

A HELPING HAND

TAKING A SHOT AT DONATING

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American Red Cross is the world's largest humanitarian organization that provides disaster and emergency services. They offer disaster relief as well as health and safety training and education. Alhambra High's own Red Cross organization also teaches their members basic first aid and disaster preparedness.

"Red Cross offers practical information for our members and community on how to recognize, treat and prevent injuries so that we are better prepared during emergency situations," Red Cross president Stephanie Huynh said.

AHS' Red Cross members are taught CPR, which is taught before people even officially become Red Cross members. They are also taught what to do in times of disaster emergencies, how to care and recognize first aid emergencies from burns to back injuries and other essential skills.

"We are taught what to do when someone is choking, how to treat someone who is wounded [and] how to properly wrap a band-aid around someone's hand," Red Cross member Dilagsayini Mylvaganam said.

American Red Cross provides care to those in need and their whole network is working toward prevent and relieving suffering all around the world. They aspire to turn compassion into action and are overall, making the world a better, healthier, and safer place.

"It's really nice seeing so many people come out voluntarily to donate blood and attempt to give back to their community," Red Cross member Jenny Mai.

Do you have a first aid kit handy? From a small, bleeding cut to being as serious as a broken leg, first aid has been there to assist. Throughout history, first aid has been slowly but surely improving, implementing technology in order to help as well. Because of this, donating blood is possible, which AHS' very own Red Cross has done in these past years.

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Accidents happen all around, even when we do not notice them. Some are as small as a paper cut but some can be more severe like someone drowning. These circumstances require a knowledge on first aid. First aid is a field that when first comes to mind it is a band aid or a packet of ice, but it is wide field that can be from someone calling an ambulance to someone rescuing someone from a burning building. First aid is a vital process when someone becomes injured. The actions of others can help bring aid to the injured and helps save lives. Throughout the centuries methods of first aid have become more efficient as more research has been done.

One type of first aid, is CPR. The idea of CPR came about in 1740 when the Paris Academy of Sciences, thought of using mouth to mouth resurreption to save drowning victims. Dr. James Elm and Dr. Peter Safar were pioneers to help develop the method to its modern day use. As time went by and more doctors and scientists started backing the method of CPR. It became an option to people that were unresponsive and more people started learning about this first aid.



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