

AWARE

Satellite based alerts to support Civil Protection
Authorities for crisis management

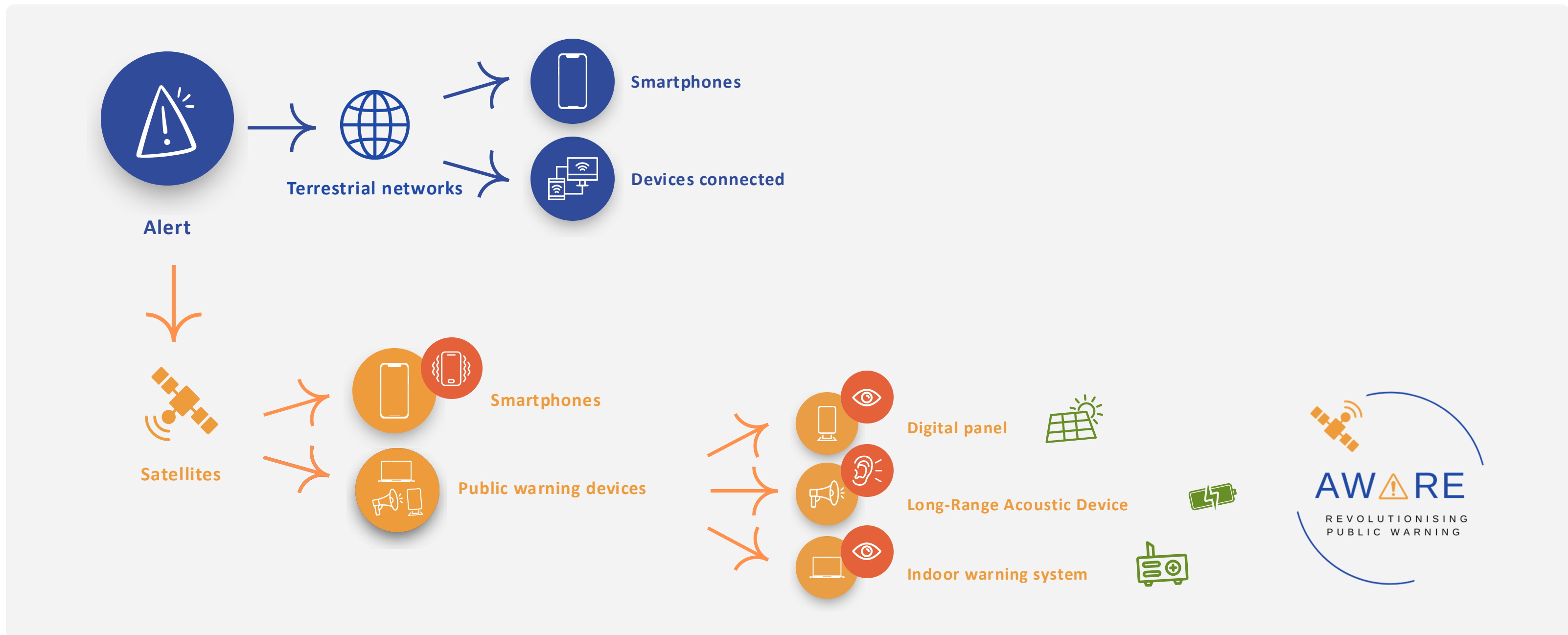
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AWARE

REVOLUTIONISING
PUBLIC WARNING

AWARE : A COMPLEMENTARY APPROACH FOR RELIABLE ALERTS BROADCAST



✓ **Resilient & complementary solution**

✓ **Enhanced alert credibility & trustworthiness**

AWARE PROJECT

AWARE's mission is to develop reliable, resilient and trustworthy solutions for Galileo EWSS and dedicated tool for CPAs allowing its monitoring

A PROJECT BORN OF A CONSORTIUM:



