Saturday, October 4, 2008**

10:00 a.m. – Noon

**Press Conference**

10 – 10:30 a.m.

**Red Cross Shelter Tour**

10:30 a.m. – Noon



**Welcome & Introductions:**

Michael Carroll, Chief Executive Officer  
American Red Cross of Greater Columbus

**Remarks:**

Michael D. Sisk, Vice President  
Commercial Sales East, Grainger

Terri Flora, Director of Corporate Communications  
AEP Ohio

Roger Campbell, American Red Cross National  
Volunteer Chair  
Ready When the Time Comes

Michael Pannell, Director  
Franklin County Office of Emergency Management  
& Homeland Security

**Closing Remarks:**

Michael Carroll, Chief Executive Officer  
American Red Cross of Greater Columbus

**Red Cross Shelter Tour**



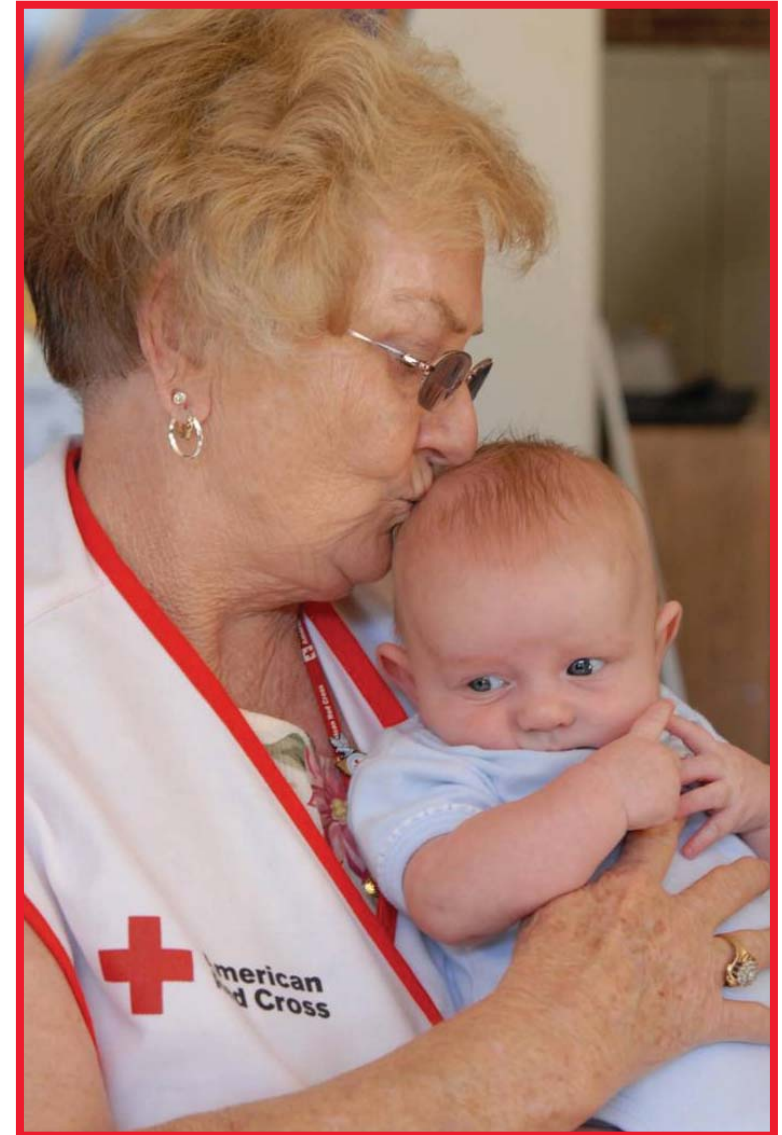
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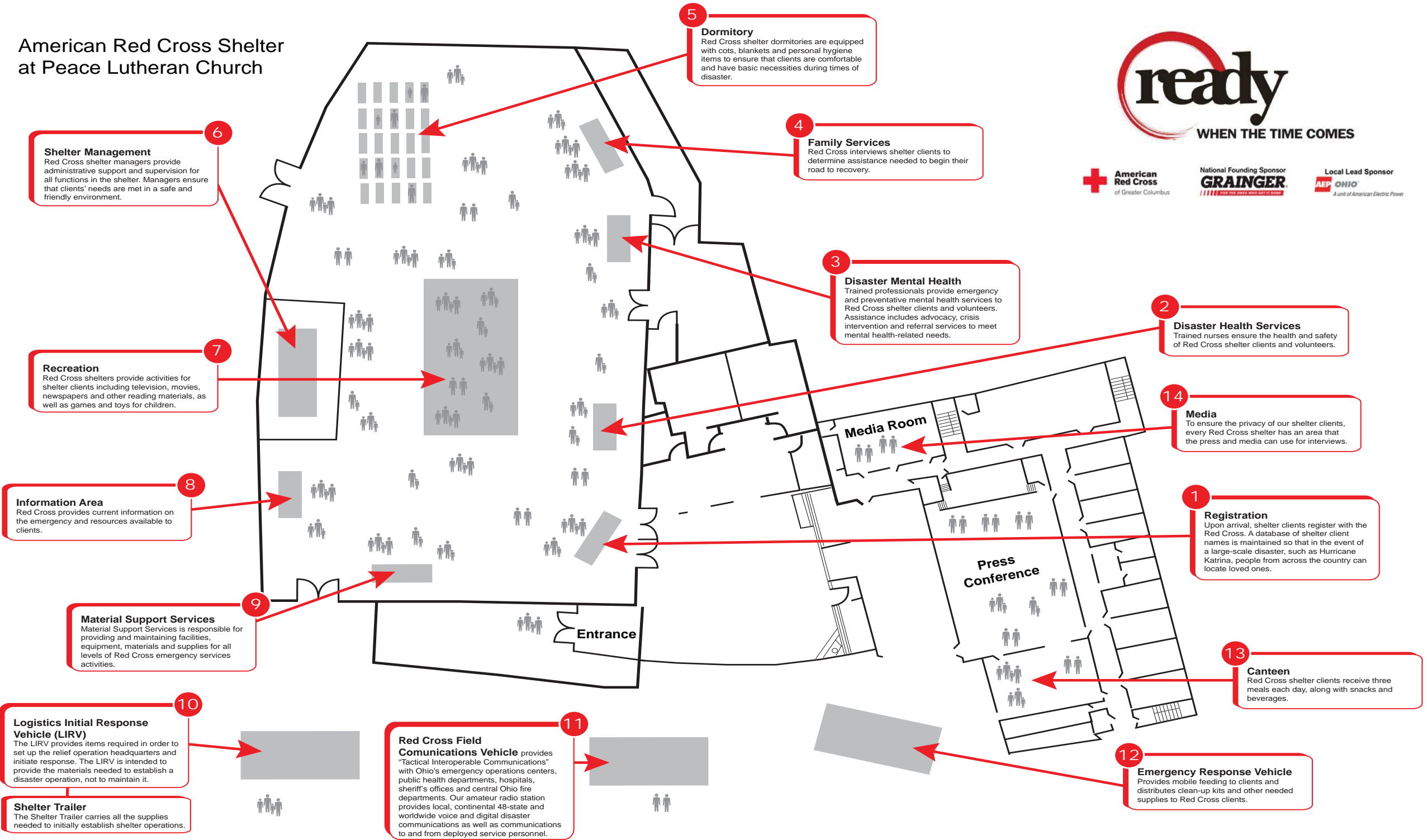
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# American Red Cross Shelter at Peace Lutheran Church



