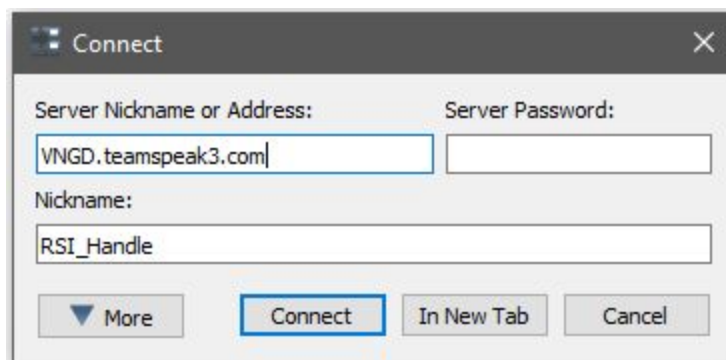


# TeamSpeak 3 Comms Guide

While we often use our Discord channels for social comms during day-to-day play, TeamSpeak 3 is used for our operations, [and can be downloaded here](#).

## Connecting to Vanguard Teamspeak

When you open TeamSpeak 3 for the first time, you'll have a mostly empty window. In the top right, select "Connections" then "Connect" to bring up the connection window. Enter **VNGD.teamspeak3.com** in the *Server NickName or Address:* field, and your RSI Handle in the *Nickname* field, then hit connect



Once connected, you can select the "Bookmarks" tab in the toolbar and select "Add to Bookmarks" to save the server for easy connection in the future.

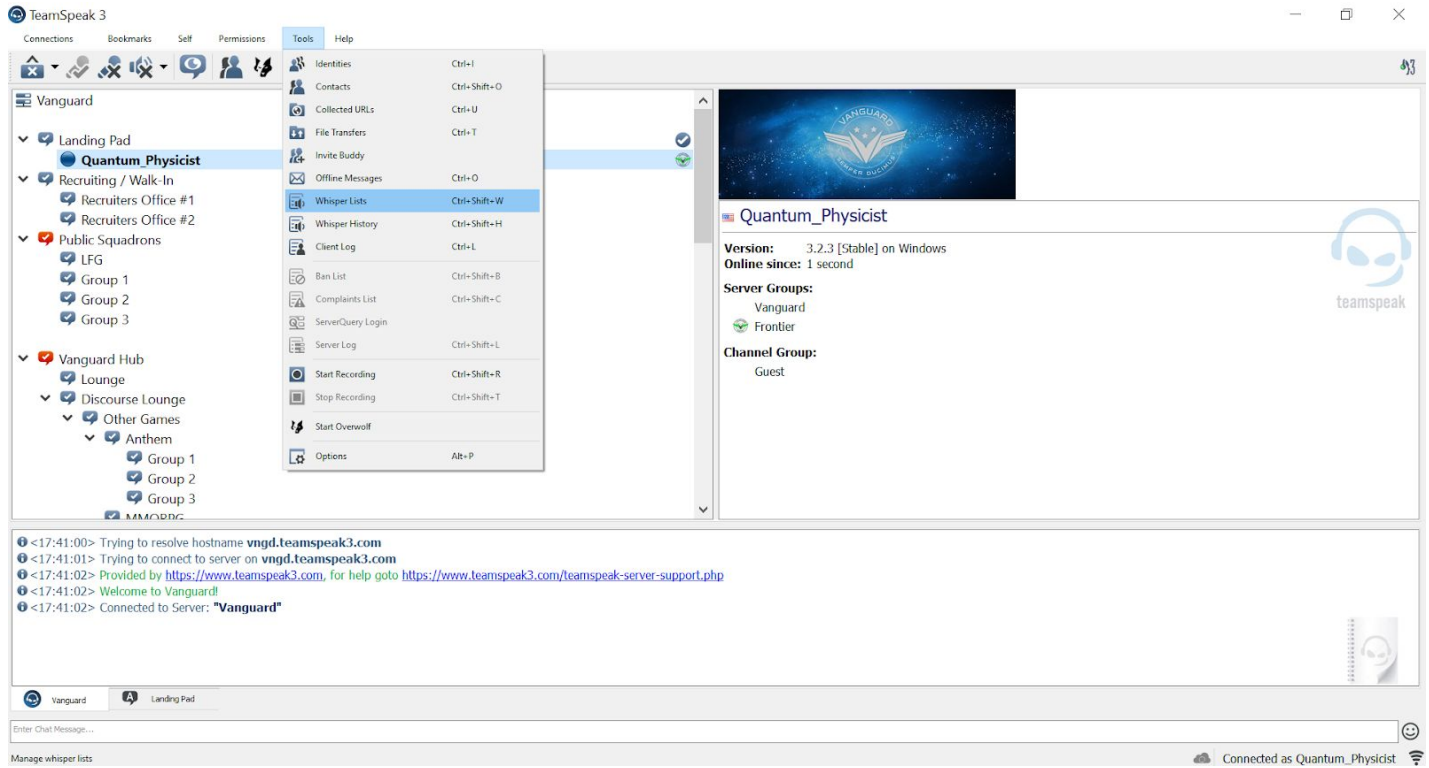
Note that when you first join, you will only have access to the landing pad, and permissions will need to be added before you can move freely to other channels.