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the European Union

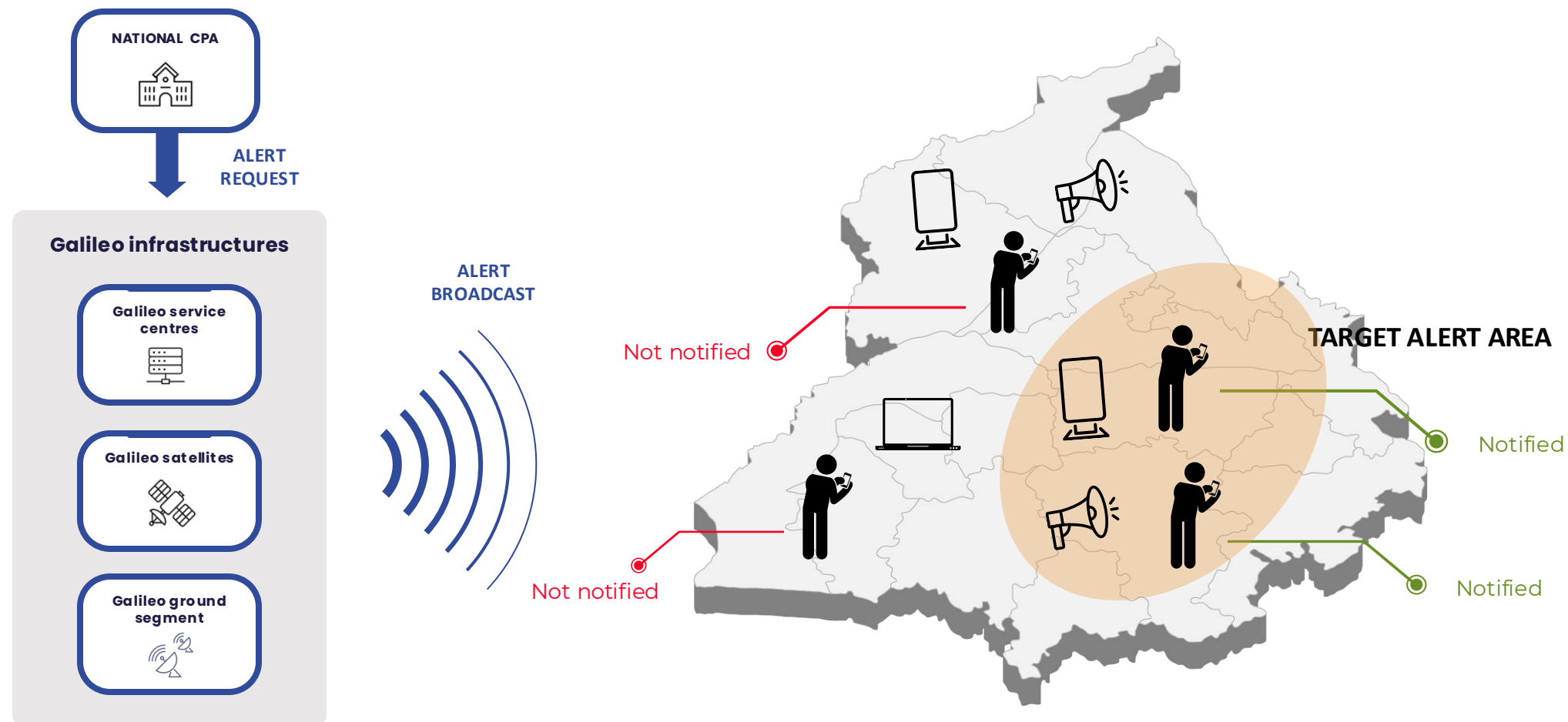


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GALILEO SATELLITES

The Emergency Warning Satellite Service (EWSS) is a new satellite-based emergency channel leveraging the European Galileo's constellation

- ✓ National Civil Protection Authorities can send alerts directly to affected areas through Galileo
- ✓ Alerts are transmitted via the satellite constellation ensuring **Global coverage**
- ✓ Citizens are notified if within the pre defined area



EWSS service availability : Q1 2026

AWARE PROJECT

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Module

Device integrating satellite receiver to transmit the secured satellite based message