**6 Shelter Management**  
Red Cross shelter managers provide administrative support and supervision for all functions in the shelter. Managers ensure that clients' needs are met in a safe and friendly environment.

**7 Recreation**  
Red Cross shelters provide activities for shelter clients including television, movies, newspapers and other reading materials, as well as games and toys for children.

**8 Information Area**  
Red Cross provides current information on the emergency and resources available to clients.

**9 Material Support Services**  
Material Support Services is responsible for providing and maintaining facilities, equipment, materials and supplies for all levels of Red Cross emergency services activities.

**10 Logistics Initial Response Vehicle (LIRV)**  
The LIRV provides items required in order to set up the relief operation headquarters and initiate response. The LIRV is intended to provide the materials needed to establish a disaster operation, not to maintain it.

**Shelter Trailer**  
The Shelter Trailer carries all the supplies needed to initially establish shelter operations.

**11 Red Cross Field Communications Vehicle** provides "Tactical Interoperable Communications" with Ohio's emergency operations centers, public health departments, hospitals, sheriff's offices and central Ohio fire departments. Our amateur radio station provides local, continental 48-state and worldwide voice and digital disaster communications as well as communications to and from deployed service personnel.

**5 Dormitory**  
Red Cross shelter dormitories are equipped with cots, blankets and personal hygiene items to ensure that clients are comfortable and have basic necessities during times of disaster.

**4 Family Services**  
Red Cross interviews shelter clients to determine assistance needed to begin their road to recovery.

**3 Disaster Mental Health**  
Trained professionals provide emergency and preventative mental health services to Red Cross shelter clients and volunteers. Assistance includes advocacy, crisis intervention and referral services to meet mental health-related needs.

**2 Disaster Health Services**  
Trained nurses ensure the health and safety of Red Cross shelter clients and volunteers.

**14 Media**  
To ensure the privacy of our shelter clients, every Red Cross shelter has an area that the press and media can use for interviews.

**1 Registration**  
Upon arrival, shelter clients register with the Red Cross. A database of shelter client names is maintained so that in the event of a large-scale disaster, such as Hurricane Katrina, people from across the country can locate loved ones.

**13 Canteen**  
Red Cross shelter clients receive three meals each day, along with snacks and beverages.

**12 Emergency Response Vehicle**  
Provides mobile feeding to clients and distributes clean-up kits and other needed supplies to Red Cross clients.