## Setting up Whisper Lists

Whisper lists are the secret to TS3's effectiveness at filtering out non-relevant comms chatter, while making command comms easy to send to the right place. The following will walk you through setting up a whisper list, as well as recommended settings for our current standard setup.

### Step 1:

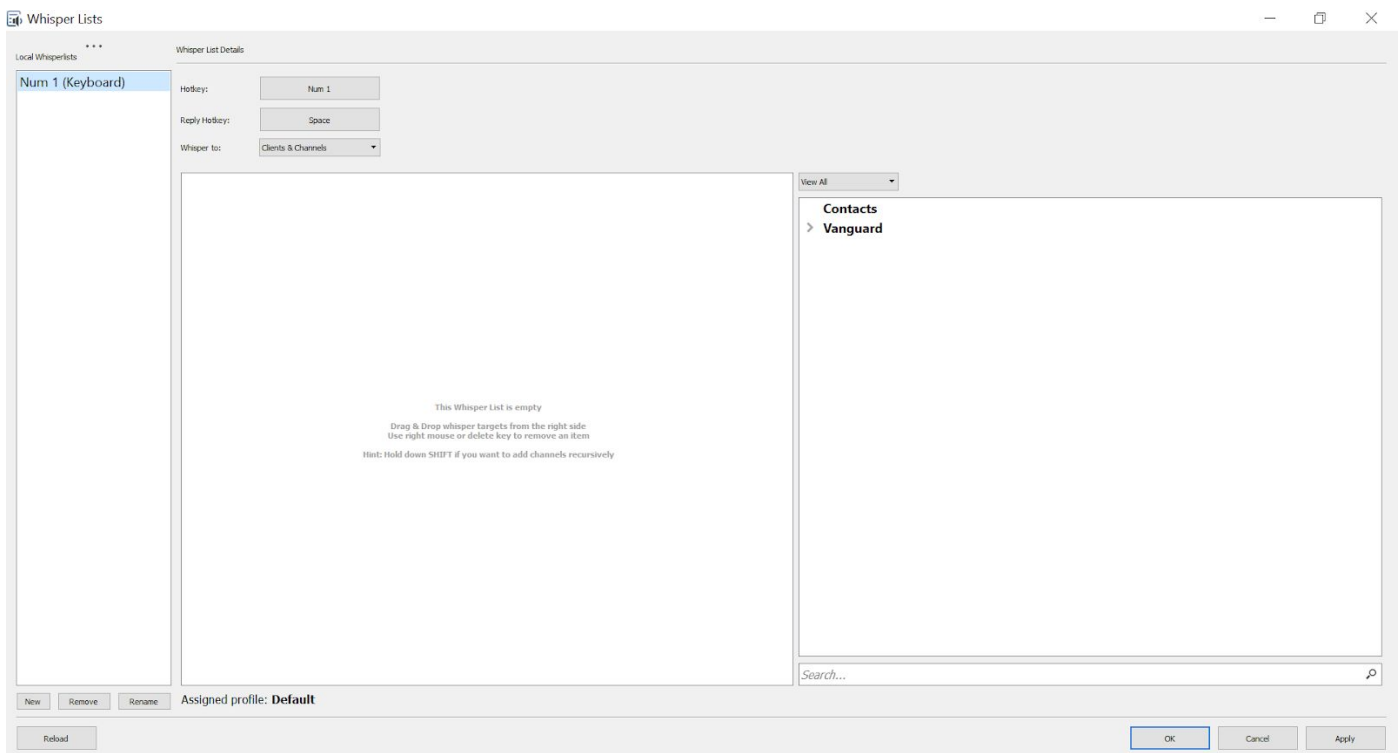
From the Teamspeak 3 window select "Tools" then select "Whisper Lists".



