

EMS WEEK BLOOD DRIVE



HOST A BLOOD DRIVE FOR STOP THE BLEED DAY



Why Host a Blood Drive?

Every blood donation can make a difference in an emergency. Hosting a blood drive on Stop the Bleed Day during EMS Week is a great way for EMS agencies to support trauma care and encourage community preparedness. Stop the Bleed Day, the perfect time to take action!

How to Get Started

- 1 Partner with a Blood Bank** Contact the American Red Cross, Vitalant or your local blood bank to coordinate.
- 2 Choose a Location** EMS agencies, firehouses, schools or community centers work well.
- 3 Pick a Date & Time** Consider hosting your drive on **Stop the Bleed Day** during EMS Week to highlight the importance of bleeding control.
- 4 Spread the Word** Use social media, flyers and community outreach to drive participation.
- 5 Engage & Thank Donors** Share stories, recognize volunteers and show your appreciation.

LEARN MORE & GET RESOURCES

Visit [EMSWeek.org](https://www.emsweek.org) for planning guides, promotional materials and outreach tools.