

C.E.R.T. 2-Way Radio Procedures

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Always keep your radio set to channel 3. Lock in

When you enter a disaster area always identify yourself to Central Control

EXAMPLE: Central Control this is (*your name*) from zone (*your zone number*) reporting in, **OVER**.

When reporting to Central Control after initial reporting in:

DO

- Identify yourself
- Identify your zone
- Identify the problem (Use terms below with brief description)
- Identify your current location
- Break in if you have a true life or death EMERGENCY.
- Break into a Priority or information call with an Emergency transmission.
- Always give up your transmission for an Emergency transmission
- End transmission with **OVER**
- Keep your 2-way radio's in your backpack until you are ready to use

DON'T

- Interrupt an EMERGENCY call.
- Call another C.E.R.T. member, always go through Central Control

TERMS TO USE FOR YOUR TRANSMISSION

1. EMERGENCY Life or Death
2. PRIORITY Personal injury but not life or death
3. INFORMATION Property damage