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Warning Devices

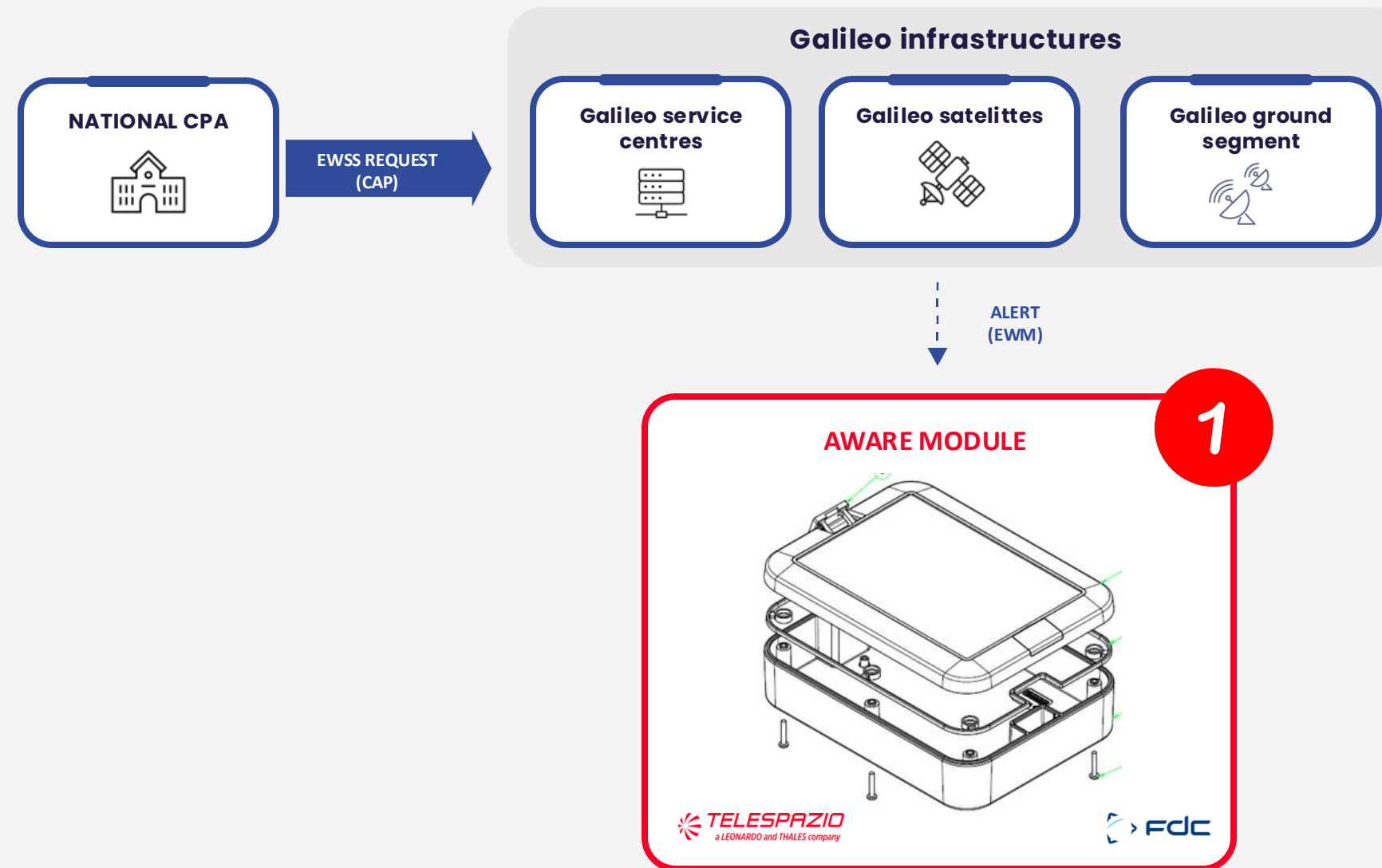
Display the alert received over different sensory channels

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Service Centre

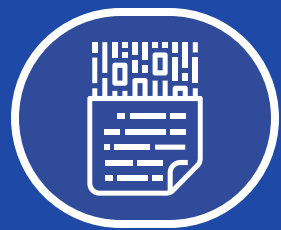
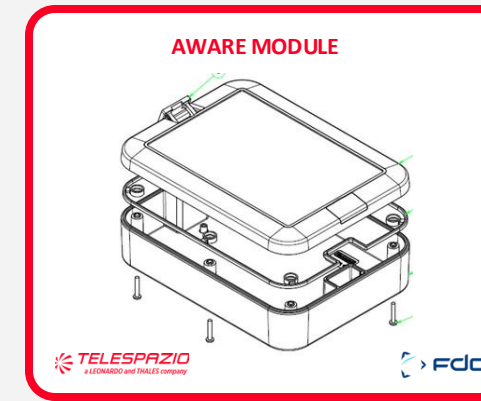
Monitor the service and support CPA analysis

AWARE ARCHITECTURE



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AWARE MODULE



Galileo EWSS Alerts Decoding & Processing

Fast and secure transmission of emergency messages.



Enhanced cyber security for alert authenticity

- **OSNMA Authentication (Galileo signature):** Ensures satellite messages are verified and authentic.
- **Spoofing Detection:** Unique algorithm to detect fake alerts.
- **Jamming Detection:** Identifies and mitigates signal interference.
- **Level of Confidence (LOC):** Only verified, high-confidence alerts are broadcasted.



