

Amateur Radio Voice Operating Guidelines Exercise 2 Answers

1. Which frequencies may be used for a YCA/R net?

A: Those listed in the YCA/R FM VOICE FREQUENCY LIST and any designated by the YCA/R Emergency Coordinator, except for command frequencies.

2. During a disaster, personnel and frequencies are to be assigned using which criterion?

A: Personnel and frequencies will be assigned based on what best meets the needs at hand.

3. How will the NCS structure all YCA/R nets?

- a. YCA/R structure diagrams in the YCA/R training material
- b. YCA/R requests at any given time
- c. The principles of Incident Command
- d. Requests made by NCS during the situation

A: c

4. Name the four groups of frequencies that may be set up during an emergency.

- A: -- Command
-- Resource
-- Tactical
-- Emergency

5. Identify the group frequency type of the following by putting the appropriate letter in the blank.

B Used to resolve amateur radio operations-related problems.

D The "front line" net during an incident. Typically used in a small area for a specific purpose.

A Primarily used to recruit operators and equipment.

C Frequencies (repeaters) belonging to individuals not having a prior agreement with YCA/R.

- A. Resource
- B. Command
- C. Emergency
- D. Tactical

6. When is any means of communications allowed?

A: Any means of communications may be used in connection with the immediate threat to human life or property when normal communications systems are not available.

7. What must each station do before leaving the net frequency?

A: Check out.

8. What must the NCS do if a station fails to check out and why?

A: Report to the YCA/R Incident NCS that station failed to check out so the status and/or location of the station can be determined.

9. What must an NCS do before closing down a net operation?

A: Check out of the Incident Command Net.

10. Which elements on the EOC Message Form will be used in lieu of a message number?

A: DATE and TIME

11. Should you modify the message content of a message originated by someone other than yourself to save time, to increase efficiency, and make it easier to understand?

A: No. It is most important that messages originated by others be sent exactly as written. When you originate a message, you should make it as short and concise as possible.

12. What precedence should the reply to a message receive?

A: The same precedence as the message being replied to.