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LaGrange Fire Department to Host Blood Drive Friday, September 25th

LaGrange, Ga. August 3, 2020 - The LaGrange Fire Department will host a Blood Drive **Friday, September 25th, 10AM-3PM at the LaGrange Fire Department’s Training Room at 115 Hill Street in LaGrange.**

The American Red Cross has an urgent need for blood donations to prevent another blood shortage as hospitals resume surgical procedures and patient treatments that were temporarily paused earlier this spring in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.
Walk-ins are accepted but appointments are encouraged. To make an appointment visit [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) or call 1-800-RED-CROSS. Donors are encouraged to complete pre-donation reading and health history questions at [www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass](http://www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass).

The public is invited to participate.

**WHO:** LaGrange Fire Department, American Red Cross

**WHAT:** Blood Drive with the American Red Cross

**WHEN:** Friday, September 25th, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** LaGrange Fire Department Training Room, 115 Hill Street, LaGrange, GA 30241

**HOW:** To make an appointment go to [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) or call 1-800-RED-CROSS (733-2767)

The American Red Cross is the nation’s largest blood collection organization, supplying approximately 40 percent of the blood and blood products used in our country.

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