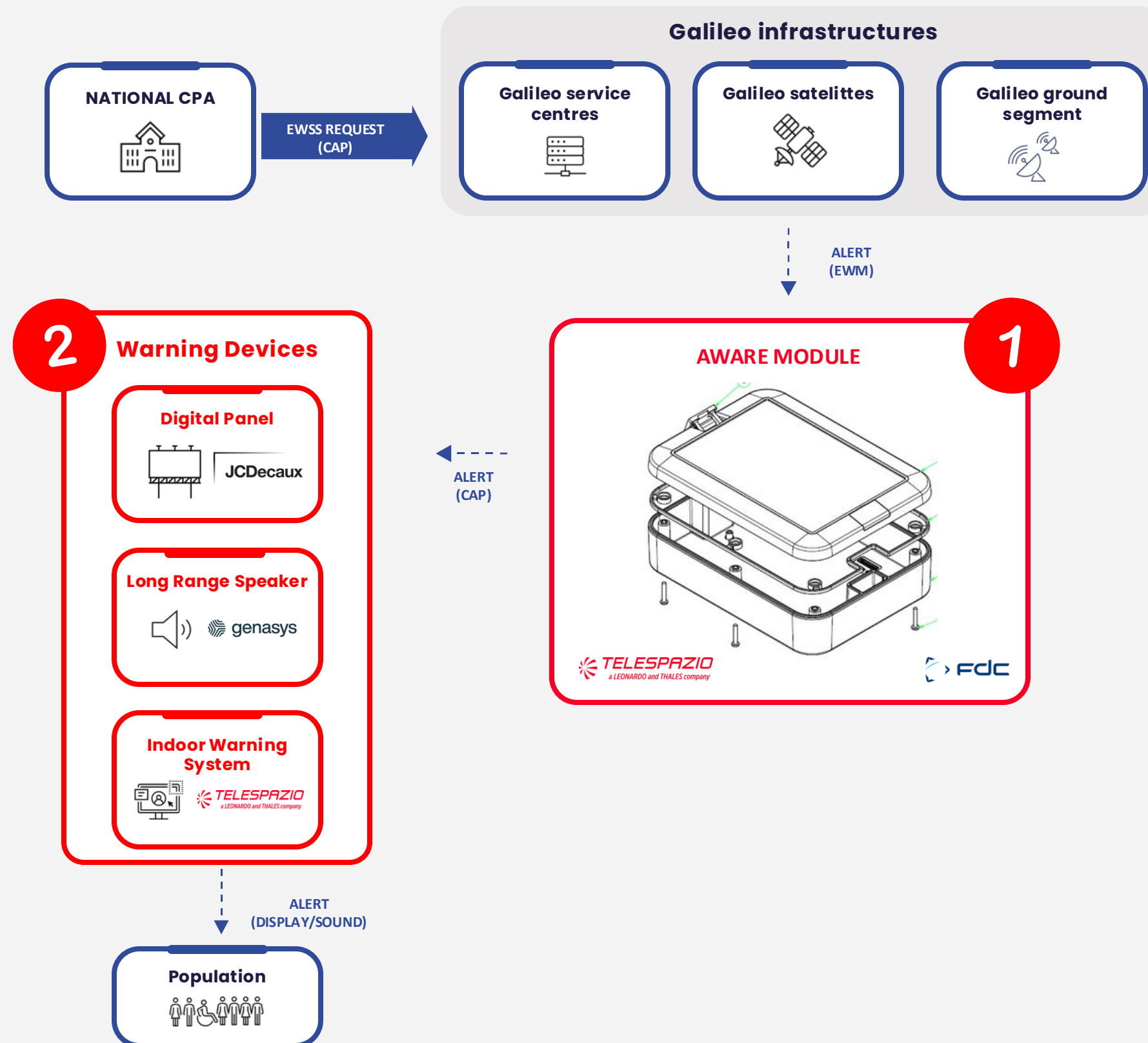
Seamless integration

Fully compatible with existing systems using Common Alerting Protocol (**CAP format**).



AWARE guarantees that every alert is authenticated, secured and impossible to falsify

