

# **The medium and the message**

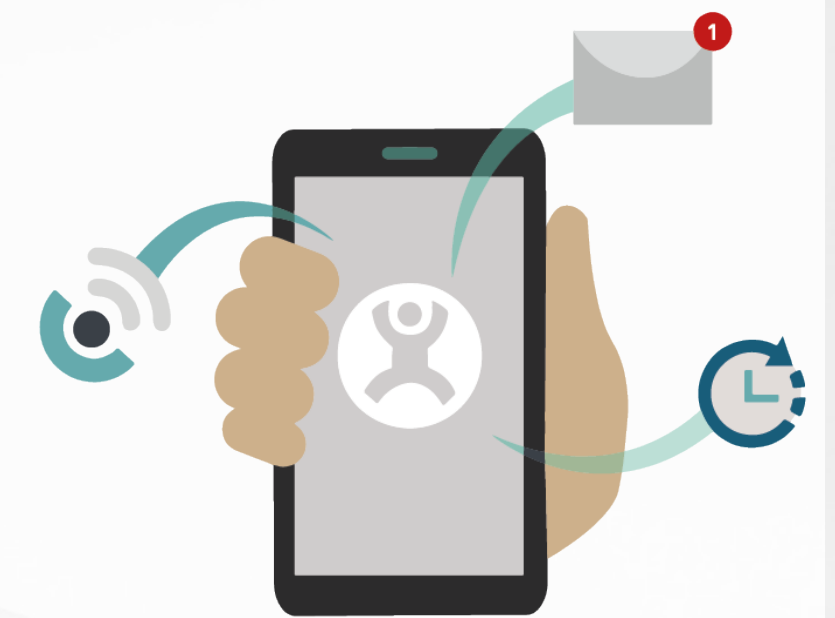
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- Nobody is as angry as they are on Twitter
- No one is as happy as they appear on Facebook
- Nobody is as successful as they say on Linked In





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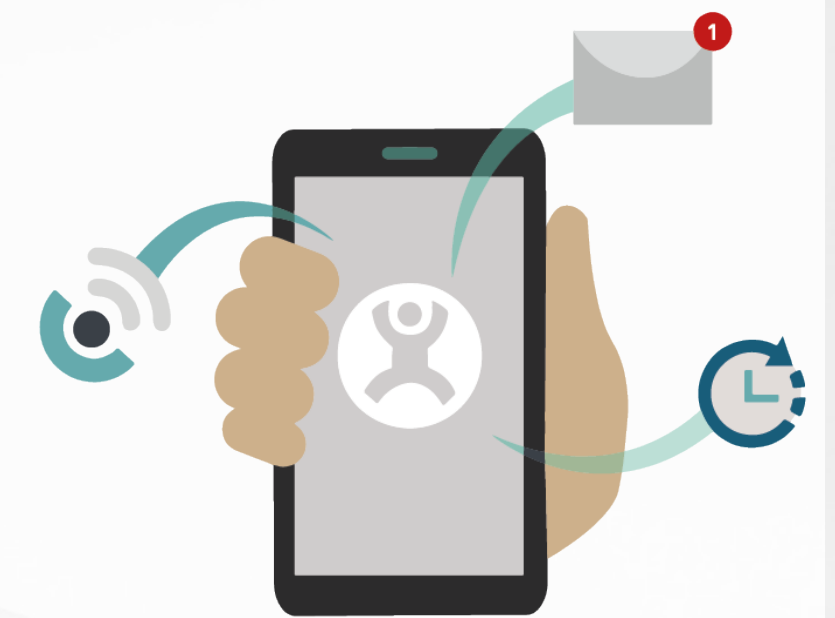


