GEORGIA FIREFIGHTER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

FIREFIGHTER

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Objective(s) 1-5.20

Primary Task: ACTION WHEN DISORIENTED

Skill No. 1-1 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a facility (i.e., burn building, tower, or acceptable area) in which to perform this skill.
2. A charged hoseline shall be placed inside the structure so that the candidate may follow it out if he/she comes across it.
3. The candidate shall be taken inside the structure and his/her faceshield darkened so that he/she cannot see. (Turn hood around)
4. The candidate shall be turned around once or twice to disorient them.
5. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, finding themselves disoriented in a hostile environment shall demonstrate correct action to be taken."

- 1. Wears PPE
- 2. Remains calm and consider actions.
- 3. If radio is available, contact firefighters outside & try to describe where you are located
- 4. Remain on hands and knees
- 5. Attempt to retrace route to outside
- 6. If above ground floor, attempt to go down and out
- 7. If hoseline is found, follow it out. Female coupling points the way out.
- 8. If wall is located, remain in contact and follow while making consistent turns.
- 9. Check doors and windows for exit.
- 10. When exit is located, retreat from building

- Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 7

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with the following:
   a) generator
   b) portable lights
   c) electrical cords
   d) electrical connectors
   e) ground fault interrupter

2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the necessary equipment, shall demonstrate procedures for safely using the generator, lights, cords, connectors, and ground fault interrupter, if available, to get light."

1. States or demonstrates that he/she sets up the generator in an open area

2. Ensures the presence of a Ground-Fault Interrupter in the circuit

◆ 3. Places the cords so that they won't be a tripping hazard and are not laying in water

5. States or demonstrates that he/she places lights so that they will not blind firefighters and will not be subject to water spray

◆ 6. Uses proper connectors and adapters and make all connections

◆ 7. Starts the generator

8. Adjusts lights as necessary

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Objective(s) 1-5.71

Primary Task:  SHUT OFF ELECTRIC SERVICE

Skill No.  1-3  PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure with an electrical panel or a simulated electrical panel located at a structure. (Those at the evaluation site can be used in this objective.)

2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a facility with an electrical panel shall demonstrate procedures for shutting off the electric supply to a structure."

1. Call the power company and have them disconnect the service.

2. If the power must be disconnected prior to the arrival of the power company, the firefighter may shut the power at the electrical panel box.

◆ 3. Wear full protective equipment.

◆ 4. Locates the electrical panel box and/or main breaker

◆ 5. Throws the main breaker or shut-off switch

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a natural gas meter or a simulated natural gas meter located at a structure. (Those at the evaluation site can be used in this objective.)
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a facility with a natural gas meter shall demonstrate procedures for shutting off the gas supply to a structure."

1. Call the gas company.

◆ 2. Wears PPE

◆ 3. Locates the natural gas meter, usually on the outside and visible from the street

◆ 4. Using a spanner wrench, adjustable wrench, or a gas meter wrench, or other appropriate tool, turns the petcock to a position perpendicular (crosswise) to the pipe

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate, given a LPG (propane) tank shall demonstrate procedures for shutting off the gas supply to a structure.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a LPG (propane) tank shall demonstrate procedures for shutting off the gas supply to a structure."

◆ 1. Wears PPE
◆ 2. Locates the LPG tank
◆ 3. Finds the gas shut-off valve at the tank and under the cover
◆ 4. Turns the valve in a clockwise direction to close

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)  2-5.34

Primary Task: SELECT AND USE FIRE EXTINGUISHER

Skill No.  2-1

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be supplied with a minimum of three different types of rated hand held portable extinguishers.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a group of three different extinguishers, shall select and demonstrate the use of one extinguisher on a simulated fire."

◆ 1. Selects an extinguisher rated for a Class A, B, or C fire (states class of fire)
◆ 2. Stands the proper distance from the target (closer if using an CO2 extinguisher)
◆ 3. Pulls the handle retaining pin
◆ 4. Aims the nozzle to the base of the flames
◆ 5. Squeeze the handle on the nozzle
◆ 6. Sweeps the fire off the burning material

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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**Objective(s)** 1-3.3 & 1-5.6  
**Primary Task:** DON PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

### Skill No. 3-1  
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate must provide PPE. (If the department doesn't furnish firefighters with a PASS device, this item may be excluded.)  
2. The candidate shall begin objective wearing footwear (footwear may be loosened).  
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, shall properly don the PPE within TWO minutes."

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<td>Adjusts shoulder straps and fastens and adjusts waist strap</td>
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<td>Tightens facepiece straps from the lowest to the top</td>
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<td>Adjusts hood over the head and around the facepiece with no skin exposed.</td>
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<td>Dons gloves</td>
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**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  
**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**  
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass **11**

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Objective(s): 1-6.2
Primary Task: SCBA INSPECTION

Skill No. 3-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a self-contained breathing apparatus, shall demonstrate a daily inspection to show that the apparatus is in a safe condition for immediate use."

1. Checks the unit for cleanliness and obvious damage.
2. Checks the cylinder to see that it is full
3. Turns the cylinder valve on completely, listens to ensure that the low pressure alarm sounds
4. Compares gauges to ensure that they read within allowable variances
5. Checks hoses and connections
6. Checks the facepiece to ensure that it is clean and in good condition and straps are fully extended
7. Checks the harness to ensure that it is in good condition and that all straps are fully extended
8. Checks the bypass and mainline valve,(if applicable) to ensure that they are operational
9. Turns off cylinder valve
10. Bleeds off air by opening bypass valve, listens for low-pressure alarm
11. Closes mainline and bypass valve

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 8

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Objective(s): 1-5.8

Primary Task: EMERGENCY BY-PASS VALVE

Skill No.: 3-3

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, while wearing self-contained breathing apparatus, shall demonstrate the use of the emergency by-pass (purge) valve in the event of a regulator malfunction."

1. Closes the mainline valve if unit has a mainline valve

◆2. Opens the by-pass valve partially

◆3. Takes a breath

◆4. Closes the valve until another breath is needed

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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### Objective(s)

**Primary Task:** SKIP BREATHING TECHNIQUE

**Skill No. 3-4** PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

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#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, while wearing a self-contained breathing apparatus, shall demonstrate the skip-breathing technique used to conserve air."

- 1. Inhales as during normal breathing
- 2. Holds the breath for as long as it would take to exhale
- 3. Inhales again
- 4. Exhales slowly

#### Critical Step

- Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

**Safety is Paramount!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 4

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OBJECTIVE(S) 1-5.10

Primary Task: REPLACE A SCBA CYLINDER

Skill No. 3-6 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/Evaluator
1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus and a replacement cylinder.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a SCBA and an additional cylinder, shall replace the cylinder on the SCBA."

- 1. Closes the cylinder valve on the expended air cylinder
- 2. Releases the air pressure on the high-pressure hose (breathing down the regulator or by opening the mainline or bypass valve, according to the type of breathing apparatus)
- 3. Disconnects the high-pressure hose coupling from the cylinder
- 4. Lays the hose coupling directly in line with the cylinder outlet
- 5. Avoids contaminating the coupling by laying it in debris or dirt
- 6. Releases the cylinder clamp and removes the empty cylinder
- 7. Places the full cylinder into the backpack in the correct position and locks into place
- 8. Checks the cylinder valve opening and the high-pressure hose fitting for debris and the condition of the O-ring and corrects as necessary
- 9. Connects the high-pressure hose to the cylinder
- 10. Opens the cylinder valve and check gauges

- Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 7

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**Objective(s)**

Primary Task: PERIODIC SCBA INSPECTION

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given a self-contained breathing apparatus, shall demonstrate periodic inspection of the breathing apparatus."

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1. Inspects the SCBA following procedures for daily inspection

2. Thoroughly inspects all rubber/elastomer parts and stretches and massages them

3. Tests the mainline valve for correct operation and leaks *(if applicable)*

4. Tests the by-pass valve for leaks

5. Checks the hydrostatic test date. Composite cylinders should be tested every three years, steel and aluminum cylinders must be tested every five years.