## Step 2:

Select “New” from the bottom left corner of the Whisper List, and when prompted to choose a key mapping (ensure numpad is activated) press the numpad option “1”, or hotkey of your choosing. A Whisper List with the title name of your hotkey will now be visible.

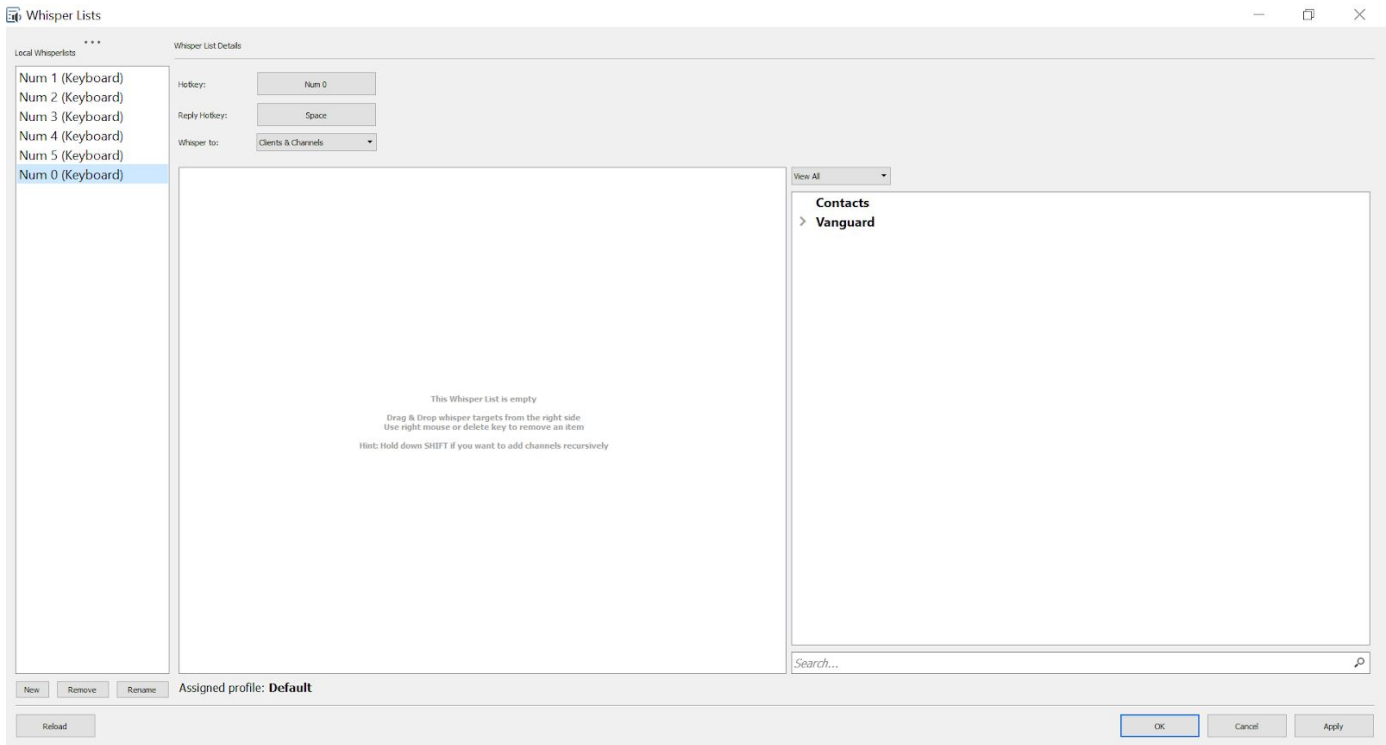
For standard setup, we recommend the “1” on the number pad.