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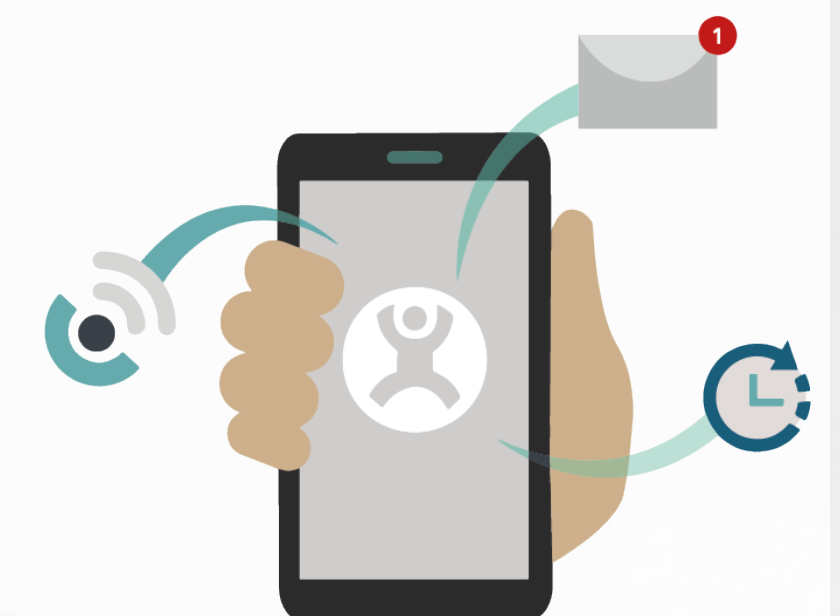
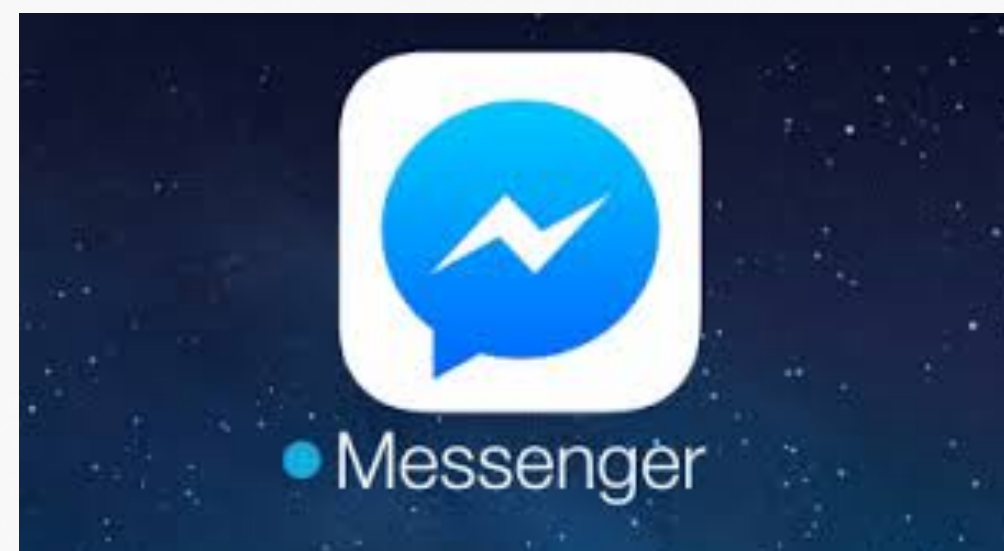
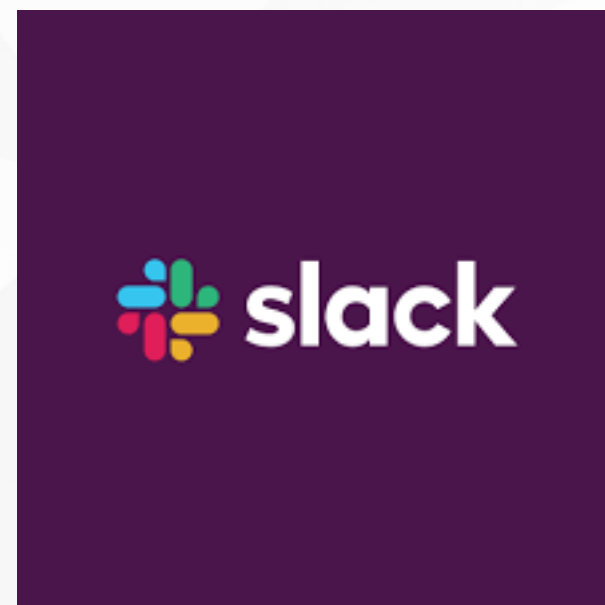
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In the past, you communicated **to** your audiences now you communicate **with** your audiences – it's a two-way street





