

## 2024 Ohio Monthly Tests

Required monthly tests originate from the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) in Columbus at 48:00 past the hour to ensure delivery by 50:00.

The SEOC originates RMTs through a combination of CAP via IPAWS and OEAS fiber via OET-embedded digital stream and firewalled G-Net audio codecs to LP stations with legacy Over-the-Air transmission to the 12 Operational Areas across the state.

WNCI is the State Primary Station (SP-1) (gregsavoldi@iheartmedia.com). WBNS-FM is the Alternate Station (SP-2) (greg.armstrong@tenga.com). These serve as the lead stations for OTA distribution to all Radio, TV, and Cable operators statewide.

### Test Schedule

**January 10, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-1

**February 14, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-2

**March 20, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-1. Custom script and date in conjunction with Severe Weather Awareness Week, covering the RMT requirement for all stations in Ohio for March. Should NOAA cancel their test due to potentially severe weather in the state, we will reschedule the RMT for the following day, March 21, at 9:50 am, regardless of a NOAA awareness week test reschedule.

**April 10, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-1

**May 8, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-2

**June 12, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-2

**July 10, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-1

**August 14, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-1

**September 11, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-2

**October 9, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-1

**November 13, 2024** - 9:50 am - CAP + SP-1

**December 11, 2024** - 3:50 am - SP-2