



Los Angeles Emergency
Communications Team



Amateur Radio Emergency Service
Northeast District, Los Angeles Section

HAM Basics 101: Operator Training for Emergency Communications

2018 Workshop Series

Saturday, February 24, 2018
9 a.m. — 1 p.m.

Huntington Memorial Hospital
100 West California Boulevard, Pasadena
West Tower Conference Rooms
(located adjacent to the Cafeteria)

Topics to be covered:

Radio basics: understanding simplex and repeater operation; consideration of location, antenna and power; active net participation and net control; using best practices for effective communications
Anatomy of a deployment: activation and check-in; follow up on assignments; setting up an effective station; passing traffic efficiently; consideration of served agency mission, needs and interaction
Mission-critical traffic: using essential ICS forms; sending ARESLAX forms for local EMS Agency support; introduction to NTS Radiograms

Register through Eventbrite: <https://ham-basics-101.eventbrite.com>

The Los Angeles Emergency Communications Team (“LAECT”) is a group of dedicated individuals committed to training and education in all aspects of emergency preparedness, management and response, with an emphasis on emergency communications. LAECT partners with cities, community groups and other preparedness organizations to coordinate and provide practical preparedness and communications training throughout Southern California. Among its projects is sponsorship of the Pasadena–San Gabriel Valley Emcomm Mesh.

The Los Angeles Section of ARES (“ARESLAX”) encompasses all of Los Angeles County. Covering more than 4000 square miles and its more than 10 million residents, ARESLAX is the largest ARES Section, and the only one comprised of a single county. As its primary mission, ARESLAX provides backup and emergency communications support to the Los Angeles County Medical Alert Center and almost 70 hospitals throughout the County, including virtually all “911 receiving” hospitals.

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