

## TABLE 4: COMMUNICATIONS

**Note:** Table 4 is to be answered for each county.

County: **LOS ANGELES**

Reporting Year: **FISCAL YEAR 2018/2019**

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| 1. Number of primary Public Service Answering Points (PSAP)  | <u>78</u>   |
| 2. Number of secondary PSAPs   | <u>6</u>  |
| 3. Number of dispatch centers directly dispatching ambulances  | <u>37 Private</u><br><u>12 Public</u>                               |
| 4. Number of EMS dispatch agencies utilizing EMD guidelines  | <u>11</u>   |
| 5. Number of designated dispatch centers for EMS Aircraft  | <u>3</u>  |
| 6. Who is your primary dispatch agency for day-to-day emergencies?<br>Department on origin of call:  |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Beverly Hills Police Department</li><li>• Downey Fire Communication</li><li>• Los Angeles County Fire</li><li>• La Verne Police Department</li><li>• Long Beach Fire Department</li><li>• Los Angeles Fire Department</li><li>• Redondo Beach Police Department</li><li>• Santa Monica Fire Department</li><li>• South Bay Regional Public Communication Authority</li><li>• Torrance Police Department</li><li>• Verdugo Fire Communication</li><li>• West Covina Police Department</li></ul> |   |
| 7. Who is your primary dispatch agency for a disaster?<br><b>Los Angeles County Fire District is the Fire Operations Area Coordinator</b>  |   |
| 8. Do you have an operational area disaster communication system?  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| a. Radio primary frequency<br><b>155.340 MHz</b>   |   |
| b. Other methods<br><b>Landline, cell phones, Internet ReddiNet, satellite phones and amateur radio (HAM)</b>  |   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No  |   |
| c. Can all medical response units communicate on the same disaster communications system?  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |

d. Do you participate in the Operational Area Satellite Information System (OASIS)? ☒ Yes ☐ No

e. Do you have a plan to utilize the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services (RACES) as a back-up communication system? ☒ Yes ☐ No

1) Within the operational area? ☒ Yes ☐ No

2) Between operation area and the region and/or state? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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