

Readiness Booklet for Libraries Launched

With funding from the Allstate Foundation, the Catastrophe Readiness Clearinghouse at Middle Country Public Library (Centereach, NY) has created a Readiness Booklet for Libraries to share resource information and program ideas based on what they have learned about disseminating readiness information to the public. Though geared especially for libraries on Long Island, it is hoped that libraries will use the booklet to stimulate library activities, displays, programs and collections to promote awareness and catastrophe readiness in their communities. The booklet includes information about free resources; programs for children, adults, and local businesses; book lists, etc. For more information about the Catastrophe Readiness Clearinghouse at Middle Country Public Library go to www.CatastropheReadinessClearinghouse.org or contact 631-585-9393 ext. 212 or 295.



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