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WARNING DEVICES



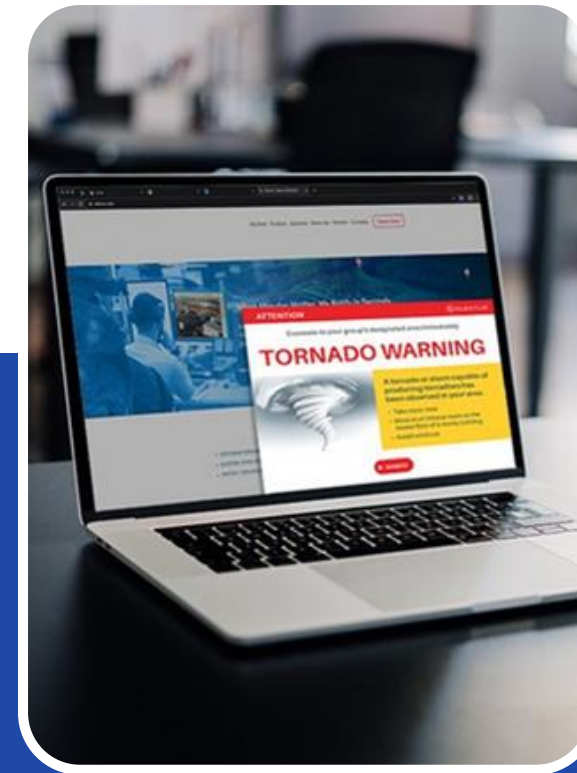
Digital Panel

Real-time priority alerts:
ad interruption



Long Range Acoustic Device

High-power speech alerts

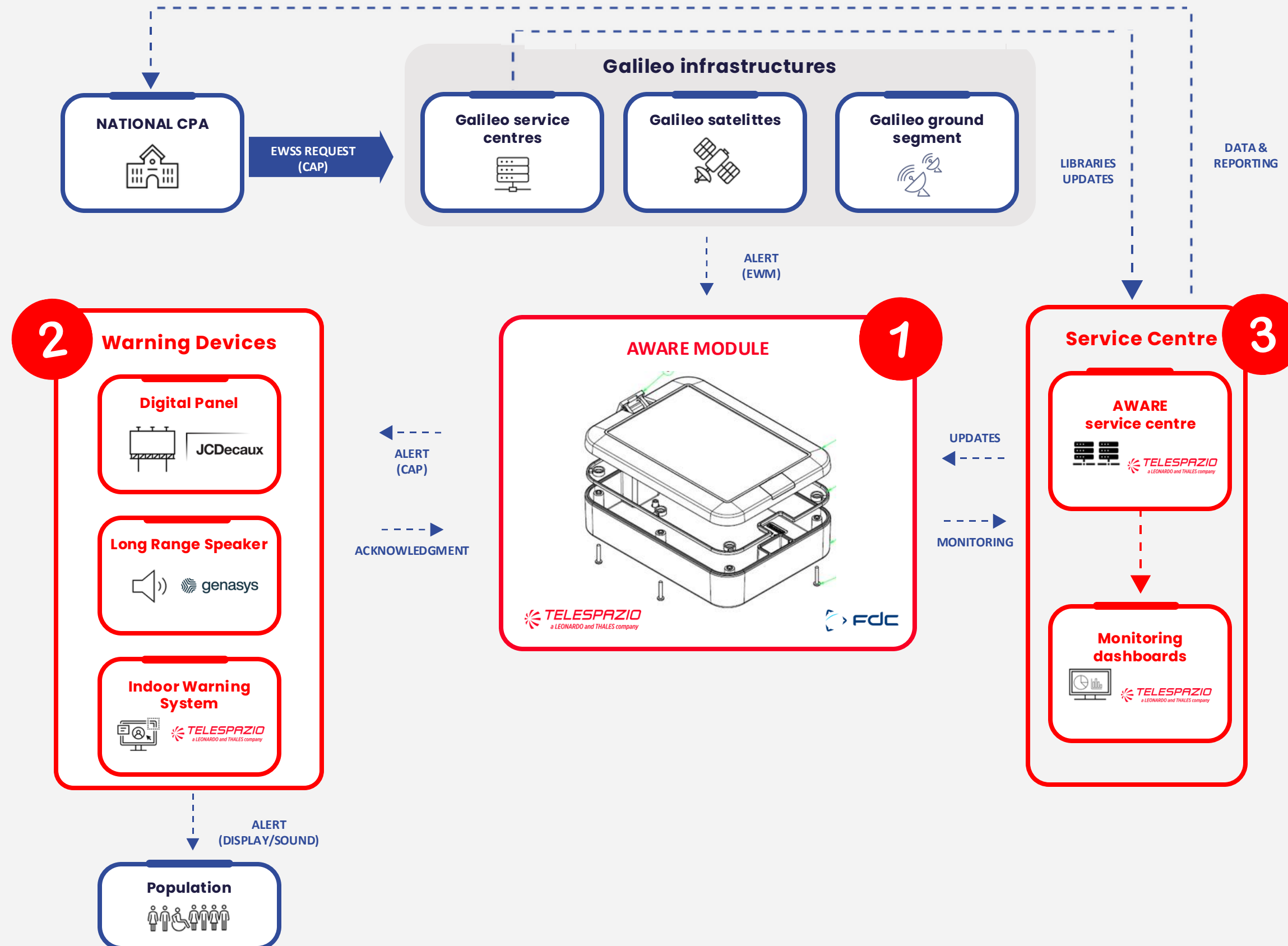


Indoor Warning System

Operates via a rooftop receiver antenna

- ➔ Multi-language message broadcasting
- ➔ Upcoming : power resilient solutions
- ➔ More devices to come : informations panel, sirens, ...

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SERVICE CENTRE: ENHANCING EXISTING CPA SYSTEMS

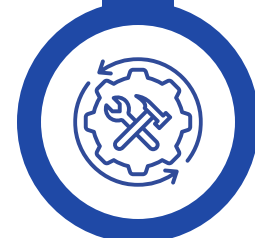
Some examples of the service centre capabilities



