

How To Begin

This section describes how to proceed if you are a first time LightWave Client user. LightWave Client users typically fall into one of the categories shown below. The sections below describe how each category of user should proceed.

- Administrators - An administrator is anyone who is responsible for installing and managing the LightWave Client processes. Systems/Operations managers usually fall into this category.
- Developers - A developer is anyone responsible for building applications that use LightWave Client. Developers often need to manage LightWave Client on development and test systems so may also be considered Administrators.
- Others - Anyone who is neither an Administrator or Developer but has general interest in the product.

Administrators

- Read [Introduction to LightWave Client](#).
- Install LightWave Client as described in [Installing LightWave Client](#).
- Start LightWave Client as described in [Starting and Stopping LightWave Client](#).

Developers

- Read [Introduction to LightWave Client](#).
- If also acting as an Administrator, install LightWave Client as described in [Installing LightWave Client](#).
- If also acting as an Administrator, start LightWave Client as described in [Starting and Stopping LightWave Client](#).
- Read [Getting Started](#) in the [Developer Guide](#).

Others

- Read section [Introduction to LightWave Client](#).