# Texas Workforce Media Advisory

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**Local Community Service Providers Join Forces to Provide Assistance to Texans Affected by Hurricane Harvey**

**WHAT:** Hurricane Harvey Community Resources Fair

**WHO:** Texas Workforce Commission, Texas Workforce Solutions-Vocational Rehabilitation Services, Workforce Solutions Southeast Texas

**WHEN:** 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, April 5

****WHERE:** Holiday Inn & Suites**

3950 I-10 South & Walden Road

 Beaumont, Texas 77705

The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC), Texas Workforce Solutions-Vocational Rehabilitation Services and [Workforce Solutions Southeast Texas](http://setworks.org/) (TWS-VRS) are hosting a Hurricane Harvey Community Resources Fair on April 5 at the Holiday Inn & Suites in Beaumont.

The event is for individuals with disabilities, veterans and members of the general public who were affected by Hurricane Harvey. Attendees can register for services, including employment, housing and other community assistance. In addition to the hosts, the following providers will have representatives at the fair: Goodwill; the Federal Emergency Management Agency; Region 5 Education Service Center Crisis Counseling; RISE Center for Independent Living; Samaritan Counseling Services; and the Spindletop Center.

Attendees can participate in informational sessions that will discuss how to prepare for natural disasters and manage your health in emergency situations. The Texas Department of State Health Services will provide services and emergency preparedness kits while supplies last.

The Hurricane Harvey Community Resources fair is Thursday, April 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Holiday Inn & Suites, located at 3950 I-10 South & Walden Road in Beaumont.

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