



## VOLUNTEER APPLICATION PROCESS AND TRAINING

The "Foundations" course will provide New Volunteers the opportunity to receive basic CRM operational and logistical training. Included in the "Foundations" course will be: CRM's Philosophy of Ministry and Statement of Faith; roles and responsibilities of a CRM Crisis Responder, CRM operational policies and procedures; the CRM Chapter; organizational overview and structure; administrative topics; an overview of the Incident Command System; an introduction to crisis intervention; spiritual, emotional and practical care and support; and understanding and responding to traumatic events.

After successfully completing the "Foundations" course, a new CRM Crisis Responder will have the opportunity to receive additional training and certification in one or more of the three (3) CRM Service Units: Crime Victim Services, Disaster Services and/or Life Crisis Services.

### **CRM Requirements for New Applicants**

1. Must be 18 years of age or older
2. Submit Online Application – <http://bit.ly/crmvolapp>
3. Pay \$50 Application & Certification Training Fee
4. Upload or forward a copy of driver's license or government issued identification
5. Pass Background Check.
6. Must submit prior to Certification Training Course:
  - a. Testimony of faith in Jesus Christ
  - b. Pastoral/Church Letter of Recommendation
  - c. Recommendation by you local CRM Chapter Director
7. Chaplain Certification requires applicant to provide copy of Certificate of Ordination, Ministerial License or certificate from a recognized Christian Chaplaincy Organization.
8. Attend and Complete the next CRM Foundations Training and Online Courses
9. Order required CRM Uniform at <http://crmtexas.org/crm-store>
10. Be "Prayed Up and Mission Ready."