

## AZ Giving: American Red Cross Issues Emergency Call for Blood

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After the holiday weekend, American Red Cross faces a blood shortage and has issued an emergency call for eligible individuals of all blood types to [give now](#). The American Red Cross now has less than a three-day supply of most blood types available – and less than a two-day supply of type O blood – for patients. At least a five-day supply is desired.

**How to help:** Donors of all blood types, especially type O, are urged to make an appointment to donate using the [Blood Donor App](#), at [RedCrossBlood.org](#) or by calling 1.800.RED CROSS (1.800.733.2767). Donation appointments and completion of a [RapidPass](#) online health history questionnaire are encouraged to help reduce the time it takes to donate.

### **Blood Donation Centers:**

*Broadway Blood Donation Center*

*7139 E Broadway Blvd.*

*Tucson, AZ 85710*

*Hours: Monday-Tuesday: 10:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.*

*Wednesday – Thursday: 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.*

*Friday – Saturday: 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.*

*Sunday: 7 a.m. – 3 p.m.*

*Foothills Mall Blood Donation Center*

*7401 N. La Cholla Blvd.*

*Tucson, AZ 85741*

*Hours: Monday and Tuesday: 10:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Thursday: Closed*

*Friday: 7 a.m. – 3 p.m.*

Those interested in hosting a blood drive can learn more and sign up to sponsor a drive this summer by visiting [RedCrossBlood.org/HostADrive](#).