

HeartSafe Designation Application

The HeartSafe program promotes and encourages community awareness of sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) and the potential lifesaving knowledge of cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and public access to automated external defibrillators (AEDs).

In order to increase this awareness, the Southeast Health System in partnership with community collaborators - City of Dothan and the Dothan Fire Department, and the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce - has developed a criteria-based initiative to provide designations for cities, communities, workplaces and campuses. Criteria for each category were established through the assistance of the American Heart Association, medical personnel and other HeartSafe programs around the country.

A "HeartSafe" designation gives the recipient city, community, workplace or campus a way to publically recognize their commitment to safety for those who live, visit or work there. The designation includes:

- A commitment to CPR training
- Public access to AED(s) through strategic placement
- Emergency response action plan

The included application details the requirements for HeartSafe City, HeartSafe Community, HeartSafe Workplace and HeartSafe Campus.





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HeartSafe designation requested: Check only one option.





The number of required AEDs and certified CPR citizens is based on the most recent US Census.

- 1. AED requirements: Minimum 1 AED for every 1,000 citizens
- 2. CPR certified citizens: Minimum 10% of population aged 16 years and older

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- 1. AED requirements:
 - **Fixed locations** (i.e. office buildings): minimum 1 AED in a publically accessible <u>and</u> within a 3-minute round-trip walk of the furthest work area
 - Flexible locations (i.e. construction sites): minimum 1 AED per site that can travel throughout the site with work staff
- 1. **CPR certified worker:** Minimum 10% of work staff, including regular employees, volunteers, contractors and student employees
- 2. **Emergency action plan:** A written emergency action plan that also addresses unusual circumstances for specific business types (such as a workplace that might experience an influx of visitors). *Dothan Fire Department is available to help in writing your plan.*
- 3. Recognition: Business is to display provided signage to show designation



1. AED requirements:

- Minimum 1 AED per building on campus in a publically accessible location <u>and</u> within a 3-minute round-trip walk of the furthest work area; or,
- Ability to respond with an AED within 3 minutes
- 2. **CPR certified worker:** Minimum 10% of work staff, including regular employees, volunteers, contractors and student employees
- 3. **Emergency action plan:** A written emergency action plan that also addresses unusual circumstances for specific business types (such as a workplace that might experience an influx of visitors). *Dothan Fire Department is available to help in writing your plan.*
- 4. Recognition: Campus is to display provided signage to show designation



Applicant Information:

Application Name (city, community, workplace, campus)				
Street Address	City	State	Zip	
Primary Contact Person				
Phone Number	Email Address	Email Address		

Additional Information (Required):

- 1. List of all AED locations. Attach a list of the specific locations of all AEDs.
- 2. Verified number of CPR-trained personnel or staff.

Applicant Signatures: Municipal Chief Elected Officer, Principal, Business Owner, CEO or Designee

Printed Name

Title

Signature

Date