6. Tests the cylinder valve connection for leaks

7. Tests the cylinder valve outlet connection for leaks

8. With the cylinder valve open, all gauges should be within acceptable variances

9. Dons the SCBA and checks for operational readiness

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! **SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!** Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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Objective(s)
Primary Task: CLEANING AND SANITIZING SCBA

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be given a self-contained breathing apparatus and material for cleaning and sanitizing the SCBA. (soap, water, disinfectant)
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given self-contained breathing apparatus and cleaning and sanitizing materials, shall demonstrate cleaning and sanitizing the breathing apparatus."

Facepiece
1. Inspects the low-pressure hose for tears and cracks (not applicable on breathing apparatus without a low-pressure hose)

- 2. Washes the assembly in warm water containing any mild commercial disinfectant

- 3. Rinses with clear, warm water (submerges if necessary)

4. Ensures proper operation of the exhalation valve

- 5. Air dries or dries with a lint-free cloth (never uses a paper towel)

Other Components

6. Wipes off the entire unit using a soft cloth and an approved cleaner/disinfectant

SCBA harness

7. Washes with a mild soap or commercial cleaning agent

8. Rinses thoroughly

9. Allows to air dry

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing open an out-swinging door."

◆ 1. Dons PPE

   2. Has a charged hoseline ready

◆ 3. Using a prying tool, inserts the adze of the tool between the door and jamb near the lock

   4. Forces the adze in and against the rabbet or stop by working and pushing on the tool or hammers with another object such as a flat-head axe

◆ 5. Prys the tool bar away from the door to move the door and jamb apart

   6. Pulls the door open or prys open with another tool when the lock has cleared the keeper

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s) 1-5.14

Primary Task: FORCE ENTRY - IN-SWINGING DOOR (nailed on stop)

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure with an in-swinging door with a nailed-on stop.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing opening an in-swinging door with a nailed on stop."

- 1. Dons PPE
- 2. Has a charged hoseline ready
- 3. Insert the forked or cutting edge of tool between the nailed on stop and jamb.
- 4. Loosens the stop at the lock or removes the stop completely
- 5. Slide the forked edge of prying tool between the door and jamb slightly above the lock.
- 6. Work the pry tool back and forth until a full bite is obtained behind the door.
- 7. Pry the door inwards until the bolt passes the keeper.

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: FORCE ENTRY - IN-SWINGING DOOR (RABBETED STOP)

Skill No. 4-3 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure with an in-swinging door with a rabbeted stop.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing open an in-swinging door with a rabbeted door stop."

1. Dons PPE
2. Has a charged hoseline ready
3. Just above or below the lock, insert the forked end of halligan tool between the door and jamb with the bevel side of the fork against the door.
4. Strike and drive the tool past the jamb without penetrating the jamb.
5. The fork should be completely between the door and jamb. (It may be necessary to exchange the concave/convex side of the fork.)
6. Exert pressure on the tool handle toward the door, forcing it open.

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: THROUGH-THE-LOCK ENTRY

Objective(s)

Skill No. 4-4 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a door with a cylinder lock.
2. The candidate shall be provided with tools for pulling locks. (K-tool, A-tool, key tool, halligan tool, flat-head axe, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a door with a cylinder lock and various forcible entry tools including a K-tool or A-tool and a key tool, shall demonstrate the procedures for pulling the lock and opening the door to gain entry."

◆ 1. Wear PPE

3. Works with the wind to the back

4. Have a charged hoseline ready, (be aware of potential backdraft when door is opened).

◆ 5. Uses the K-tool or A-tool with a Halligan tool

◆ 6. Using light blows of a flat-head axe, forces the K-tool or A-tool behind the ring face of the cylinder until the wedging blades take a bite into the cylinder

◆ 7. Once the blades have engaged into the body of the cylinder, prys the cylinder off using a halligan tool.

◆ 8. Inserts the key tool into the lock, twists the tool so as to move the bolt to the open position

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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Objective(s)

Primary Task:

TOOL IDENTIFICATION AND CARRY

Skill No. 4-5

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with each of the following forcible entry tools:
   a) pick-head axe
   b) halligan tool
   c) pike pole
   d) battering ram (two person)

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate given the following forcible entry tools shall identify and demonstrate procedures for carrying each tool.
   a) pick-head axe
   b) halligan tool
   c) pike pole
   d) battering ram"

Pick-head axe

1. Covers the pick with the hand

2. Carries with the head close to the body

3. Never carries the axe over the shoulder

Halligan tool

4. Carries the tool in one hand in a horizontal position with the pick in the front and pointing down

5. Never carries the halligan tool over the shoulder

Pike pole

6. Carries the pike pole so that the head is in front of the firefighter and lowered

7. Never carries the pike pole over the shoulder

Two-person Battering ram

8. A firefighter grasps the handle on each side of the tool

9. The firefighters, while facing the same direction, should lift simultaneously using the legs

10. The two firefighters should carry the tool between them as they walk to the site where the tool is to be used.

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 7

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 1-5.14  
Primary Task: FORCES ENTRY - WOODEN DOUBLE HUNG WINDOW

Skill No. 4-6 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure or prop with a wooden double-hung window.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE
1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing open wooden double-hung window."

◆1. Wears PPE
◆2. Removes the screen by prying it from the bottom
◆3. Forces the prying tool under the center of the lower sash
4. Prys the lower sash up until the screws in the lock pull out
◆5. Slides the lower sash up to open the window

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

S A F E T Y  I S  P A R A M O U N T !!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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Objective(s) 1-5.14

Primary Task: FORCES ENTRY - FACTORY WINDOW (PROJECTED OUT)

Skill No. 4-8

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure or prop with a factory window (out projecting).
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing open a factory window."

◆ 1. Dons PPE

2. Selects a forcible entry tool suitable for breaking glass

◆ 3. Breaks the lowest pane of glass in

◆ 4. Clears all glass from the opening

◆ 5. Reach in and undo the latch located at the center and bottom of the sash that projects outward

◆ 6. Pulls the sash outward or uses the crank at the bottom lower side of the window to open the window outward

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)  1-5.14

Skill No.  4-9

Primary Task: FORCES ENTRY - CASEMENT WINDOW

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure or prop with a casement window.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for forcing open a casement window."

1. Wears full protective equipment
2. Selects a forcible entry tool suitable for breaking glass
3. Breaks the lowest pane of glass in one corner or the other of the window next to the latch OR on a larger window, breaks the pane of glass next to the latch at the center
4. Clears all glass from the opening
5. Reaches in and upward and unlatches the latch located either at the side of a single sash or in the middle of twin sashes
6. Pull the sash outward or use the crank at the bottom lower side of the window to open the window outward.

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  Safety is Paramount!!  Total steps candidate must complete to Pass

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Primary Task: BREACHES A FRAME WALL

Skill No. 4-10 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure or prop with a frame wall.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a prying tool. (pry bar, halligan tool, etc.)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for breaching a frame wall from the outside."

◆1. Wears PPE

◆2. Secures a pick-head axe

◆3. Selects the proper place to breach

◆4. Works with the wind do the back

◆5. Has a charged hoseline ready (Acknowledges potential for backdraft when the opening is made)

◆6. Locates studs by sounding with the axe

◆7. Marks the hole to be cut on the wall using the pick of the pick-head axe

◆8. Uses short chopping strokes

◆9. Watches for utilities inside the wall

◆10. Cuts siding and sheathing diagonally alongside the stud

◆11. Using the pick of the pick-head axe, pulls the siding and sheathing away from the opening

◆12. Push the interior finish material into the inside

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 8

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure with a masonry wall.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a two person battering ram.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a battering ram, shall demonstrate the procedure for breaching a masonry wall."

◆ 1. Wears PPE

2. Secures a two person battering ram

3. Selects the proper place to breach

4. Works with the wind do the back

◆ 5. Has a charged hoseline ready (Acknowledges potential for backdraft when the opening is made)

6. Works with a partner

7. Uses the jagged end of the battering ram

8. Watches for utilities inside the wall

◆ 9. Two firefighters working together swing back and forth into the wall

◆ 10. Makes a diamond shape opening by starting at the top and working downward

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is Paramount!!

