



DATE: NOVEMBER 13TH, 2025

HOW PREPARED ARE YOU TO WORK WITH THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY IN THE EVENT OF A DISASTER?

NM Governor's Commission on Disability Sponsored event:

Training is designed to support the whole community's approach to emergency planning for all hazards in the areas of service animals, accessible shelter preparations, and inclusive practices working with the local disability community.

This training is designed for the local community to gain knowledge and awareness in accessible designs and practices, using the whole community approach that FEMA encourages, which includes people with disabilities in planning ahead.

If you are an emergency manager, first responder, medical professional, shelter personnel, veterinarian, animal caretaker, person with a disability, service provider to the disability community or an interested community member this **free** training is for you!

Reservation is encouraged to save your spot. Please reserve with **Sheila Skeet** at Sheila.skeet@gmail.com or call at **505-862-6327**.

To request accommodation, please send a separate email to **Jeminie Shell**, Disability Specialist at Jeminie.shell@gcd.nm.gov

For additional information, please contact Lisa McNiven, Deputy Director at 505-435-9326 www.gcd.nm.gov

Time:

9:00 to 4:30pm

Lunch on your own and short breaks are included.

Topics:

Emergency Preparedness from the perspective of People with Disabilities

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Service Animals In Shelters

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Accessible Shelters

LOCATION:

NOVA III BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES

Event Room

2915 W. Historic HWY 66,
Gallup, NM 87301

*Please enter through the Eastside doors of the old Howard Johnson Hotel.

