

Allied Universal Responds to Hurricane Sandy with Speed, Compassion and Commitment

Hurricane Sandy hit the East Coast, affecting 24 states from Florida to Maine. It was the largest Atlantic hurricane on record.

New Jersey and New York were the hardest hit areas. Streets, tunnels and subways flooded, homes and businesses were destroyed and power was lost across many states.

Allied Universal security teams prepared for and took action throughout the storm to ensure the safety and security of our employees and clients. Our local teams were complemented by our national resources as we launched contingency plans, implemented state-of-the-art technology, shared emergency best practices and witnessed the incredible power of the human spirit. Our leaders went above and beyond to provide transportation, food, clothing and hotel rooms to security officers who were standing post for long hours, and to conduct wellness checks to ensure their safety. Our employees did not hesitate to stay at client sites, willing to work extra hours and do whatever was necessary. We have witnessed true leadership during this challenging time.

Account Manager Dwayne Stanton built a ramp during the storm to create an egress for patrons in his building, as the entrance was under construction. Dwayne recognized a need, and didn't hesitate to take action.

Security officers at a client site in New York City rescued a man and his dog from the rising flood waters, and provided him with a place to stay and food and water. "M r d eas. S Â eM

