

## 5<sup>Th</sup> District RACES Hospital Net Preamble

This is (call sign), net control operator for the Michigan 5<sup>th</sup> District Hospital Net.

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The purpose of this net is to test communication links between hospitals and other key facilities, such as Red Cross Chapters and Emergency Operations Centers. After initial check in's on this frequency, we will be testing on both analog and digital simplex frequencies.

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This training net is conducted on the first Wednesday of each quarter, on the 147.040 repeater at 7:00 PM local time.

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In the event of an emergency, the 147.040 repeater will be the primary "meeting place" for of all amateur radio traffic on behalf of the hospitals involved. In the case of this repeater failing, the 147.000 repeater will be used instead. If that repeater fails, 146.520 will be the initial contact frequency.

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Are there any stations with time sensitive traffic?

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Are there any stations with announcements for this net?

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At this time I will take a roll call of the hospitals, county by county. Once that is complete, other check-ins will be allowed.

Allegan

Barry

Berrien

Branch

Calhoun

Cass

Kalamazoo

St Joseph

Van Buren

Reference:

Allegan General Hospital - Allegan  
Borgess Pipp Health Center - Plainwell  
Pennock Hospital – Hastings  
Lakeland Medical Center – Niles  
Lakeland Healthline – Saint Joseph  
Community Hospital – Watervliet  
Community Health Center - Coldwater  
Battle Creek Health System – Battle Creek  
Oaklawn Hospital – Marshall  
Veterans Affairs Medical Center – Battle Creek  
Borgess Lee Memorial Hospital – Dowagiac  
Borgess Medical Center – Kalamazoo  
Bronson Methodist Hospital – Kalamazoo  
Bronson Vicksburg Hospital – Vicksburg  
Sturgis Hospital – Sturgis  
Three Rivers Area Hospital – Three Rivers  
Lakeview Hospital – Paw Paw  
South Haven Community Hospital – South Haven

This concludes the roll call of hospitals, are there other stations for the net?

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If there are no further stations for this net, please follow net control to XXX .XXX for a simplex radio test, after which those stations with the capability will follow net control to XXX.XXX for a digital voice test.

This is (call sign) securing the Michigan 5<sup>th</sup> District Hospital Net on this repeater and moving to XXX.XXX simplex.

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Are there any stations with time sensitive traffic?

Are there any stations with announcements?

At this time I will take a roll call of the hospitals by county, that are expected to be on frequency. Once that is complete, other check-in's will be taken.

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