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.

Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 1-5.14 Primary Task: BREACHES A METAL WALL

Skill No. 4-12 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a structure or prop with a metal wall.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a metal cutting saw (K-12) and a prying tool.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given forcible entry tools, shall demonstrate the procedure for breaching a metal wall from the outside."

◆ 1. Wears PPE

2. Secures a pick-head axe and metal cutting saw

3. Selects the proper place to breach

4. Works with the wind to the back

◆ 5. Has a charged hoseline ready (Acknowledges potential for backdraft when the opening is made)

6. Locates studs by sounding with the axe

7. Marks the hole to be cut on the wall using the pick of the pick-head axe

◆ 8. Using a K-12 or other metal cutting saw, cuts alongside the stud or support

9. Watches for utilities inside the wall

◆ 10. After making the vertical cut, makes a horizontal cut at the top and bottom taking care not to cut through studs/vertical supports

◆ 11. Using the pick of the pick-head axe, pulls the metal away from the opening and folds back

◆ 12. Pushes the interior finish material into the inside

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 8

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.

Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 1-5.51

Primary Task: BREAKING GLASS

Skill No. 5-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an axe or halligan tool.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a door or window glass from which to simulate procedures for breaking glass.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, provided with various forcible entry tools and a prop or actual door or window, shall simulate the procedures for breaking plate glass."

1. Wears PPE
2. Chooses a forcible entry tool suitable for breaking glass
3. Stands to the windward side of the window or door
4. Using the tool properly, strikes the glass at the top of the pane (plate glass)
5. Keeps hands above the point of impact
6. Removes the jagged edges by sweeping the tool around the sash frame

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Objective(s):

Primary Task: VENTILATE A ROOF

Performance Evaluation & Instructions Sheet

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a pick-head axe and pike pole.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a pitched roof from which to perform this skill.
3. The candidate shall be given a roof ladder in position on the roof.
4. The candidate shall be given an extension ladder in place and heeled or secured.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate given the appropriate forcible entry tools and a suitable site, shall demonstrate ventilating a pitched roof using an axe."

- 1. Wears full protective equipment
- 2. Select the proper place to ventilate
- 3. Raise extension ladder at least 3-5 rungs above the roof line
- 4. Sound the roof for structural integrity before stepping onto it
- 5. Ensure that the roof ladder hooks are secure over the peak of the roof.
- 6. Work off roof ladder when possible to distribute weight
- 7. Works with the wind to the back
- 8. Locates roof supports by sounding with the axe
- 9. Marks the hole to be cut (4’ x 4’) on the roof using the pick of the pick-head axe
- 10. Removes the roofing material
- 11. Uses short chopping strokes to cut roof decking diagonally alongside the rafter
- 12. Cuts the sides of the hole in this order: opposite side, top, bottom, adjacent side
- 13. Using the pick of the pick-head axe, pulls the decking up from the opposite side of the opening
- 14. Push the blunt end of a pike pole or other long handled tool through the hole to open ceiling
- 15. Never apply water into an opening designated for ventilation purposes.

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! Safety is PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 11

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

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Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 2-3.1  

Primary Task: TIE A FIGURE-OF-EIGHT ON A BIGHT

Skill No. 6-1  

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE
1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope, shall demonstrate tying the figure-eight on a bight knot."

◆ 1. Forms a bite in the working end of the rope and using the double rope, passes the working end over the standing part to form a loop.

◆ 2. Passes the bight under the standing part

◆ 3. Passes the bight over the loop and through the loop

◆ 4. Extends the bight through the loop to whatever size loop is needed and dresses the knot

◆ 5. Displays the completed knot

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.  
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SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 3

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: TIE A BECKET KNOT

Skill No. 6-2

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope, shall demonstrate tying a becket (sheet bend) knot"

1. Forms a bight in working end of the larger diameter rope and passes the working end of the smaller rope through the bight

2. Brings the working end of the smaller rope around both sides of the bight

3. Tucks the working end of the smaller rope under it's own standing part and over the bight

4. Draws the knot snug to complete the knot

5. Displays the finished knot

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s)  2-3.1  Primary Task: TIE AN OVERHAND SAFETY KNOT

Skill No.  6-3  PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope, shall demonstrate tying an overhand safety knot"

1. Forms a bight in the working end

2. Brings the working end over the standing part to form a loop

3. Passes the working end through the loop

4. Displays the finished knot consisting of two interlocking bights.

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  Safety is Paramount!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
**Objective(s)**

Primary Task: **HOIST AN AXE**

**Skill No. 6-4 **

**PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with an axe.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and an axe, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot on the axe so that it can be hoisted."

- 1. Ties a clove hitch, bowline, or figure-of-eight on a bight around the head of the axe
- 2. Ties one or more half-hitches around the handle of the axe
- 3. Ties a safety knot in the working end of the rope
- 4. Hoists the axe off the ground without the knot slipping

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is Paramount!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Primary Task: HOIST A PIKE POLE

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a pike pole.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and a pike pole, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot on the pike pole so that it can be hoisted."

- Form a clove hitch at approximately the mid-point of the pole
- Ties one or more half hitches around the handle toward the head
- Ties a half-hitch around the head of the pike pole
- Secure with an overhand safety in the working end
- Hoists the pike pole without the knot slipping

* Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s): 2-3.2

Primary Task: HOIST A GROUND LADDER

Skill No. 6-6 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVAUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and an extension ladder, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot so that the ladder can be hoisted."

◆ 1. Ties a bowline or figure of eight on a bight with a large loop

2. Slips the loop between two rungs about one-third of the way down the ladder

3. Pulls the loop back over the top of the ladder around the beams

4. Takes up the slack in the line to tighten the loop around the beams

◆ 5. Hoists the ladder off the ground without the knot slipping

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: HOISTING A DRY HOSE LINE

Skill No. 6-7 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a dry hoseline.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and a dry hoseline, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot on the hose so that it can be hoisted."

◆ 1. Folds the hose with the nozzle back over the hose to form a bight about 3 - 5 feet long
2. Forms a clove hitch around the nozzle and hose together
3. Ties one or more half-hitches around the bight in the hose
4. Ties a safety knot in the working end of the rope at the nozzle
◆ 5. Hoists the hose without the knot slipping

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Objective(s): 2-3.2
Primary Task: HOISTING A CHARGED HOSE LINE

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a charged hoseline.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and a charged hoseline, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot on the hoseline so that it can be hoisted."

- 1. Ties a clove hitch around the hose about 1-3 ft. below the nozzle
- 2. Forms a bight in the standing part and pushes it under the bale of the nozzle toward the nozzle tip
- 3. Twists the bight to form a half-hitch and places the loop in the half-hitch over the end of the nozzle
- 4. Adjusts the half-hitch around the nozzle so that it will hold the bale in the off position
- 5. Ties a safety knot in the working end of the rope
- 6. Hoists the hoseline without the knot slipping

Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Objective(s) 2-3.2

Primary Task: HOIST A SMOKE EJECTOR

Skill No. 6-9 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a rope suitable for tying knots.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a smoke ejector or positive pressure ventilator.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given appropriate rope and a smoke ejector or positive pressure ventilator, shall demonstrate tying an approved knot so that it can be hoisted."

- 1. Ties a bowline or figure of eight on a bight around two of the connecting rods between the front and the back plates.

- 2. Secures the knot with an overhand safety knot.

- 3. Using a clove hitch, attaches a tag line to the opposite side of the ejector.

- 4. Hoists the ejector off the ground without the knot slipping

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

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Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
**Objective(s)**

**Primary Task:** CARRY, POSITION AND RAISE A SINGLE LADDER

### PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

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#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a 12-14’ single ladder.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a wall or building on which to raise this ladder.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a single ladder and a wall suitable for ladder work, shall demonstrate carrying, positioning, and raising the single ladder."