### Step 3:

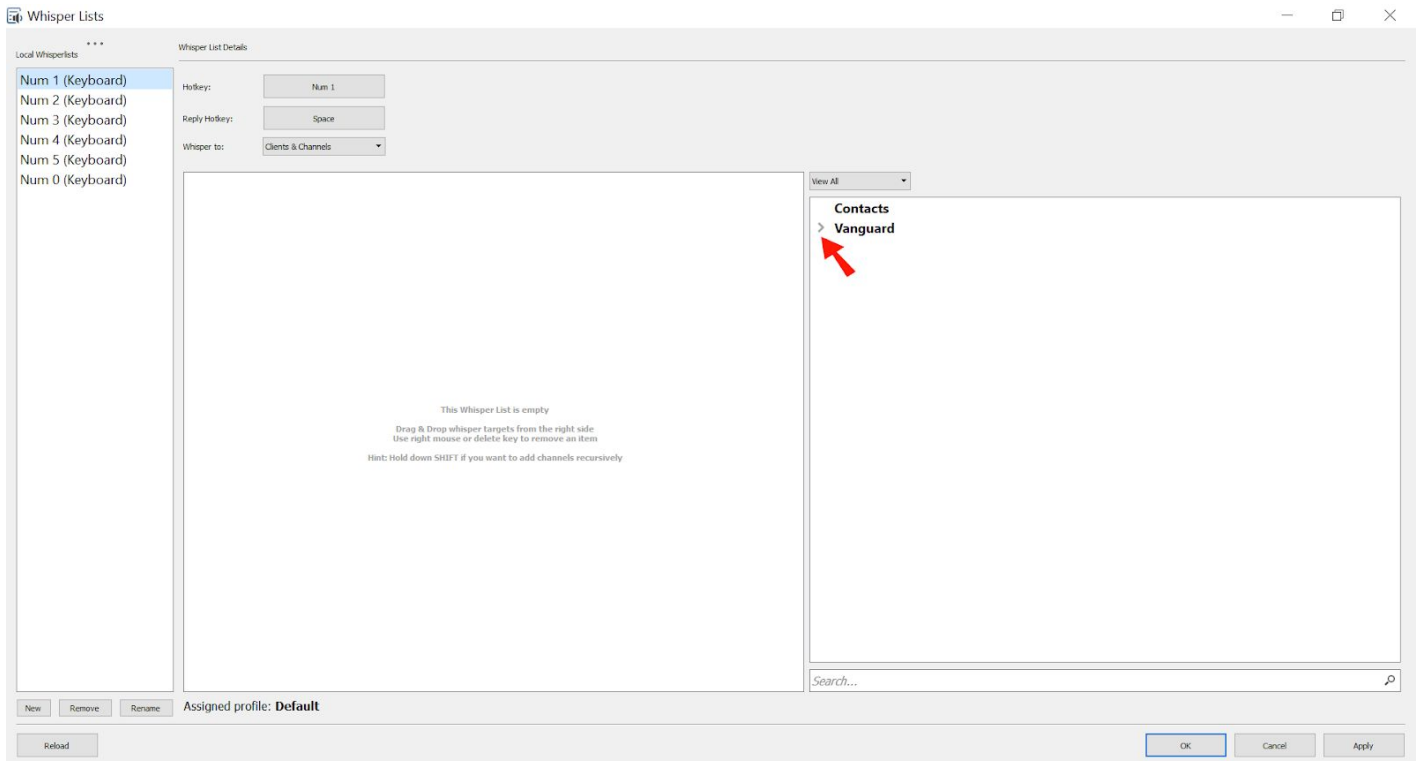
Repeat step 2 for as many hotkeys as you'd like.

For standard setup, we recommend numberpad "2, 3, 4, 5, 0".



