

Missile Alert Answers

- 1. What does ICBM Stand for? (Intercontinental Ballistic Missile)**
- 2. What are 13N Nuclear and Missile Operations often called? (Missileer)**
- 3. What ICBM Does the United States currently operate? (Minuteman III)**
- 4. How many Missile Wings does the United States Air Force operate? (3)**
- 5. How many fielded ICBMs does each Wing manage? (150 ICBMs)**
- 6. How many people pull one alert in an LCC? (Two)**
- 7. How many unique launch votes does it take to launch an ICBM? (2 unique launch votes)**
- 8. What commands need to be sent before launch votes? (Enable & PLC)**
- 9. Can ICBMs be aborted once launched? (No – Solid state rockets cannot be extinguished)**
- 10. What are the three phases of an ICBM's flight? (Boost phase, free-flight/midcourse, terminal/re-entry phase).**
- 11. What finally brings the rocket to the target? (Gravity)**