#### Critical Step

- Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

- **Safety Is Paramount!!**

- Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 5

#### Steps:

- 1. Uses an approved carry to position the ladder at the point where it is to be raised
- 2. Lowers the butt of the ladder the approximate distance from the building that will provide the proper climbing angle
- 3. Checks for overhead obstructions; moves if necessary
- 4. Simultaneously raises the ladder to a vertical position
- 5. Lowers the ladder gently against the wall/building while heeling the butt end with one foot
- 6. Checks for the proper climbing angle; adjust as needed

#### OR

- 1. Uses an approved carry to position the ladder at the point where it is to be raised
- 2. Places the butt of the ladder against the building at the ground
- 3. Checks for overhead obstructions
- 4. Beginning the tip of the ladder, advances hand over hand from rung to rung to raise the ladder to a vertical position
- 5. Pulls the butt away from the building the proper distance
- 6. Lowers the ladder gently against the wall/building while heeling the butt end with one foot
- 7. Checks for the proper climbing angle; adjusts as needed

- **Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.**
- **Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...**
Objective(s) 1-5.22

Primary Task: CARRY, POSITION, & BEAM RAISE AN EXT. LADDER

Skill No. 7-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidates shall be provided with a 24 foot extension ladder.
2. The candidates shall be provided with a wall or building on which to raise this ladder.
3. The candidates shall work as a team with one firefighter being assigned as the tip person and one assigned as the heel person.
4. The candidates shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. "The candidates, given a 24" extension ladder and a wall suitable for ladder work, shall demonstrate carrying, positioning, and raising the ladder using a beam raise. The firefighters shall work as a team with one firefighter assigned by the evaluator as the heel person and one assigned as the tip person."

- 1. Uses an approved carry to carry the ladder to the point where it is to be raised
- 2. Checks for overhead obstructions
- 3. The firefighter at the tip of the ladder advances hand over hand down the beam to raise the ladder to a vertical position.
- 4. As the ladder reaches the vertical position, the firefighter at the tip should moves to the outside so as to have the ladder between them and the building
- 5. If necessary, pivots the ladder so that the fly is away from the building
- 6. The firefighter places one foot against a beam at the spur and steadies the ladder as the fly is being raised
- 7. After the fly is raised, ensures that the locks are secure
- 8. Both firefighters gently lower the ladder against the wall/building
- 9. Checks for the proper climbing angle; adjusts as needed
- 10. The firefighter ties the halyard using an approved knot

- Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 7

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidates shall be provided with a 24 foot extension ladder.
2. The candidates shall be provided with a wall or building on which to raise this ladder.
3. The candidates shall work as a team with one firefighter being assigned as the tip person and one assigned as the heel person.
4. The candidates shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. "The candidates, given a 24" extension ladder and a wall suitable for ladder work, shall demonstrate carrying, positioning, and raising the ladder using a beam raise. The firefighters shall work as a team with one firefighter assigned by the evaluator as the heel person and one assigned as the tip person."

- 1. Uses an approved carry to carry the ladder to the point where it is to be raised.
- 2. Lowers the butt of the ladder the approximate distance from the building that will provide the proper climbing angle.
- 3. Places one foot on the lower beam at the spur and the other firefighter allows the beam to rest on his/her shoulder.
- 4. Checks for overhead obstructions; moves if necessary.
- 5. Facing the ladder tip, grasps the upper beam with hands apart places one foot on the lower beam at the spur and extends the other foot back.
  
  OR

  Stands parallel to the ladder, places one foot against the spur and the other is extended toward the tip.
- 6. As the ladder reaches the vertical position, the firefighter moves to be between the ladder and the building while supporting the ladder.
- 7. If necessary, assists in pivoting the ladder so that the fly is away from the building.
- 8. The firefighter grasps the halyard and extends the tip to the desired elevation.
- 9. After the fly is raised, assures that the locks are secure.
- 10. Both firefighters gently lower the ladder against the wall/building.

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 7

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) Primary Task: CARRY, POSITION, & FLAT RAISE AN EXT. LADDER

Skill No. 7-3 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidates shall be provided with a 24 foot extension ladder.
2. The candidates shall be provided with a wall or building on which to raise this ladder.
3. The candidates shall work as a team with one firefighter being assigned as the tip person and one assigned as the heel person.
4. The candidates shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. "The candidates, given a 24" extension ladder and a wall suitable for ladder work, shall demonstrate carrying, positioning, and raising the ladder using a flat raise. The firefighters shall work as a team with one firefighter assigned by the evaluator as the heel person and one assigned as the tip person."

- 1. Uses an approved carry to carry the ladder to the point where it is to be raised
- 2. Checks for overhead obstructions; moves if necessary
- 3. The firefighter at the tip of the ladder pivots underneath the ladder, advances hand over hand from rung to rung down the ladder until it reaches a vertical position
- 4. If necessary, pivots the ladder so that the fly is away from the building
- 5. The firefighter places one foot against a beam at the spur and steadies the ladder as the fly is being raised
- 6. After the fly is raised, assures that the locks are secure
- 7. Both firefighters gently lower the ladder against the wall/building
- 8. Checks for the proper climbing angle; adjusts as needed
- 9. The firefighter ties the halyard using an approved knot

- Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is paramount!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 6

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidates shall be provided with a 24 foot extension ladder.
2. The candidates shall be provided with a wall or building on which to raise this ladder.
3. The candidates shall work as a team with one firefighter being assigned as the tip person and one assigned as the heel person.
4. The candidates shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES**

1. "The candidates, given a 24" extension ladder and a wall suitable for ladder work, shall demonstrate carrying, positioning, and raising the ladder using a flat raise. The firefighters shall work as a team with one firefighter assigned by the evaluator as the heel person and one assigned as the tip person."

- 1. Uses an approved carry to carry the ladder to the point where it is to be raised
- 2. Checks for overhead obstructions; moves if necessary
- 3. Lowers the butt of the ladder the approximate distance from the building that will provide the proper climbing angle
- 4. The firefighter at the butt heels the ladder by standing on the bottom rung, crouches down, and grasps a convenient rung or beams with both hands
- 5. After the ladder is vertical and if neccessary, assists in pivoting the ladder so that the fly is away from the building
- 6. The firefighter grasps the halyard and extends the tip to the desired elevation
- 7. After the fly is raised, asures that the locks are secure
- 8. Both firefighters gently lower the ladder against the wall/building

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: USE LEG LOCK ON LADDER

Performance Evaluation & Instructions Sheet

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a 24' extension ladder raised and heeled, shall climb the ladder to a height of at least 8 feet and demonstrate a leg lock as used when working from a ground ladder."

1. Climbs to the desired height
2. Advances one rung higher
3. Slides the leg on the opposite side from the working side over and behind the rung that will be locked in place
4. Hooks the foot on a rung or on the beam
5. Rests on the thigh
6. Steps down one rung with the opposite leg

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! Safety is Paramount!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass

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Objective(s) 1-5.62  
Primary Task: USE LADDER BELT ON LADDER

Skill No. 7-5  
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a ladder belt.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a 24' extension ladder raised and heeled and a ladder belt, shall climb the ladder to a height of at least 8' and demonstrate securing themselves to the ladder so as to work from the ladder."

- 1. Straps the belt securely around the waist
- 2. Turns the hook to one side while climbing
- 3. Climbs to the desired height
- 4. Returns the hook to the center and attaches it to the rung directly in front of the firefighter

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  
Safety is Paramount!!  
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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Objective(s) 1-5.25  
Primary Task: CARRY TOOLS UP AND DOWN LADDER

Skill No. 7-6  PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled or secured.
2. The candidate shall be given an axe or other forcible entry tool.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE
1. "The candidate, given a 24 foot extension ladder raised and heeled and an axe, shall climb the ladder to a height of at least 8 feet while carrying an axe."

1. Checks for proper climbing angle
2. Ensures ladder is heeled (from outside position, not underneath) and secure and locks are seated.
   ♦ 3. During climb, slide the free hand under the beam while holding the tool in the other hand and sliding the tool along the other beam
4. Keeps arms straight, body away from the ladder and perpendicular to the ground
5. Uses legs and doesn't pull up with the arms
6. Climbs smoothly and rhythmically
7. Occasionally glances at the tip of the ladder

♦ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: ASSIST CONSCIOUS VICTIM DOWN LADDER

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall have a "victim" on the ladder ready to be brought down.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a 24' extension ladder raised and heeled, shall demonstrate procedures for bringing a conscious victim down the ladder from a height of at least 8 feet."