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CRISIS



DURING
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AFTER
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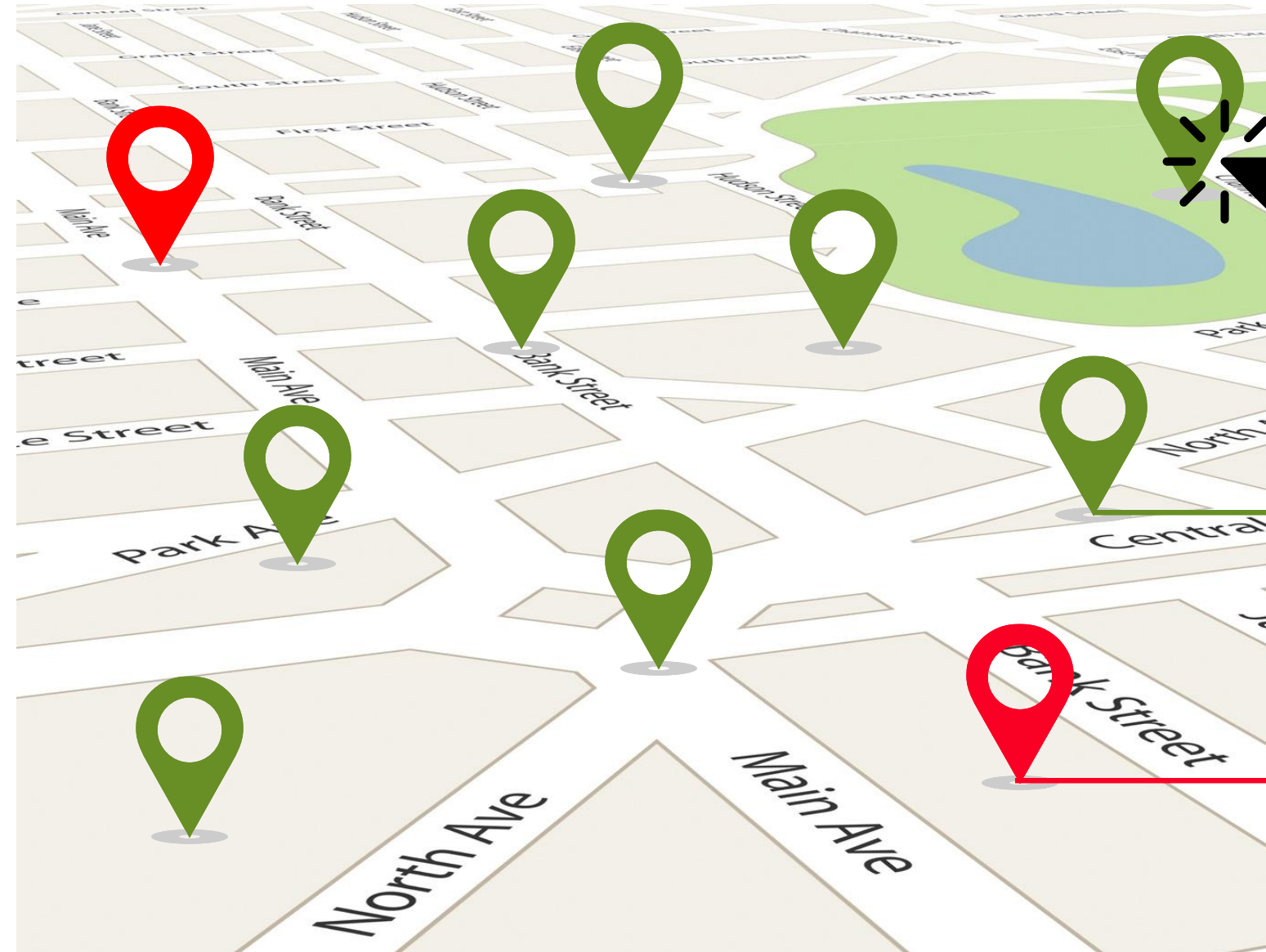
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SERVICE CENTRE: KEY FEATURES

BEFORE
CRISIS

DURING
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Module status

SN : AW0039-123786
 Statut : OK
 WD Type : LRAD
 Library : v3.12
 Attack detected: No

Module OK

Module NOK

- ✓ Proactive monitoring
- ✓ Infrastructure status
- ✓ Territory coverage analysis
- ✓ High level of granularity
- ✓ Remote Maintenance
- ✓ Cyber secured infrastructure

