Anyone Can Answer Radios





How to respond when your hospital is called out

- Press and hold mic button
- Wait a second or two before speaking
- State "[Name of hospital] copies, over"
- Use plain language when responding, no number or color codes

Any concerns with radios, contact IHA at chscpr@team-iha.org

For missed notices, email the CDPH Public Health Emergency Operations Center (PHEOC) at CDPHPHEOC@CityofChicago.Org

Hospital Radio Setup

- STARCOM21
 - New radios Zone IDPH B, Channel13 (screen will read "EMS R11")
 - Older radios Zone B, Channel 15 (screen will read "B EMS R11")

Note: If you see anything other than that, you may have to switch it back

• New radios



• Older radios



- 1. Press the "Zone" Button to change zones and choose Zone B
- 2. Press the "Home" Button when on the right Zone
- 3. Use the dial to navigate to "B EMS R11", on channel 15.