2. Checks for proper climbing angle

3. Ensures ladder is heeled and secure and locks are seated

4. Ascends the ladder to the victim

5. After the victim is on the ladder, positions him/herself behind and slightly below the victim

6. Keeps the hands on the rungs in front of the victim and arms around the victim under the armpits

7. Descends the ladder while securing the victim

8. Reassures the victim during the descent

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!
INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall have a "victim" on the ladder ready to be brought down.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a 24' extension ladder raised and heeled, shall demonstrate procedures for bringing an unconscious victim down the ladder from a height of at least 8 feet."

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Method One

◆ 4. Places the victim on a knee and facing the ladder and places the victim's legs outside the beams

Method Two

◆ 4. Places the victim on the knee and facing the firefighter

Method Three

◆ 4. Places the victim facing the firefighter with the victim's legs at the knees draped over the firefighter's shoulders
◆ 5. Keep the hands on the beams and around the victim
◆ 6. Descends the ladder rung by rung while sliding the hands down the beams

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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**Objective(s):**

Primary Task: DEPLOY A ROOF LADDER

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a roof ladder.
3. The candidate shall be provided with a structure suitable for deploying a roof ladder.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given a 24 foot extension ladder raised and heeled and a roof ladder, shall demonstrate the deployment of the roof ladder."

- Carries the roof ladder to the ladder that is to be ascended

- 2. Lays the roof ladder down and open the hooks

- 3. Raises the roof ladder and rests it against the ladder to be climbed, hooks facing outward.

- 4. Climbs the main ladder until the shoulder is about two rungs above the midpoint of the roof ladder

- 5. Reaches through the rungs and hoists it onto the shoulder

- 6. Climbs to the top of the ladder and locks in or uses a ladder belt

- 7. Once locked in, takes the ladder off the shoulder and lays it on the roof with the hooks down or pointed away

- 8. Pushes roof ladder hand-over-hand toward the peak of the roof until the hooks clear the ridge

- 9. Ensures that the hooks catch securely over the peak of the roof

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass **6**

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**Objective(s)**

**Primary Task:** CLIMBS GROUND LADDER

**Skill No. 7-10** PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already raised and heeled.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given a 24 foot extension ladder raised and heeled, shall climb the ladder to a height of at least 8 feet."

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1. Checks for proper climbing angle
2. Ensures ladder is heeled and secure and locks are seated
3. Grasps the rungs with the hands palm down. During climb, grasp every rung with alternate hands or grasp alternate rungs. (An alternate method is to keep both hands on beams and slide them up the beams during the climb.)
4. Keeps arms straight, body away from the ladder and perpendicular to the ground
5. Uses legs and doesn't pull up with the arms
6. Climbs smoothly and rhythmically
7. Occasionally glances at the tip of the ladder

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**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: CLEAN & INSPECT GROUND LADDERS

Skill No. 7-12 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder, a garden hose, and various cleaning supplies
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given an extension ladder and various cleaning supplies, shall demonstrate the cleaning and inspecting of the ladder."

1. Removes dirt with a brush and running water
2. Removes oily or greasy residue with a solvent cleaner approved by the manufacturer
3. Wipes dry
4. Visually inspects for obvious defects
5. Checks the rungs for tightness
6. Checks bolts, rivets, and welds for looseness
7. Check beams, trusses, and truss blocks for evidence of compression failure
8. Checks the heat indicator label (if applicable).
9. Checks all slides, stops, locks, braces, halyards, pulleys and all other moveable parts (This can be done by raising the ladder.)
10. Lubricates locks and beams
11. Marks all defects with chalk or other suitable marker
12. Completes inspection

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 8
**Objective(s)**

Primary Task: DEMONSTRATE THE USE OF A FOG NOZZLE

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**

1. The candidate shall be provided with charged 1-1/2" or 1-3/4" handline with fog nozzle.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given a charged hoseline, shall demonstrate:
   a) Opening and closing the nozzle
   b) Adjusting the fog pattern
   c) Adjusting the GPM setting (if applicable)"

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**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Objective(s)
Primary Task: DEMONSTRATE ACCORDION HOSE LOAD

Skill No. 8-2
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with 2-1/2” or 3” fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a hose bed or hose bed prop.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose, shall demonstrate an accordion hose load."

- 1. Starts with the male end,(forward lay), female end,(reverse lay), lays the hose on the edge against the side of the hosebed from the open end to the closed end of the hosebed
- 2. At the closed end of the hose bed, folds the hose back on itself and lays it back to the open end of the hosebed.
- 3. Continues laying the hose to the front and rear of the hosebed but staggers the folds to that every other bend is approximately 2 inches inside adjacent bends

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!
◆ SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!
◆ Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 2

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: DEMONSTRATE HORSESHOE HOSE LOAD

1-6.1 DEMONSTRATE HORSESHOE HOSE LOAD

1. Starts with the male coupling, (forward lay), female coupling, (reverse lay), lays the hose on the edge against the side of the hosebed from the open end to the closed end of the hosebed

2. At the closed end of the hosebed, bends the hose and brings it around the closed end of the hosebed to the other side

3. At the side of the hosebed, bends the hose and lays the hose on the edge against the side to the open end of the hosebed so that the hose is along the perimeter of the hosebed

4. Bends the hose back on itself to reverse the procedure

5. Staggers the folds at the open end of the hosebed so that every other bend is approximately 2 inches inside adjacent bends.

6. Continues laying the hose in this manner with each successive lay inside the other

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a hose bed or hose bed prop.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose, shall demonstrate a horseshoe hose load."

CRITICAL STEP - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: DEMONSTRATE FLAT HOSE LOAD

Skill No. 8-4 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a hose bed or hose bed prop.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose, shall demonstrate a flat hose load."

- 1. Starts with the male coupling, (forward lay), female coupling, (reverse lay), lay the hose flat and against the side of the hosebed from the open to closed end of the hosebed.
- 2. At the closed end of the hosebed, lays the hose back and on top of itself and back to the open end
- 3. At the open end of the hosebed, fold the hose back on and on top of itself but angle it so that it runs adjacent to the previous lay
- 5. Continues to lay the hose in folds progressively across the bed to complete the load

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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Objective(s) 1-6.1

Primary Task: DONUT HOSE ROLL

Skill No. 8-5

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate a donut hose roll."

- 1. Lays the hose out flat in a straight line
- 2. Positions him/herself approximately 5 feet off center of the hose toward the male coupling
- 3. Starts the roll by rolling the hose on top of itself
- 4. Rolls toward the female coupling
- 5. Completes the roll by covering the male coupling with the hose so that the female coupling is exposed

OR

- 1. Lays the hose out so that the hose is folded at the center and both ends of the hose lay flat and parallel with each other
- 2. Facing the couplings, start the roll on the male coupling side about 2-1/2' from the bend.
- 3. Starts the roll by rolling the hose on top of itself
- 4. Rolls toward the male coupling
- 5. Completes the roll by covering the male coupling with the hose so that the female coupling is exposed

♦ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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Objective(s) 1-6.1
Primary Task: TWIN DONUT HOSE ROLL

Skill No. 8-6
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with 2-1/2” or 3” fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate a twin donut hose roll."

1. Lays the hose out flat, folds the hose in half and lays one half beside the other so that the halves are parallel and the couplings are together

2. Positions him/herself at the end opposite the couplings and facing the couplings

3. Folds the loop end over and starts rolling the hose toward the couplings

◆ 4. Rolls the two halves simultaneously until roll is complete

5. Completes the roll by looping a short piece of rope through the roll and ties it off

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: SHOULDER LOOP HOSE CARRY

Skill No. 8-8 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with 1-1/2" or 1-3/4" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate a shoulder-loop hose carry."