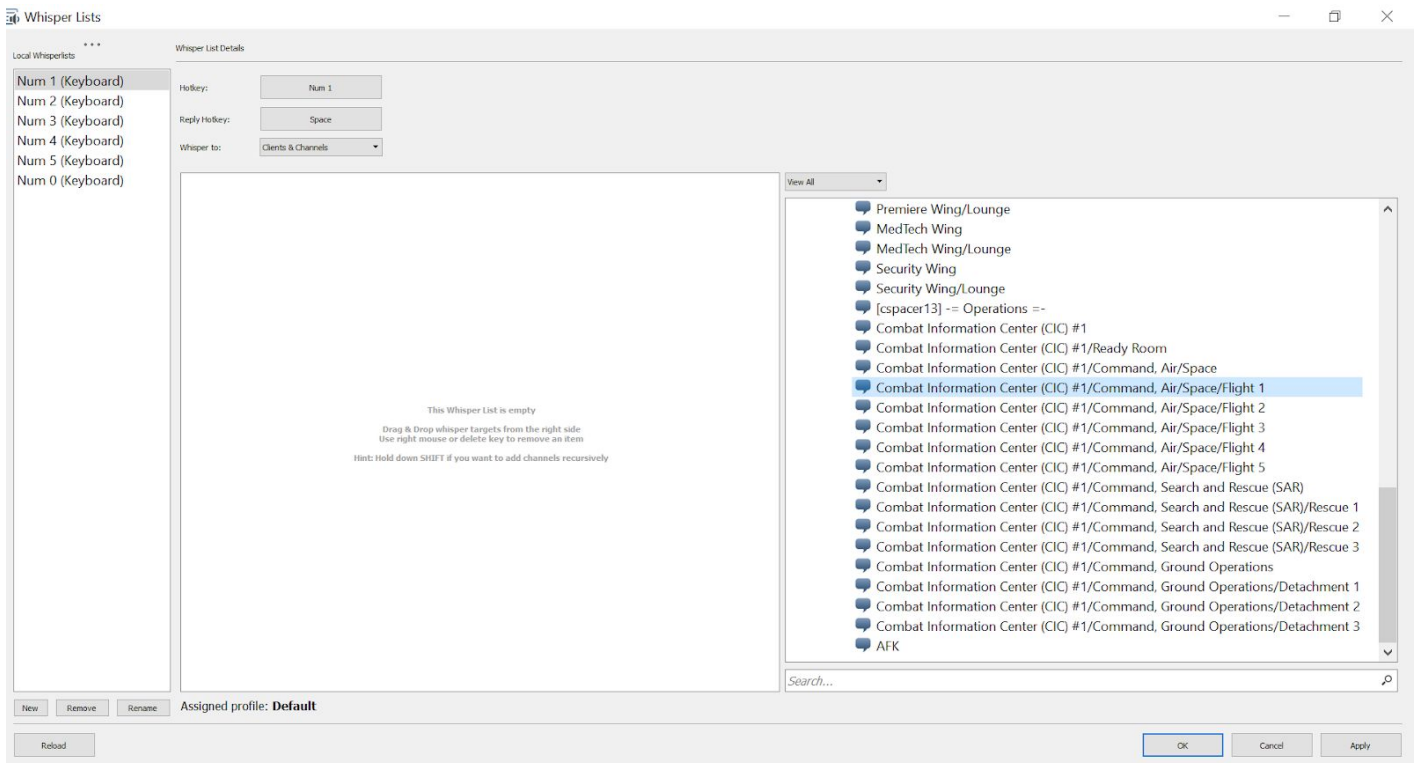
### Step 4:

Select the first entry from Local Whisperlists, then select the dropdown arrow for "Vanguard".