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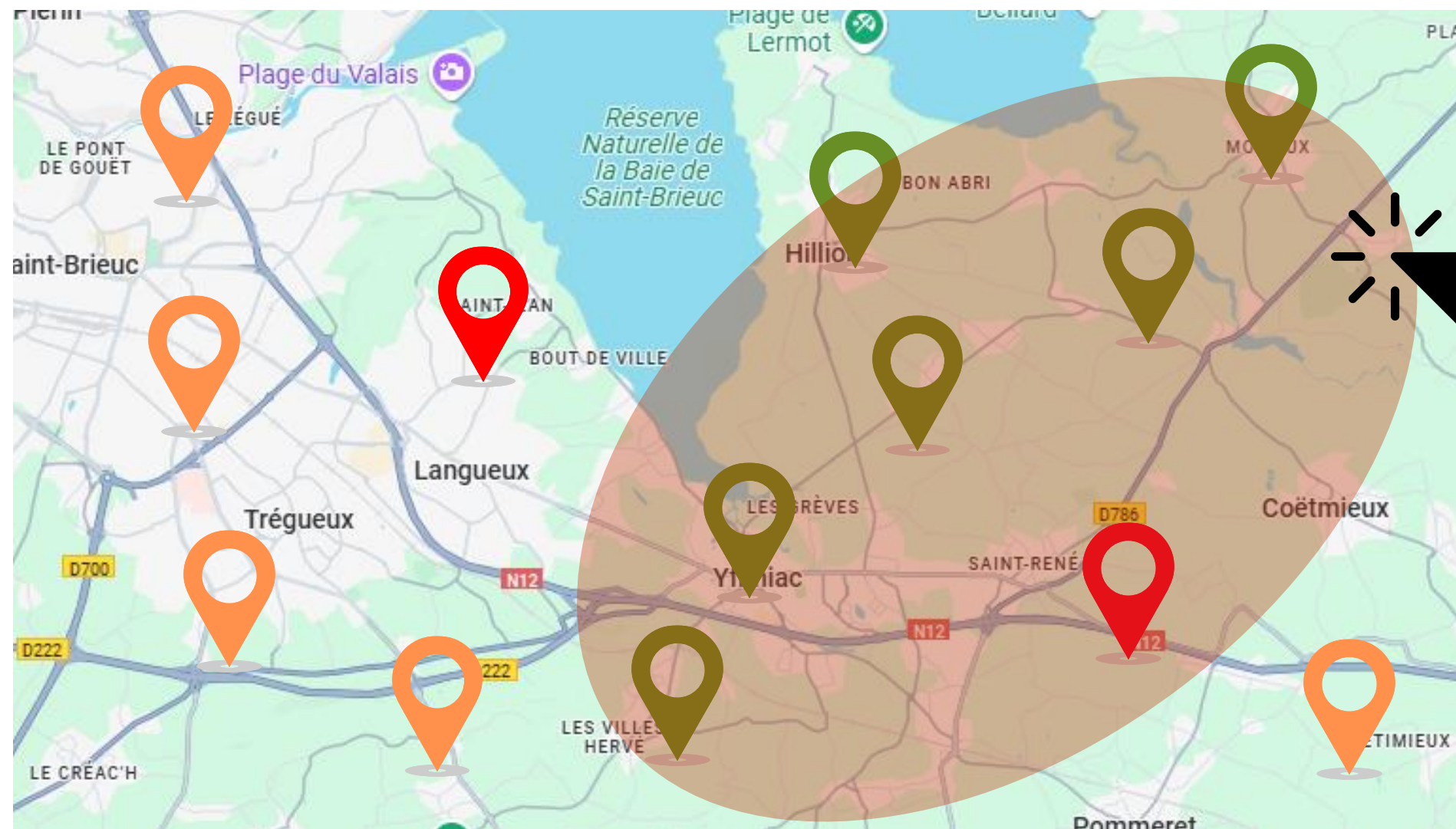
SERVICE CENTRE: KEY FEATURES



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Alert status

ID: 14ea10001
 Hazard type: Tsunami
 Severity: Moderate
 Onset: 11/03/2025 - 15h00
 Status: Active
 Emitter: FR - SDIS22

- Alert notified
- Alert received not notified
- Alert not received

- ✓ Real-time alert notification acknowledgment
- ✓ Monitoring of all active alerts status in Europe
- ✓ Feedback from affected areas even when communication networks are disrupted
- ✓ Cyber Secured alert notification

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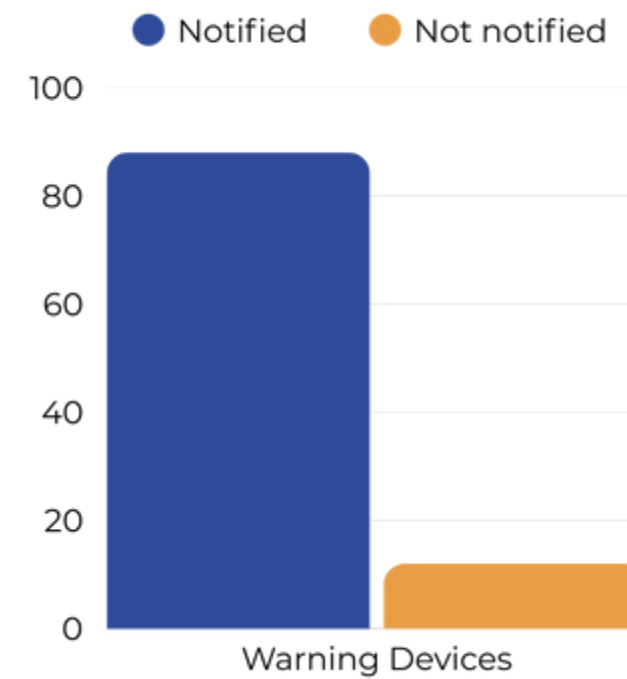
SERVICE CENTRE: KEY FEATURES