- 1. With the hose laid out, picks up either end of the hose and places it over the shoulder with the coupling behind the body at waist height
- 2. Steps forward to form a three-foot loop on the ground
- 3. Picks up the hose at the point closest to the feet
- 4. Raises the loop and lays it on the shoulder without twisting or turning it over
- 5. Adjusts the loop so that it hangs about mid-calf
- 6. Steps forward to form another loop.
- 7. Continues forming loops until the desired amount of hose is retrieved

* Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! *SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!* Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s) 1-6.1  Primary Task: ACCORDION SHOULDER HOSE CARRY

**Skill No. 8-9** PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

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1. With the hose laid out, picks up either end of the hose and places it over the shoulder with the coupling behind the body at waist height

2. Holds the hose in front of the body and while walking slowly forward, form a loop that hangs in front of the body

3. Walks forward guiding the hose back over the same shoulder to form a loop that hangs behind the body

4. Continues to walk slowly down the hoseline, forming alternating loops in front of and behind the body in the same manner as before until the hose length is retrieved

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

**Saftey is Paramount!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 3

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**Objective(s)**
Primary Task: EXTEND HOSE LINE

**Skill No. 8-10**
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR**
1. The candidate shall be provided with a charged 2-1/2” or 3” fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be given an additional section of hose and a hose clamp.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided and a hose clamp, shall demonstrate extending the charged hoseline."

- 1. Applies hose clamp at least 3-5 feet behind the nozzle
- 2. Bleeds pressure off by slowly opening the nozzle
- 3. Removes the nozzle
- 4. Attaches the additional hoseline(s) to the end of the last hose section
- 5. Stretches out the new line and attaches the nozzle
- 6. Slowly releases the hose clamp

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**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  
**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**  
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass **4**

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- 1. Applies a hose clamp at least three feet behind the female coupling of the damaged section of hose on the supply side
- 2. After pressure bleeds off, removes the damaged section of hose
- 3. Replaces the damaged section of hose with **two additional sections** and straightens out
- 4. Slowly releases the hose clamp

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: **3**

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Objective(s) 1-5.33

Primary Task: OPERATE CHARGED HOSELINE FROM LADDER

Skill No. 8-12

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a charged 1-1/2" or 1-3/4" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with an extension ladder already in place and heeled or secured.
3. The candidate shall be provided with several hose straps.
4. The candidate shall be allowed to position themselves on the ladder and have the hose passed to them.
5. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided and several hose straps, shall demonstrate procedures for operating a hoseline from a ladder."

◆ 1. After the hoseline is passed up the ladder, projects the nozzle between the rungs where they will be working
◆ 2. Secures the hose with a hose strap or rope to a beam or rung behind the nozzle
◆ 3. Secures the hoseline at a point several rungs below the one on which they will be standing
◆ 4. Uses a leg lock or a ladder belt to secure themselves to the ladder before opening the nozzle
◆ 5. Slowly opens the nozzle and flows water

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)  1-5.34  
Primary Task: CARRYING HOSE AND ADVANCING FROM STANDPIPE

Skill No.  8-13  
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with 1-1/2” or 1-3/4” fire hose with nozzle.
2. The candidate shall be provided a building, or realistic prop, that has a standpipe connection.
3. The candidate shall be informed as to where the standpipe to be connected and "fire" is located.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the fire hose provided, shall demonstrate procedures for carrying the hose to the standpipe, connecting the hose, and advancing it to the fire."

◆1. Dons PPE

◆2. Using appropriate carry, carries sufficient fire hose to one level below the level of the fire

◆3. Attaches the hose to the standpipe connection

◆4. Flakes out hose up the stairway above the fire floor, if possible.

◆5. Charges the hoseline by opening the standpipe valve

◆6. Bleeds the air out of the hoseline and checks pattern

◆7. Advances to the fire

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: INTERIOR ATTACK, DIRECT APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with charged 1", 1-1/2", or 1-3/4", and 2-1/2" fire hose with nozzle.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a structure suitable to simulate live fire control.
3. The candidate shall be informed as to where the fire is located within the structure.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate shall select the proper hoseline and shall demonstrate procedures for advancing the hoseline to the fire inside the structure and demonstrating a direct attack method of extinguishment."

- 1. Wears PPE
- 2. Selects the proper size hoseline and nozzle (1 1/2" - 1 3/4")
- 3. Works with at least one team member
- 4. Coordinates with Incident Commander and other teams working on the fireground
- 5. Determines the point of entry, extinguishment should begin at the unburned side of the structure
- 6. Bleeds the air from the hoseline
- 7. Sets a solid or straight stream pattern on the nozzle
- 8. Extinguishes any burning fascia, cornice, overhanging, etc.
- 9. Stays out of the doorway, and opens door slowly
- 10. Advances to the fire area by crawling or using duck walk
- 11. Applies water from a close position with a solid or straight stream
- 12. Applies water directly to the base of the burning material
- 13. Applies water in short burst until the fire “darkens down”

- Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 10

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate shall select the proper hoseline and shall demonstrate procedures for advancing the hoseline to the fire inside the structure and demonstrating a combination attack method of extinguishment."

◆ 1. Wears PPE
◆ 2. Selects the proper size hoseline and nozzle (1 1/2" - 1 3/4"

3. Works with at least one team member
4. Coordinates with Incident Commander and other teams working on the fireground
5. Determines the point of entry, extinguishment should begin at the unburned side of the structure
◆ 6. Bleeds the air from the hoseline
◆ 7. Sets a solid, straight, or penetrating fog pattern on the nozzle
8. Extinguishes any burning fascia, cornice, overhanging, etc.
◆ 9. Stay out of the doorway, open door slowly
◆ 10. Advances to the fire area by crawling or using duck walk
11. Applies water from doorway with a solid, straight, or penetrating fog stream
◆ 12. Applies water to the to the superheated gases at the ceiling and then drops down to a direct attack to the burning material near the floor using a “T”, or “Z” pattern
13. Applies water until fire darkens down

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 10

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Objective(s): 1-5.23, 2-5.1  
Skill No. 10-3  
Primary Task: EXTINGUISH A VEHICLE FIRE

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate shall select the proper size hoseline and shall demonstrate procedures for extinguishing the vehicle fire indicated."

◆ 1. Wears PPE
◆ 2. Selects the proper size hoseline and adj. fog nozzle 1 1/2" - 1 3/4" (not less than 1 1/2")
   3. Set fog nozzle on a straight stream or narrow fog patt. Test for correct pattern and pressure.
   4. Approach fire from upwind side if possible.
   5. Approach fire from uphill side if possible.
   6. Advances to a distance that allows reach by the fire stream but not close enough for heat to be unbearable, (extinguish as much fire as possible from the maximum effective distance).
   7. Applies water in a straight stream to narrow fog pattern
   8. Extinguishes any ground fire around the vehicle first
◆ 9. Applies stream directly to the burning material and to hazard areas
◆ 10. Shuts down stream when fire is extinguished.
11. Overhaul

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 8

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with charged 1-1/2" fire hose or larger.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a vehicle or simulated vehicle.
3. The candidate shall be informed as to where the fire is located on the "vehicle".
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

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Objective(s): Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.

Primary Task: ONE PERSON SALVAGE ROLL

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with assistance in performing this operation but the assistant shall only do what they are instructed to do by the candidate.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover provided, shall demonstrate a salvage cover roll for a one-person salvage cover spread. (Assistance may be provided but can do only what they are instructed to do.)"

1. Lays the cover out flat on a clean surface
2. Positions him/herself at the edge of the cover along a short side
3. Locates the center point along the edge of the cover
4. Grasps the cover with the hand on the side to be folded midway between the center and the edge
5. Places the other hand as a pivot point midway between the outside hand and the center
6. Brings the fold over to the center
7. Brings the outside edge over to the center and places it on top of and in line with the previously placed fold
8. Folds the other half of the cover in the same manner as steps 2 - 6
9. Rolls tightly from one end to the other
10. Straighten out as necessary and completes the roll, fold the end over about 12 inches

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!
Safety is Paramount!!
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 7

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Objective(s) 2-5.20
Primary Task: TWO-PERSON SALVAGE FOLD

Skill No. 11-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with assistance in performing this operation but the assistant shall only do what they are instructed to do by the candidate.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover provided, shall demonstrate a salvage cover fold for a two-person salvage cover spread. (Assistance may be provided but can do only what they are instructed to do.)"

