

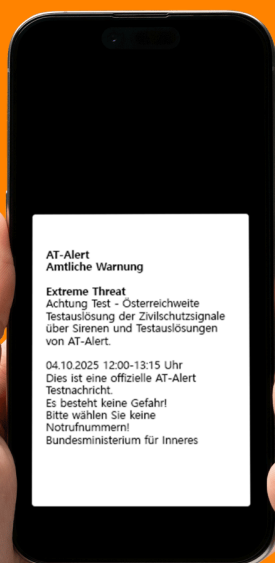


AT-Alert

The Civil Protection Association informs you about here the AT-Alert service, which is technically implemented by the Ministry of the Interior, the provincial warning centers and the mobile network operators.

Your warning message directly to your cell phone

AT-Alert is a service that allows authorities to send warning messages directly to cell phones. “AT” stands for Austria and “Alert” means alarm. Using cell broadcast technology, messages are sent to all cell phones within selected cell phone radio cells. This allows millions of recipients to be contacted anonymously in a short space of time. An AT Alert message contains information about an event that has occurred or is imminent and recommendations for the correct behavior. Austria has a nationwide warning and alert system with around 8,300 civil defense sirens. AT-Alert will not replace this proven warning system, but rather supplement the sirens. The aim of this new additional warning channel is to reach as many affected people as possible directly via their cell phones in the event of an emergency. AT-Alert will therefore be used throughout Austria. Please find out whether your cell phone is suitable for AT-Alert. You can find more information in the FAQ section “What settings are available on the cell phone?”



Current warnings

An overview of the currently active AT-Alert messages can be found on the website of Rundfunk und Telekom Regulierungs-GmbH (RTR) at warnings.at-alert.at . Please note that these may still be incomplete during the AT-Alert test phase.