

**GUATEMALA****CLUB DE RADIO AFICIONADOS DE GUATEMALA [CRAG]****NATIONAL EMERGENCY COORDINATOR OF GUATEMALA:**

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The Emergency Net of CRAG is formed by a system in VHF, UHF with national coverage and another net in Digital mode (PACKET). There is also in operation a net in 40 meters band.

The government embraces Amateur Radio as an emergency communication resource in country, and the CRAG has an emcomm training program for its members. There are approximately 50 members involved in emcomm functions. CRAG provides service to Coordinadora Nacional Para La Reduccion de Desastres (CONRED). Source: GAREC-2005 Preparatory Report.

The following are the emergency frequencies in use:

**PHONE NET:**

HF	7, 075 Khz	National
VHF	146.880 - 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	Capital City
VHF	146.730 - 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	South coast, Guatemala Department, Guatemala Highland.
VHF	147.015 + 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	North parth of the Country
VHF	147.300 + 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	Eastern parth of Country
VHF	147.280 + 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	Northeastern of Country and Honduras border.
VHF	144.220 + 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	Quetzaltenango
VHF	146.610 - 0.600 mhz ( Tone 156.7)	Southeastern Guatemala and El Salvador border.
VHF	146.520 Simplex	Contact Frecuency for Emergency.
UHF	438.050 - 5.0 mhz ( Tone 100.0 )	Central Parth of Country and Links.

**PACKET NET:**

Location	Callsign	Node	PBBS
Pacaya Volcano	TG0AA-1	Pacaya	
Alaska Hill	TG0AA-2	Xela	
Paraxquin Hill	TG0AA-3	Chimal	
Quetzaltenango Hill	TG0AA-4	Quetza	
Santa Elena Barillas	TG0AA-5	- - -	
El Encinal Guatemala	TG0AA-6	Gua	Gua-1
" Agua" Volcano	TG0AA-7	Agua	
"Las Flores" Hill and Coban	TG0AA-8	Tactic	

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