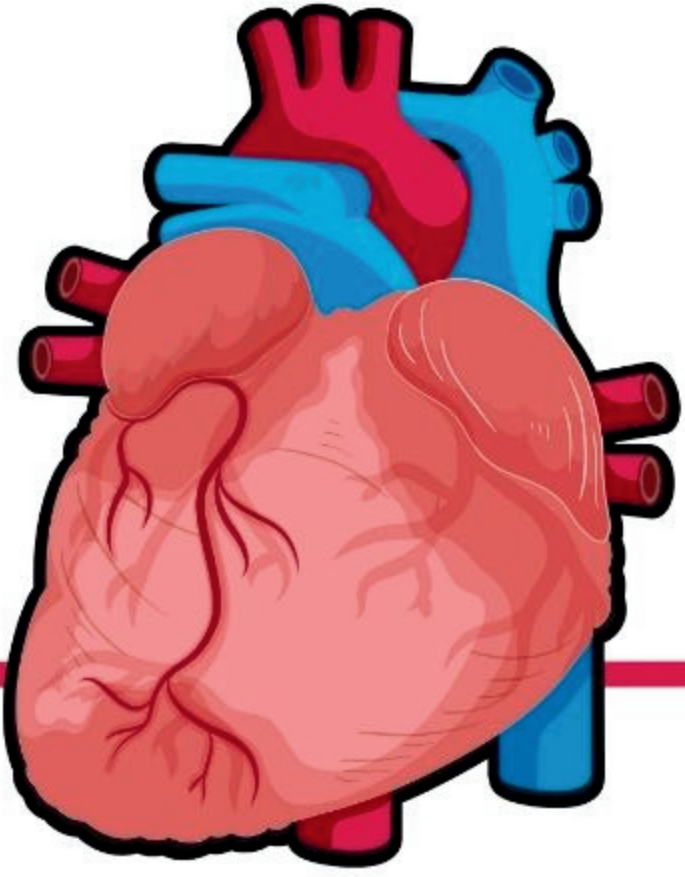


HEART READY COMMUNITY program



Are you ready to save a neighbor?



Sudden cardiac arrest can happen anytime, anywhere.

The **Heart Ready Community Award** honors communities in Bonita Springs that take action to prepare for cardiac emergencies before they happen.

MEET LIFESAVING STANDARDS:

To be awarded a **Heart Ready Community**, your neighborhood must:

- Train 15% of residents and all staff in CPR & AED use
- Install at least one AED in a central, clearly marked, and 24/7 accessible location
- Register your AED with the Lee County AED Registry for 911 access
- Run a public awareness campaign to educate your community on cardiac arrest & stroke prevention

WHAT YOUR COMMUNITY WILL RECEIVE:

- An 18" x 24" aluminum sign to proudly display at your entrance
- An official Certificate of Recognition for your community
- Public recognition at a Bonita Springs Fire District Board Meeting

WHY IT MATTERS:

- Increases survival rates from cardiac arrest
- Gives peace of mind to residents & families
- Builds a safer, stronger, and more connected community
- Empowers bystanders to act before first responders arrive

READY TO APPLY?

Complete the **Heart Ready Community** Application