

Ohio State Highway Patrol

Media Advisory

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Patrol's new Critical Information and Communications Center to go live 365/24/7 tomorrow

Media provided new protocol to receive information during critical incidents

What: The Patrol's new Critical Information and Communications Center (CICC) will go live 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year.

When: Friday, February 4 at 7 a.m.

Where: The new CICC will be located at the Patrol's Columbus District Headquarters Columbus Communication Center, in association with the Emergency Management Agency and the Emergency Operations Center.

The CICC will be the one-stop-shop for gathering and processing information with regards to critical incidents, as well as work in conjunction with Homeland Security and the Emergency Management Agency.

During critical incidents media outlets are advised to call 614-752-2792 during normal business hours and to call 614-466-2660 after hours and on weekends to obtain information. For after hours less critical media requests, the media is advised to contact their local Patrol Post. Contact information for each post can be found on the Patrol's Web site at <http://www.statepatrol.ohio.gov/counties.stm>.

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