ALERT RECEPTION



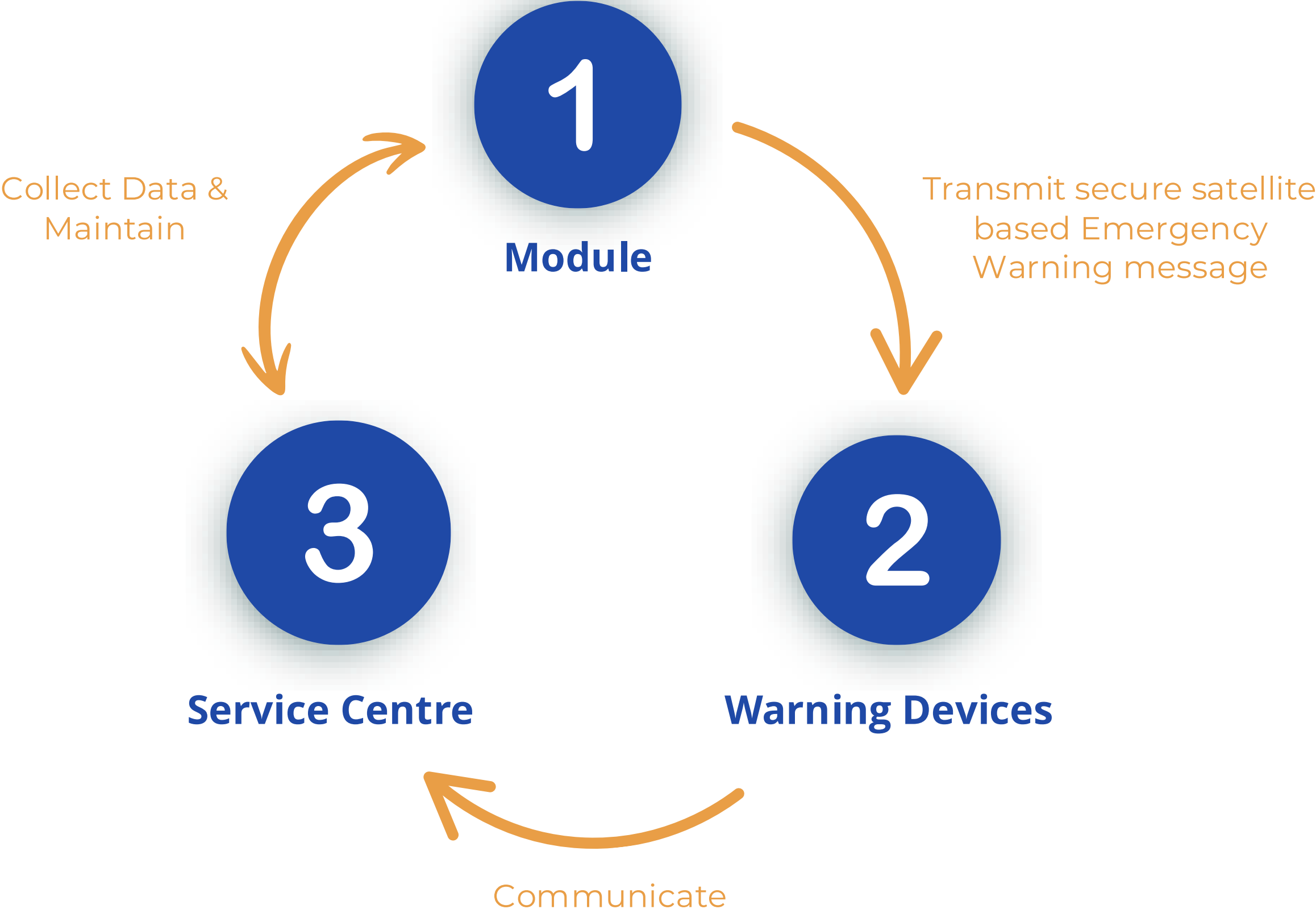
ALERT NOTIFICATION



KPIs	Value
Alert notification within 30 seconds	35%
Alert notification within 2 minutes	89%
Alert notification within 10 minutes	95%

- ✓ Secured data archiving for post crisis analysis
- ✓ Access to precise event logs to reconstruct timeline
- ✓ Relevant dashboards to help the implementation of lessons learnt

AWARE ARCHITECTURE



WHY CHOOSE AWARE?

- > **Life Saving:** resilient link to alert the population
- > **Efficient:** quick alerts reaching everyone, everywhere
- > **Secure:** a robust solution against cyber threats
- > **Simple:** easy integration with your existing systems

READY TO ENHANCE YOUR ALERT SYSTEM? LET'S TALK!



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Join the session with Charly tomorrow on Galileo EWSS

Don't miss it!

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Please help us to improve EWSS compatible devices and give your feed back through this EUSurvey !

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<https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/aware-stakeholder-consultation>

Section 2 - Knowledge on alerting systems

1. Are you familiar with emergency warning systems?

Yes

No

2. Did you know that Galileo (the European Global Navigation Satellite System) will make it possible for civil protection authorities to broadcast alert messages by satellite to mass market devices such as smartphones?

Yes

No

3. Have you ever worked with alert dissemination systems?

Yes

No

If yes, in which case?

If yes, with which system?

4. How interesting is the possibility to disseminate alerts to the public with the AWARE module on urban furniture such as digital panels?

Very interesting

Interesting

Moderately interesting

Not interesting

Not interesting at all

Please elaborate on your answer:

5. How interesting is the possibility to use Loudspeakers to communicate verbally a public alert to the population with the AWARE module?

Very interesting

Interesting

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Not interesting

Not interesting at all