1. Lays the cover out flat on a clean surface
2. Positions him/herself at the edge of the cover along a short side
3. Grasps the cover along the edge and at the center raising the center fold high above the floor
4. Shakes out the wrinkles
2. Spreads the cover out on the floor so that the cover is folded in half
3. Grasps the cover at the corner on the side with the open edges
4. Using the foot toward the folded edge as a pivot, the firefighters bring the open edge side of the cover back over on top of itself
5. Aligns the edges and smooth out the wrinkles
6. Folds the cover in half from the side of the cover and smooths it out
◆ 7. Continues folding the cover in half until cover is small enough to carry
◆ 8. Completes the fold when the cover is small enough to carry

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 2-5.21
Primary Task: ONE PERSON SALVAGE SPREAD

Skill No. 11-3 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with furniture to be covered.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE
1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover provided, shall demonstrate deployment of a salvage cover rolled/folded for a one-person salvage cover spread, to cover property."

1. Starts at one end of the objects to be covered and unroll a sufficient amount to cover the end
2. Lays the roll on the objects and continues to unroll toward the opposite end
3. Completely unrolls cover being sure to cover both ends of objects
4. Stand at one end and grasp the open edges of the cover where convenient, one edge in each hand
5. Opens the sides of the cover by snapping the hands up and out
6. Opens the other end the same way
7. Ensures that materials are completely covered
8. Tucks the edges of the cover at the floor

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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Objective(s) 2-5.21
Primary Task: TWO-PERSON SALVAGE SPREAD

Skill No. 11-4 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with assistance in performing this operation but the assistant shall only do what they are instructed to do by the candidate.
3. The candidate shall be provided with furniture to be covered.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE
1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover provided, shall demonstrate deployment of a salvage cover rolled/folded for a two-person salvage cover spread, to cover property. (Assistance may be provided but can do only what they are instructed to do.)"

1. Stretches the cover along one side of the furnishings and separates the last half fold

2. Makes several accordion folds in the inside hands and place outside hands about midway down the end hem

3. Places the outside foot on the hem on the floor and pulls the cover tight between the firefighters doing the spread

4. While holding the cover, swings the folded part down, up, and out on one sweeping movement

5. When the cover is as high as can be reached, the accordion folds are pitched or carried across the objects

6. Straightens the cover to ensure that materials are covered

7. Tucks all edges of the cover along the floor

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Objective(s): 2-5.22

Primary Task: CONSTRUCT A WATER CHUTE

Skill No. 11-5 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with two pike poles.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover and pike poles provided, shall demonstrate the construction of a water chute."

1. Spreads out the salvage cover on the floor

2. Lays a pike pole along opposite sides of the cover, leaving the hooks above the edge

3. Folds the edges of the cover over each pike pole

4. Rolls the pike poles toward each other until the chute is the desired width

◆ 5. Completes construction of the water chute

6. Elevates the hooks so water can be channeled away

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: CONSTRUCT A WATER CATCH-ALL

Skill No. 11-6 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the salvage cover provided, shall demonstrate the construction of a water catch-all."

1. Lays the salvage cover flat out on the floor
2. Rolls one side in approximately three feet
3. Turns the rolls in about 3 feet from the ends at a 90-degree angle to form corners
4. Rolls the other side in approximately three feet
5. Turns the rolls in about 3 feet from the ends at a 90-degree angle to form corners
6. From the side of the cover that hasn't been rolled, rolls into a tight roll on top of the side rolls that have been turned in
7. Tucks the end rolls at the corners to lock the corners
8. Rolls the other side in a like manner and tucks the corners as above
9. Completes construction of the catch-all

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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Objective(s) 2-5.8
Primary Task: OPEN A CEILING
Skill No. 12-1
PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a pike pole.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a structure on which this operation may be demonstrated.
   (simulated)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the pike pole provided, shall demonstrate procedures for opening a ceiling to expose hidden fire."

1. Wears PPE

2. Ensures that a charged line is available

3. Uses a pike pole or ceiling hook

3. Stands between the work area and the exit and not directly under the area to be opened

4. Pushes the pike pole or ceiling hook through the ceiling with the hook pointed away

5. Pulls the ceiling down and away

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!
◆ SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!
◆ Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
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Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4
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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a pick-head axe and salvage cover.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a structure on which this operation may be demonstrated.
   (simulated)
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a salvage cover and a pick-head axe, shall demonstrate procedures for opening an interior frame wall to expose hidden fire."

1. Wears PPE
   ◆ 2. Ensures that a charged line is available
   3. Uses a pick-head axe or other suitable tool
   4. Selects the place to make the opening effected by electrical outlets and switches and piping
   5. Locates the studs by sounding
   ◆ 6. Uses chopping strokes to cut the wall covering along the studs
   ◆ 7. Uses the pick to pull the material off the wall

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! Safety is PARAMOUNT!!
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: PRIMARY SURVEY

Skill No. 13-1 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an “unconscious” victim or mannequin
2. The candidate shall be provided with PPE.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, working with an unconscious victim, shall demonstrate procedures for performing a primary survey for life-threatening injuries."

1. Establishes responsiveness by shaking the victim and shouting

◆ 2. Checks for an open airway and corrects if necessary
◆ 3. Checks for breathing by using look, listen, and feel
◆ 4. Checks the carotid pulse for a minimum of five seconds
◆ 5. Visually checks for severe bleeding

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

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Objective(s) 1-1.5

Primary Task: CONTROLLING BLEEDING

Skill No. 13-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a medical jump kit.
2. The candidate shall be provided with PPE
3. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" or mannequin on which to demonstrate these skills.
   (The candidate should be informed of a laceration to the victim's arm.)

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having a victim with a lacerated arm that is bleeding profusely and given medical supplies, shall demonstrate three (3) methods for controlling bleeding."

◆ 1. Dons PPE

Direct Pressure

2. Places a dressing directly on the wound

◆ 3. Apply and maintains firm pressure to the wound

Elevation

4. Elevates the limb if there is no danger of it being fractured

Pressure Point

5. Selects the appropriate artery in which to apply pressure

6. Applies firm pressure to the artery pressing it against the nearby bone

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s) 3-1.4
Primary Task: TREATMENT FOR SHOCK

Skill No. 13-3 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a blanket or coat.
2. The candidate shall be provided with PPE.
3. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" or mannequin on which to demonstrate these skills.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having a victim going into traumatic shock and given medical supplies, shall demonstrate the emergency medical care."

1. Dons PPE
2. Perform primary survey - ABC
3. Administer oxygen
4. Treat the cause of the shock, (control bleeding, splint)
5. If standing, lay the patient down
6. Elevate the feet and legs but handle the patient gently
7. Maintain body temperature, (cover if cold, ventilate if hot)
8. Monitor pulse, respirations, and level of consciousness (LOC) periodically
9. Arrange for transport to a medical facility

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!
Safety is paramount!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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**Objective(s)**

Primary Task: **TREATMENT FOR INGESTED POISON**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR**

1. The candidate shall be provided with a medical jump kit.
2. The candidate shall be provided with PPE.
3. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" or mannequin on which to demonstrate these skills.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidate, having a conscious victim that has ingested an unknown poison and given medical supplies, shall demonstrate emergency medical care."

- 1. Conduct primary survey - **ABC**
- 2. Determine what was ingested
- 3. Determine the **time of ingestion**
- 4. Determine the **maximum possible amount** of the substance ingested
- 5. Determine the age and weight of the victim
- 6. Contact the Poison Control Center and follow instructions
- 7. Never give any thing by mouth to anyone who is convulsing, unconscious, or having difficulty swallowing.
- 8. If the substance is NOT intended to be taken by mouth, give the victim one or two glasses of milk or water to dilute the poison.

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  **SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**  Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 6

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with a medical jump kit.
2. The candidate shall be provided with PPE
3. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" or mannequin on which to demonstrate these skills.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having a conscious victim that has overdosed on an unknown substance and given medical supplies, shall demonstrate emergency medical care."

