



**American  
Red Cross**

# CLIENT SUCCESS STORY

On March 10th, 2023, the Smith family's house caught fire. Despite the destruction, Mr. and Mrs. Smith and their four children escaped harm due to the smoke alarms installed by Red Cross volunteers last year as part of the Sound the Alarm campaign. After being notified of the fire, Red Cross disaster volunteers quickly arrived to assess their needs. They provided financial support for temporary shelter, food, clothing, and comfort kits.

By March 12th, a Red Cross volunteer checked on the Smith family's recovery. The volunteer connected Mr. Smith to local agencies for further assistance and offered guidance on replacing lost documents. The Smiths expressed gratitude for Red Cross's help and acknowledged that the installed smoke alarms were instrumental in saving their lives.