LOS ANGELES COUNTY'S EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

What is Alert LA County?

Alert LA County is a FREE* mass notification system for Los Angeles County's residents and businesses. The system will contact you when an emergency happens.

**Services like calls, SMS messages, and data can imply a cost from your service provider.*

Why should I sign up for Alert LA County? I already receive other notifications from other services.

Alert LA County provides information from local County authorities and is target specific. If the area where you live or have your business is impacted by an emergency or disaster, you will receive a recorded notification with specific directions on what to do. If your area is not threatened, you will not receive a notification. Also, find out if the city where you live or have your business has its own emergency notification system so that you can sign up for it, as well.

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LIVE IN LA COUNTY?

- **Sign up**
- **Get notified**
- **Stay safe**

If you need help signing up for Alert LA County, please dial 2-1-1 from any telephone for assistance.

Want to be notified when your community is impacted by an emergency or disaster?

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Are YOU registered yet?

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How does the Alert LA County system contact you?

If there is an emergency or a disaster in your area, Alert LA County can contact you by sending you a:

- Recorded telephone message at your home or business (TTY/TDD is also available)
- Text message (SMS)
- Email

When you register, you can choose which option(s) you prefer.

Who should sign-up for Alert LA County?

All residents and businesses in Los Angeles County should sign-up to receive Alert LA County emergency notifications. The system has TTY/TDD capability.

Register online at **alert.lacounty.gov.**

What kind of emergency information does Alert LA County send?

Alert LA County may send you any one of the following three notifications. Here are some tips on what to do:

Evacuation Warning [Get ready]

- Prepare to leave your home, business or the affected area.
- Gather your family, pets, emergency kits, medications, and important documents.
- Listen and follow the instructions from emergency responders.
- If you have horses or large animals, begin to leave the area with them.

Evacuation Order [Leave now]

- Leave your home or business immediately.
- Do not return to the area. Wait until authorities say it is safe to return.
- Be sure to follow instructions from authorities. Failure to do so may cause personal injuries or death, and may endanger other people's lives.

Shelter-in-place [Stay covered where you are]

- Stay inside wherever you are.
- Turn off air-conditioner and fan units, if needed.
- Use duct tape or similar material to seal gaps around vents, windows, and doors if needed.
- Do not leave wherever you are until authorities say it is safe to leave.
- Listen to radio/television and the Emergency Alert System to stay informed.

For more information:
Visit **alert.lacounty.gov**