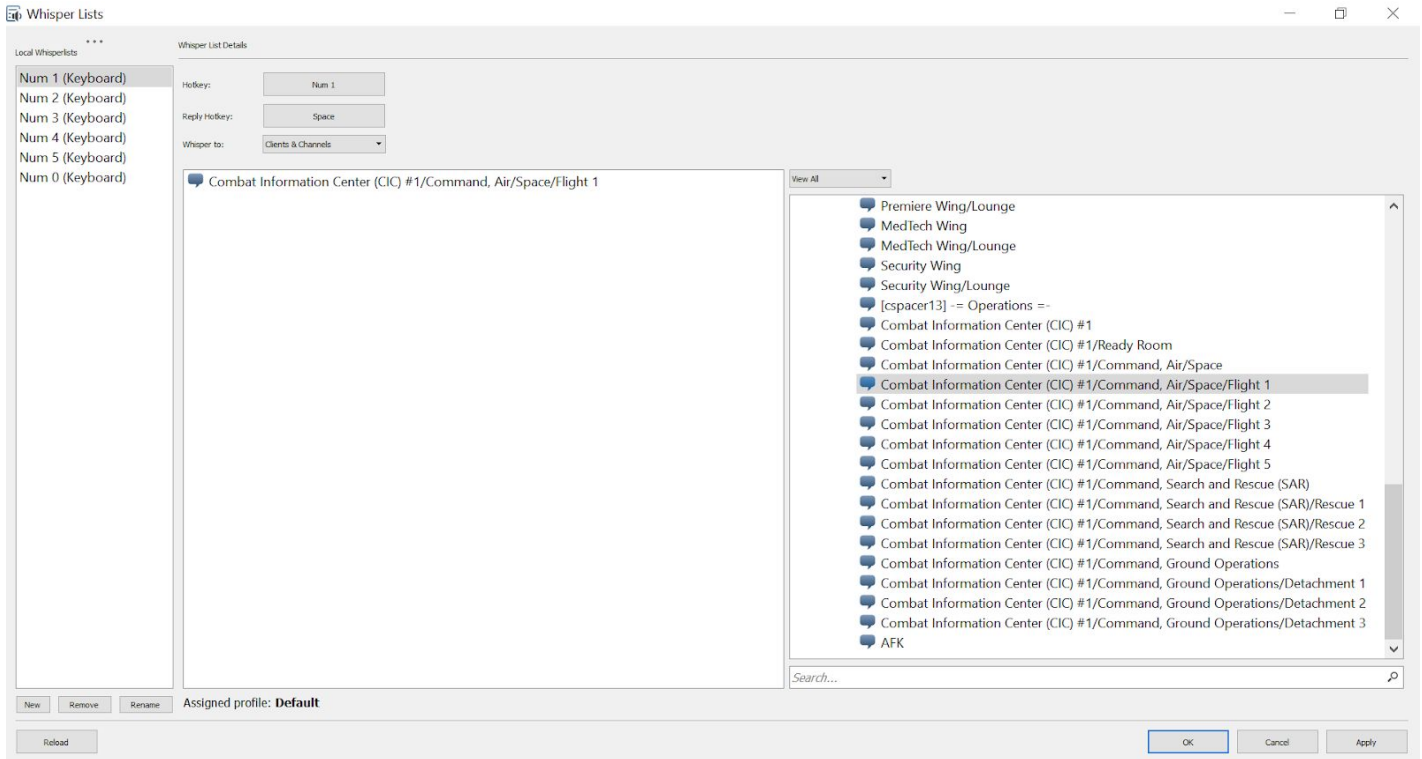
## Step 5:

Navigate to “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 1”



## Step 6:

Click and drag “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 1” from the right window to the left window, or double click it. This will add it to the Whisper List.



## Step 7:

Click the “Apply” button at the bottom right of the Whisper Lists.

