

FIREFIGHTER 1 SKILL SHEETS



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Skill Sheet 1: Locate Information in Policies and Codes

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.2.1

TASK	You are to locate information in departmental documents, standards, or code materials, to answer the question presented.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a question from the evaluator, the answer to which can be found in the department SOP's, the State of Idaho Emergency action plan or NFPA 1001, you shall demonstrate the ability to locate and explain the application of the requested SOG or code.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to locate information in departmental documents and standard or code materials.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A private workspace such as an office, a copy of either the State of Idaho Emergency Action Plan, Departmental SOPs, or a printed copy of NFPA 1010.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Candidate selects the required equipment needed to answer the question (appropriate SOG / EAP / NFPA Standard).				
2.	Determines the appropriate reference book.				
3.	Locates the appropriate SOG, EAP or NFPA Standard.				
4.	Explains how the application of the SOG or code applies to the question.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 2: Responding on an Apparatus

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.2

TASK	Respond on an apparatus to an emergency scene with traffic and/or other hazards.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a response scenario by the evaluator, you shall demonstrate the ability to safely mount an apparatus, wear appropriate PPE and use safety devices and dismount a fire apparatus.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Respond on apparatus to an emergency scene, given personal protective clothing and other necessary PPE, so that the apparatus is correctly mounted and dismounted, seat belts are used while the vehicle is in motion, and other personal protective equipment is correctly used.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Fire apparatus, full PPE, and hearing protection (if indicated or present).
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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TASK		Respond on an apparatus to an emergency scene with traffic and/or other hazards.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE).				
2.	Don Turnouts NOT to include helmet.				
3.	Safely stow helmet per departmental SOP's.				
MOUNTING					
4.	Determine that vehicle is not in motion (must be stated to ensure evaluator knows).				
5.	Mount fire apparatus safely using handrails and steps.				
6.	Close door, safety bar, gate to cab or compartment.				
7.	Sit, fasten seat belt and notify driver.				
8.	Correctly use hearing protection if indicated or present.				
DISMOUNTING					
9.	Ensures that vehicle is completely stopped before disconnecting restraints and preparing to leave apparatus.				
10.	Put on helmet and waits for orders from CO to exit the apparatus.				
11.	Look for traffic and other hazards prior to opening door and dismounting.				
12.	Dismount safely (curb side preferred if heavy traffic).				
13.	Close apparatus door (if present).				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 3: Emergency Scene with High Traffic Flow

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.3

TASK	Establish safe traffic and work zones while operating in a high traffic environment.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario with an incident description, apparatus and high traffic flow you shall demonstrate the ability to establish safe work zones while practicing personal safety.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Respond on apparatus to an emergency scene, given personal protective clothing and other necessary PPE, so that the apparatus is correctly mounted and dismounted, seat belts are used while the vehicle is in motion, and other personal protective equipment is correctly used.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Apparatus or support vehicle, PPE, reflective vest, 15+/- cones or flares (does not require lighting).
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1 (not required but helpful).

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Skill Sheet 3: Emergency Scene with High Traffic Flow

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Objective: 6.3.3

TASK		Establish safe traffic and work zones while operating in a high traffic environment.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required PPE and Tools for the task (PPE, traffic vest, cones or flares).				
2.	Dismount the apparatus wearing necessary PPE for working in a traffic area including an approved reflective vest.				
3.	Establish the following safety zones using cones or flares (NOTE: flares are only acceptable if no flammable materials are in the area):				
4.	A tapered zone upstream 75 – 100 feet in length to exclude traffic from the edge of the road to the outside of the blocking apparatus.				
5.	A traffic barrier along the working area that extends downstream well past the blocking apparatus.				
6.	Place a warning sign 100 to 1500 feet upstream of the blocking apparatus or ensure another resource is giving approaching traffic advance notice (Police, etc.).				
7.	Always monitor traffic while setting up or removing safety zones.				
8.	If Electrical Hazards exist in the scenario given, complete the following:				
9.	Establish an electrical hazard exclusion zone – minimum of 1 span from electrical pole to pole.				
10.	Enlarge electrical hazard zone if downed wires are near extending metal objects.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 4: Illuminate an Emergency Scene

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.17

TASK	Illuminate an emergency scene for safe operations in low light conditions.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario with an incident description in low light conditions, you shall demonstrate the ability to safely light a simulated scene to allow Firefighters to see adequately and work safely.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Illuminate an emergency scene, given fire service electrical equipment and an assignment, so that designated areas are illuminated, and all equipment is operated within the manufacturer's listed safety precautions.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Portable lights, extension cords, connectors, portable or mounted power supply with ground fault interrupters, and PPE.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Objective: 6.3.17