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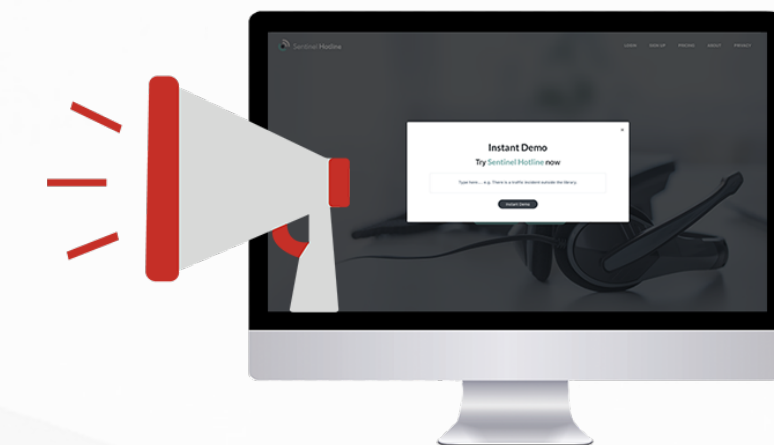




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**Pickering Nuclear Generating Station**





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## EMERGENCY ALERTS

### **EMERGENCY ALERT / ALERTE D'URGENCE**

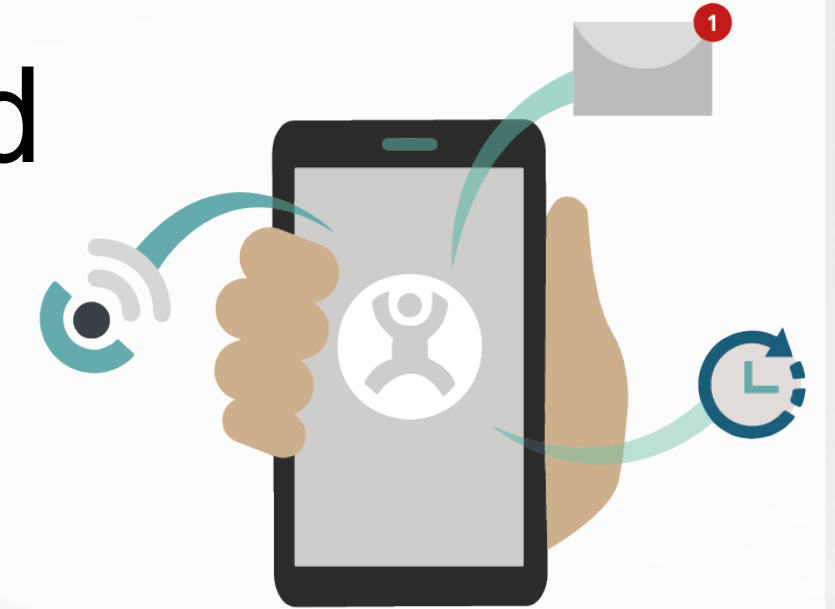
This is a Province of Ontario emergency bulletin which applies to people within ten (10) kilometres of the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station. An incident was reported at the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station. There has been NO abnormal release of radioactivity from the station and emergency staff are responding to the situation. People near the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station DO NOT need to take any protective actions at this time. Remain tuned to local media for further information and instructions.





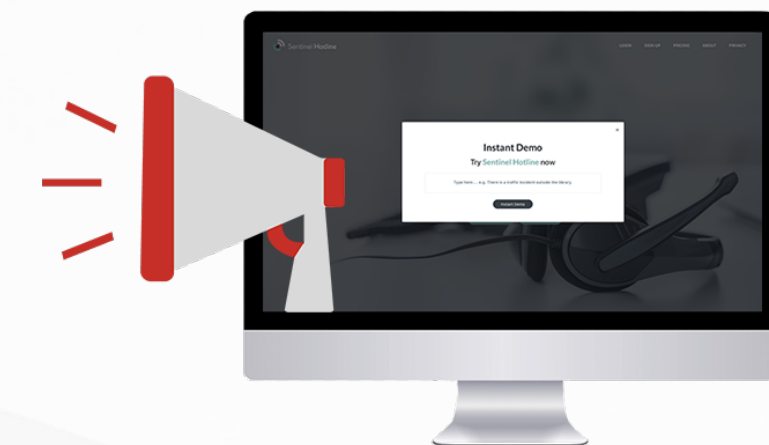
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- Alerts must be zoned, it must be clear what message is going to what group
- The system must require the administrator to reconfirm their intention to send an alert
- Crisis plans must set out who has admin access and who has permission to activate alerts
- Messages sent during exercises must be ring-fenced





