



CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT UNIFORM & EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT DIVISION	DATE OF ISSUE/REVISION June 1996	SPECIFICATION NO. 8601.12
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ITEM 1: BREAST PATCH - POLICE 911 CIVILIAN OPERATOR AND SUPERVISOR

DESIGN: The overall design shall be oval in shape, measuring approximately 2 7/8" wide by 3" high.

Approximately 3/4" below the top of the patch and centered shall be an embroidered replica of the City of Chicago Seal. Immediately above the seal, centered and evenly spaced shall be the word "CHICAGO". Immediately below the seal, centered and evenly spaced shall be the numerals "911".

All lettering shall be approximately 1/4" high by 3/8" wide. All numerals shall be approximately 1/4" high by 5/16" wide at the widest point. A rolled 1/8" merrowed border shall be stitched on the outer edge of the patch. A 1/4" overlap shall complete the merrowed border and the loose end of the stitching shall be secured to the reverse side of the patch. Dark blue thread stitching shall be sewn abutting the inner edge of the rolled merrowed border and the outer edge of the City of Chicago Seal. (See Illustration 1)

The thread color for the merrowed border shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-78 light gold or equal color. The thread color for the lettering and numerals shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-3 dark blue or equal color. The background shall be white.

Thread color: All thread colors shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company or equal colors as follows:

Dark Gold	FD-B73
Light Gold	FD-78
Dark Blue	FD-3
Light Blue	FD-9
Red	FD-17
Green	FD-113
White	
Black	

Note: Due to the restricted area a simulation of the words "URBS IN HORTO" within the red banner of the City of Chicago Seal are to be sewn with light gold stitching.

AUTHORIZATION: The breast patch described above will be sewn on all Police Operators I, II and III, Civilian Supervisor & Watch Manager's uniform shirts and sweaters. The breast patch will be centered and sewn over the uniform shirt's left pocket 1/4" above the pocket flap and over the left breast area on sweaters.

ITEM 2: SHOULDER PATCH - POLICE 911 CIVILIAN OPERATOR & SUPERVISOR

DESIGN: The overall design shall be a rounded triangular shape with the pointed end down. The shoulder patch shall measure approximately 3 1/2" wide by 3 7/8" high.

Following the contour of the top of the patch shall be the word "CHICAGO" embroidered, evenly spaced and centered between

the inner edge of the merrowed border. Approximately 1/2" below the top of the patch and equally spaced and centered from left to right shall be a red embroidered Maltese Cross measuring approximately 1/2" high by 1/2" wide, a dark blue embroidered CPD Star measuring approximately 3/4" high by 3/4" wide and a green embroidered Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Emblem measuring approximately 1/2" high by 1/2" wide. The word "EMERGENCY" shall be embroidered, evenly spaced and centered approximately 1 3/8" below the top of the patch. The word "COMMUNICATIONS" shall be embroidered, evenly spaced and centered approximately 1 11/16" below the top of the patch. The Office of Emergency Communications Logo (Chicago skyline with 911) shall be embroidered, evenly spaced and centered from left to right approximately 2" below the top of the patch. A light gold embroidered depiction of a Satellite Dish measuring approximately 3/4" high by 9/16" wide shall be evenly spaced and centered from left to right approximately 2 3/4" below the top of the patch.

The word "CHICAGO" shall be approximately 1/4" high by 1/4" wide. The words "EMERGENCY" and "COMMUNICATIONS" shall be approximately 3/16" high by 3/16" wide. The Office of Emergency Communications Logo shall be approximately 3/4" high by 1 1/4" wide. (See Illustration 1)

The merrowed border and the embroidered Satellite Dish shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-78 light gold or equal color. The inner edge of the merrowed border, all lettering, CPD Star, OEC Logo and enhancement thread on the Satellite Dish shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-3 dark blue or equal color. The Maltese Cross shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-17 red or equal color. The EMS Emblem shall be Robinson-Anton Textile Company FD-113 green or equal color. The background shall be white.

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ITEM 3: BREAST PATCH - FIRE 911 CIVILIAN OPERATOR & SUPERVISOR

DESIGN: The overall design shall be oval in shape, measuring approximately 2 7/8" wide by 3" high.

Approximately 3/4" below the top of the patch and centered shall be an embroidered replica of the City of Chicago Seal. Immediately above the seal, centered and evenly spaced shall be the word "CHICAGO". Immediately below the seal, centered and evenly spaced shall be the numerals "911".

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complete the merrowed border and the loose end of the stitching shall be secured to the reverse side of the patch. Red thread stitching shall be sewn abutting the inner edge of the rolled merrowed border and the outer edge of the City of Chicago Seal. (See Illustration 2)

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The word "CHICAGO" shall be approximately 1/4" high by 1/4" wide. The words "EMERGENCY" and "COMMUNICATIONS" shall be approximately 3/16" high by 3/16" wide. The Office of Emergency Communications Logo shall be approximately 3/4" high by 1 1/4" wide. (See Illustration 2)

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Manufacturer's Specification Guarantee: Sample patches shall be forwarded to the Research and Development Division for approval before marketing may commence.

No manufacturer may suggest that their product is an approved prescribed Chicago Police Department uniform item without prior inspection of a completed sample and written authorization by the Director, Research and Development Division, Chicago Police Department.

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ILLUSTRATION 1 - POLICE 911 BREAST AND SHOULDER PATCHES



ILLUSTRATION 2 - FIRE 911 BREAST AND SHOULDER PATCHES