1. Request law enforcement to protect and investigate.
2. Conduct Primary Survey (ABC)
3. Trys to keep the patient calm
4. Attempt to determine what, when, and how much of the drug was taken

◆ 5. Calls the Poison Control Center and follows instructions
6. Arranges to have the victim transported to a medical facility

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  
S A F E T Y  I S  P A R A M O U N T !!  
Total steps candidate must complete to Pass

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.  
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Objective(s) 1-5.28
Primary Task: PRIMARY SEARCH OPERATION

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...

INSTRUCTIONS TO EVALUATOR/MONITOR
1. The candidates shall be provided with a facility (ie, burn building or tower) in which to perform this skill. (NO LIVE FIRE!)
2. The candidates shall be informed as to where the search operation is to take place.
3. A “victim” (mannequin, dummy or someone serving as a victim) shall be placed inside the structure for the candidate to find during the search.
4. The candidates shall work as a team with one being the lead firefighter and one being the partner.
5. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidates, having a known victim located inside a structure and working as a team, shall demonstrate a primary search operation. One firefighter designated by the evaluator shall be the lead firefighter and the other shall be the partner."

1. Wears PPE (EVALUATOR TO "BLACK-OUT" FACEPIECE)
2. Works in groups of two or more
3. Searches on hands and knees
4. Starts the search along an outside wall
5. Uses standard right or left hand search pattern
6. Searches around and under furniture.
7. Searches all closets, pantries, shower stalls, etc.
8. Occasionally pauses to listen for sounds of distress
9. Keeps in communication with partner
10. Finds victim

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass: 7
**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. "The candidates, having a known victim located inside a structure and working as a team, shall demonstrate a primary search operation. One firefighter designated by the evaluator shall be the lead firefighter and the other shall be the partner."

- 1. Wears PPE (EVALUATOR TO "BLACK-OUT" FACEPIECE)
- 2. Works in groups of two or more
- 3. Searches on hands and knees
- 4. Follows lead firefighter, staying toward the inside of the room
- 5. Maintains physical contact with lead firefighter by holding onto foot or pants leg near the ankle
- 6. Sweeps toward the inside of the room with the inside hand and leg
- 7. Searches all closets, pantries, shower stalls, etc.
- 8. Occasionally pauses to listen for sounds of distress
- 9. Keeps in communication with partner
- 10. Finds victim

**Critical Step** - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  

**SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!**

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 7

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an assistant but the assistant will do only what the candidate instructs them to do.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" on which to demonstrate this skill.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having an unconscious victim and working with an assistant, shall demonstrate an extremities carry. The assistant may only do as they are instructed."

1. Stands at the head of the victim

2. Instructs the second rescuer to stand at the feet

3. Kneels at the victims head and raises victims head and shoulders

◆ 4. Wraps arms around the victim's chest and grasps the victim's left wrist with the right hand and the victim's right wrist with the left hand

5. Instructs rescuer at the feet to kneel with feet together between the victim's legs facing the same direction as the victim

◆ 6. Instructs rescuer at the feet to grasp the victim's legs under the knees

◆ 7. Signals the other rescuer and stands simultaneously while lifting the victim

8. Uses the leg muscles and not the back

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
Remember, you are an evaluator, not a trainer...
Objective(s) 1-5.26
Primary Task: FIREFIGHTER DRAG REMOVAL

Skill No. 14-4  PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a blanket or coat.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a "victim" on which to demonstrate this skill.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having an unconscious victim, shall demonstrate a blanket drag."

1. Turn the victim (if necessary) so that the victim is on his/her back
2. Using a piece of rope, belt, hankerchief or other available material, tie the victim's hands together
3. The rescuer straddles the victim and loops the victim's arms over his head
◆ 4. Drag the victim by crawling and dragging.

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective! SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 3

Prevent or prohibit any unsafe acts.
Contact the Monitor at any time with any questions you may have.
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Objective(s): 1-5.66
Primary Task: CONNECT SUPPLY HOSELINE

Skill No. 15-1

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with at least one section of 2-1/2" or 3" fire hose.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a fire hydrant and a hydrant wrench.
3. Once the hose is connected to the hydrant, the evaluator must attach a hose clamp or nozzle to the end of the hoseline so that the hydrant can be opened.
4. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given supply hose and a hydrant, shall demonstrate procedures for catching a hydrant. (Connecting fire hose from an apparatus to a hydrant so as to supply an attack apparatus.)"

1. Approaches the hydrant and loops the hose around the hydrant
2. Places foot on the hose and signals the driver
3. Loosens the hydrant cap of the outlet facing the fire
4. Places the hydrant wrench on the valve stem
5. Removes the loosened hydrant cap
6. Open hydrant to flush debris, close hydrant
7. Attach hydrant gate valve to the unused outlet
8. Removes the hose loop from the hydrant and connects it to the outlet facing the fire
9. When signaled, slowly opens the hydrant by turning the operating nut with the hydrant wrench by turning 15-20 turns in a counter-clockwise direction until fully open

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 5

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Objective(s) 1-5.68

Primary Task: ASSEMBLE AND CONNECT EQUIPMENT FOR DRAFTING

Skill No. 15-2 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with the following:
   a) rubber mallet  
   b) 2 sections of hard suction hose  
   c) strainer for the hard suction hose  
   d) pumping apparatus
2. The candidate shall be provided with an assistant but the assistant may do only what the candidate instructs them to do.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given the necessary equipment, shall demonstrate assembling the equipment so as to be able to perform a drafting operation."

1. Removes the hard suction hose from the apparatus

2. Using the rubber mallet, if necessary, removes the cap of the pump intake

3. Connects the hard suction hose to the pump intake

4. Connects the second section of hard suction hose to the first section

5. Attaches the strainer to the end of the hard suction hose and places into water supply.

♦ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with an open sprinkler head.
2. The candidate shall be provided with a sprinkler stop or wedge.
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, having an open sprinkler head and given a sprinkler stop or sprinkler wedge, shall demonstrate procedures controlling the flow of water from the open head."

1. Secures 2 sprinkler wedges
2. Insert 2 small wooden wedges, one from each side, between the discharge orifice and the deflector.
   ◆ 3. Bumps the wedges securely into place to stop the flow.

OR

1. Secures a sprinkler stop from the apparatus
2. Places the flat coated part of the stop over the sprinkler head orifice and between the frame of the sprinkler head
   ◆ 3. Pushes the lever to expand the stop until it snaps into position

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!  SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!  Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 2

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: CLOSE AND OPEN MAIN CONTROL VALVE (OS&Y)

Skill No. 16-2

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

1. The candidate shall be provided with an OS&Y valve. (Preferably on an automatic sprinkler system.)
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given an OS&Y valve on a sprinkler system, shall demonstrate procedures for closing the valve and then opening the valve."

1. Removes the lock with bolt cutters if the valve is locked in place

2. Turns the valve in a clockwise direction to close

◆ 3. Completely closes the valve

4. Opens the valve by turning it in a counter-clockwise direction

◆ 5. Completely opens the valve

◆ Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

SAFETY IS PARAMOUNT!!

Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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Objective(s)

Primary Task: CLOSE AND OPEN MAIN CONTROL VALVE (PIV)

Skill No. 16-3 PERFORMANCE EVALUATION & INSTRUCTIONS SHEET

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EVALUATOR/MONITOR
1. The candidate shall be provided with a PIV valve. (Preferably on an automatic sprinkler system.)
2. The candidate shall be given the instructions as indicated below, one item at a time.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

1. "The candidate, given a PIV valve on a sprinkler system, shall demonstrate procedures for closing the valve and then opening the valve."

1. Removes the lock with bolt cutters if the valve is locked in place

2. Removes the operating handle

3. Places the operating handle on the operating nut on top of the stem

4. Turns the valve (operating nut) in a clockwise direction until the word shut appears in the "window"

5. Opens the valve by turning the operating nut in a counter-clockwise direction until the word open appears in the "window"

Critical Step - Failure on this step mandates failure on the entire objective!

Safety is Paramount!! Total steps candidate must complete to Pass 4

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