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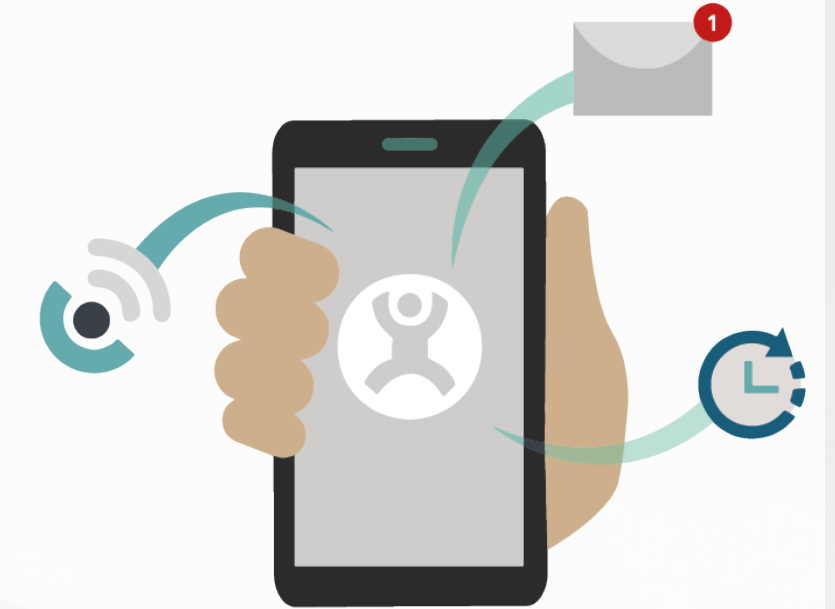




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## Chat Channels: The Upside

- Collaborative
- Mobile
- Immediate
- Familiar
- Share documents, images and video.

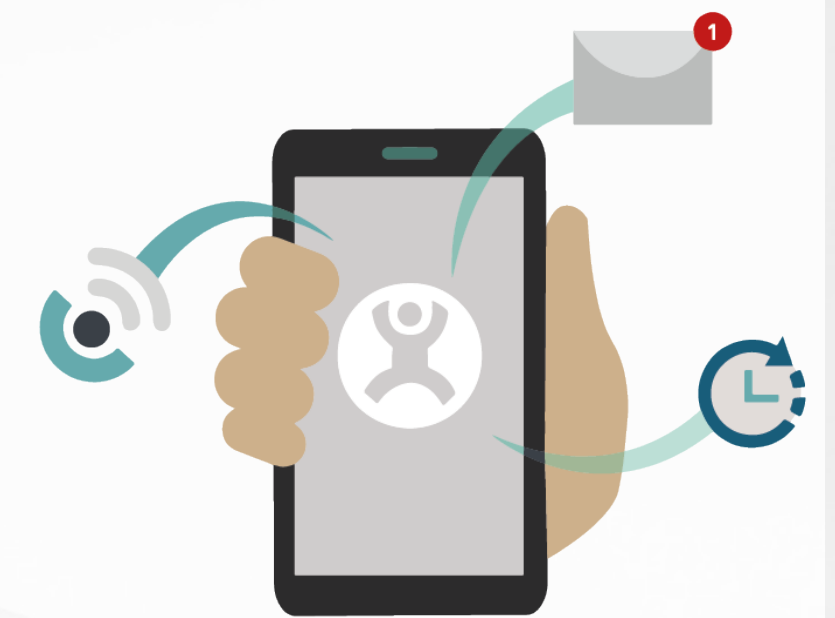




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‘The more consumer-like and informal the experience, the more likely employees are to accidentally let slip confidential or inappropriate information.’

Amanda Finch (CEO UK Chartered Institute of Information Security)





# The Perils of WhatsApp

1. No Corporate Oversight
2. No Control of Chat Group set up
3. No Management Control of Joiners and Leavers
4. No usable audit trail
5. Users can delete messages sent



## Other Concerns

- WhatsApp is banned or can be banned at any time in certain countries
- Hacking WhatsApp
  - End to end encryption is just that. When you view in plain text the message is vulnerable
  - Malware on a phone will pass to the hacker all that you see.
- Screenshots





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