

Radio Communications Update

Clear Language Communications with the addition of 10 Code Radio Communications.

We will start to roll out a small addition to our radio communication to align with other Vail resorts that other Vail Patrollers & Staff understand to provide standard communication across resorts.



We will continue to use Clear Language Communications and SAILOR (Sex, Age, Incident (Chief Complaint), Location, Equipment Needed and Resources Required) also with 10-codes.

We have created an online practice site to understand what code to use that matches our current Clear Language Communications.

We have also added the 10-codes to the front of the patrol radios as another point of reference.

Our priority is our patient care. If you can't recall the proper 10-code on scene, use what we have used in the past to provide the appropriate information during the incident. (No patient names)

Below is the list of 10 codes that align with (APCO) Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International and Vail Resorts.

Code	Definition	Old Clear Language Examples from the Past
10-4	Acknowledgement (OK)	Patroller, "Message received" "Copy"
10-20	Location	Patroller, "I'm just below the 4-star Express near tower 6"
10-50	Accident	Patroller, "We have a report of person injured on the Sundowner Run, mid-way down"
10-52	Ambulance Needed	Patroller, "Please contact EMS"
10-75	Missing Person/Child	Patroller, "We have a missing person/child, w Blue Hat, Red Jacket, White Pants"