



Red Cross

Clara Barton ~ Founder of American Red Cross

In 1881 Clara Barton organized the American Association of the Red Cross, known from 1893 as the American National Red Cross and served as its president until 1904. She wrote the American amendment to the constitution of the Red Cross, which provides for the distribution of relief not only in war but also in times of such calamities as famines, floods, earthquakes, tornadoes, and pestilence.

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