



The Burlington Township Fire Department has partnered with the American Red Cross to hold, what we hope to become, an annual blood drive. This event will be held at Station #301 located at 1601 Burlington Bypass Burlington, NJ. Blood Donations will be accepted from 2:00-8:00 PM on Friday March 30th, 2012.

March is Red Cross month and in honor of that the Red Cross will also have a token of appreciation that will be given to all successful donors. There will also be cookies, chips, and other refreshments offered to the donors, as well as activities for children while they may be waiting for a donor.

We are requesting that each person looking to donate to contact our district office to schedule an appointment so we may better serve you, and limit wait times. Please call 609-239-5850 and ask for Kristin Jonaitis or you may email directly to <a href="mailto:kjonaitis@btfd.org">kjonaitis@btfd.org</a> to make arrangements.

Those planning to donate: be sure to eat well, stay hydrated and bring your ID on the day of the blood drive. Proper identification is required to donate blood. A military ID, driver's license or employee badge with picture and full name are generally accepted forms of ID. Also, birth certificate along with a picture ID that includes donor's full name will also be accepted

Please choose to save a life by giving a unit of blood. It will make you and someone else feel a whole lot better. All blood types will be accepted at this donation. Type O-negative donors are the most universal and generally one of the most needed. The BTFD has a goal of 40-50 people donating at this event. Let's all work together to meet that goal!

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