

# City of Chicago Emergency Management and Communications



**Population:**  
2,721,308 (No. 3)

**Govt Employees:**  
40,000

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[Link](#)

**Cage Code:**  
644Y5

**UEI Number:**  
CRZ1A1JTLQB6

**DUNS#**  
12-474-2474



**Site:**

<https://www.chicago.gov/city/en/depts/oem.html>

**Mission:**

The mission of the Office of Emergency Management and Communications (OEMC) is to manage incidents, coordinate events, operate communications systems, and provide technology, among other forms of support, to City services to strengthen their respective missions and to protect lives and property in the City of Chicago. The OEMC is committed to closely partnering with local, regional, state, and federal partners to achieve seamless integration and complementary missions. The OEMC recognizes that in addition to its traditional responsibilities at the local level, its support of relevant Cook County and State of Illinois efforts will result in more safety and security for both City residents and City property. This recognition is driven by the OEMC's commitment to innovation and flexibility in achieving its mission of supporting City services.

The end state is OEMC's vision of "Integrated Operations, Safe and Secure Citizens." The department will be guided toward this vision by its values of professionalism, accountability, integrity, communication, preparedness, and collaboration. These values will serve as guideposts for staff conduct as the OEMC works toward its vision by supporting City services and protecting both citizens and property in the City of Chicago.

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**Actsoft Workforce Manager for Gov:**

- DHS signed the Authority to Operate (ATO) on Sept 12, 2024
- FPS completed their internal ATO in June 2025
- WFM for Gov passed three (3) Third Party Assessor Organizations (3PAO) Audits, the Initial Audit and two Annual Audits
- WFM for Gov is GovRAMP Authorized