## Step 8:

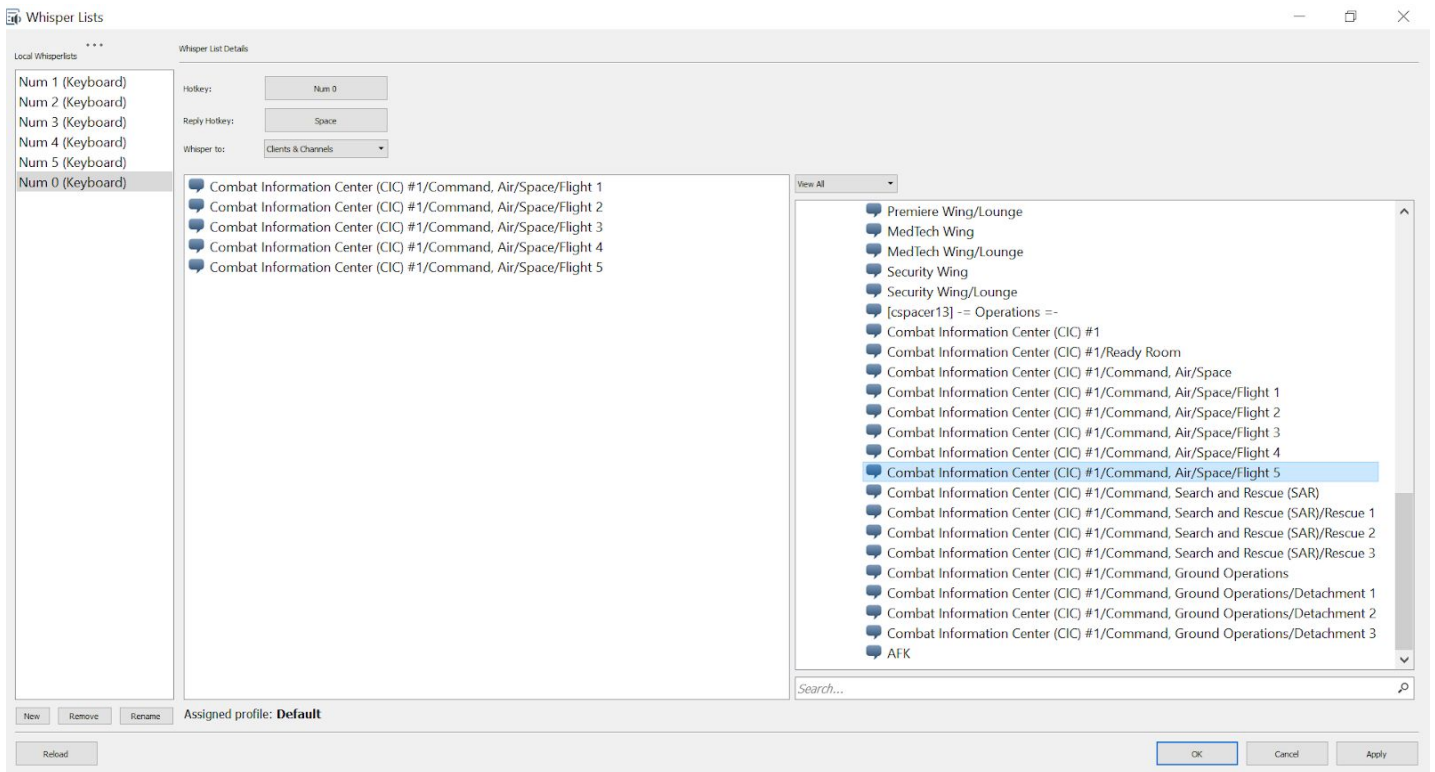
For a standard command setup, repeat the following

- Second hotkey with “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 2”
- Third hotkey with “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 3”
- Fourth hotkey with “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 4”
- Fifth hotkey with “Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight 5”

## Step 9:

You can have multiple channels in a single whisper list. To create a group whisper that messages all of the above, select a final hotkey, and add each of the ““Combat Information Center (CIC) #1/Command, Air/Space/Flight” groups.

For standard setup, use Numpad “0”.



## Step 12:

Click the “Apply” button at the bottom right of the Whisper Lists, and then select the “OK” button at the bottom right of the Whisper Lists.

If you followed the standard setup, you should now be able to press numpad 1-5 to speak to the numbered group, or numpad 0 to speak to all of the groups.

## Whisper List Flexibility

You can create Whisper Lists that talk to individual channels, individual contacts (members), or any combination of the two. For example, if you are a Lance Master, it is useful to have a Whisper List that goes directly to your Claw Masters, but doesn’t broadcast to every individual within the claws. You might also want to make a Whisper List that goes directly to a group of close friends, so you can talk freely on those long QT jumps.