TASK		Illuminate an emergency scene for safe operations in low light conditions.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (Full turnouts, scene lighting equipment).				
2.	Select and carry equipment using proper lifting techniques.				
3.	Locate lights in a useful position to illuminate the designated area sufficiently & safely.				
4.	Arrange power cords neatly to minimize trip hazards.				
5.	Locate power plant in a remote and well-vented location. (If portable)				
6.	Start power plant.				
7.	Plug cords into power unit or junction box and power up lighting.				
8.	Demonstrate how to reset ground fault breaker if tripped.				
9.	Shut down equipment and gather equipment when asked by evaluator.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 5: Use of Telephone (Non-Emergency Call)

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.2.2

TASK	Receive a department telephone call, document and pass on the information.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You will answer a simulated non-emergency telephone call on a public telephone number at the Fire Station and given a request to speak to someone not present.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Receive a telephone call, given a Fire Department phone, so that procedures for answering the phone are used and the caller's information is relayed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A private workspace such as an office, a telephone (may be simulated), notepad or department message form, and a pen or pencil.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 5: Use of Telephone (Non-Emergency Call)

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Objective: 6.2.2

TASK		Receive a department telephone call, document and pass on the information.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed. (pen & paper, telephone).				
2.	Answers phone promptly identifying their name & department.				
3.	Record name and phone number of reporting party.				
4.	Determines the nature of the call, the needs & requests of the caller, and conducts themselves in a professional manner.				
5.	Utilizes intercom system properly (if necessary) to notify another member that they have a call waiting.				
6.	Properly transfers the call to another member (if necessary)				
7.	Documents the caller's information as needed if requested person is not available.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 6: Initiate Response to a Reported Emergency

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.2.1

TASK	Initiate a response to a reported emergency according to department standard operating procedures.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario of a reported emergency either from an individual in person or over the phone you will initiate an emergency response according to your local policies and procedures.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Initiate the response to a reported emergency, given the report of an emergency, fire department SOP's, and communication equipment, so that all necessary information is obtained, communications equipment is operated correctly, and the information is relayed promptly and accurately to the dispatch center.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A private workspace such as an office, a telephone (may be simulated), a department radio, notepad or department dispatch log, and a pen or pencil.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 6: Initiate Response to a Reported Emergency

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Objective: 6.2.1

TASK		Initiate a response to a reported emergency according to department standard operating procedures			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (pen & paper, radio or telephone).				
2.	If report is by telephone, answers phone promptly identifying their name & department.				
3.	Identify the nature of the emergency from the reporting party.				
4.	Determine life threat based on information received.				
5.	Record and verify the proper address of the incident.				
6.	Record name and phone number of reporting party.				
7.	Relay information to dispatch as per local protocols.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 7: Transmit and Receive Radio Messages

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.2.3

TASK	Transmit and receive messages via the fire department radio.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scripted message read aloud to you consisting of either routine or emergency traffic you shall respond over a radio with the accurate, complete, and clear responses for the scenario given.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Transmit and receive messages via the fire department radio, given a fire department radio and operating procedures, so that the information is accurate, complete, clear, and relayed within the time established by the AHJ. Activate an emergency call for assistance, given vision-obscured conditions, PPE, and department SOPs, so that the fire fighter can be located and rescued.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Mobile or handheld fire department radio
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 7: Transmit and Receive Radio Messages

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.2.3

TASK		Transmit and receive messages via the fire department radio.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (department radio).				
2.	Ensure the radio is on and tuned to the appropriate frequency/channel.				
3.	Use department’s operating procedures to determine if routine or emergency traffic.				
4.	A. Routine Traffic -Wait until traffic is clear before transmitting.				
5.	B. Emergency Traffic – Announce, "Emergency traffic".				
6.	Have microphone 1 – 2 inches away from mouth (or speaking device of SCBA).				
7.	Initiate transmission by identifying unit being called, then identifying yourself.				
8.	Speak calmly, clearly, distinctly, and at a medium speed.				
9.	initiate an emergency call for assistance in accordance with the AHJ’s procedures				
10.	Transmit a brief and accurate message with the ability to use other methods of emergency calls for assistance.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 8: Don SCBA

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK	Don and activate SCBA
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your task is to correctly don and activate an SCBA.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Use self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA), given SCBA and other PPE, so that the SCBA is correctly donned and worn.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE including SCBA
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 8: Don SCBA

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK		Don and activate SCBA			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE and SCBA including facepiece).				
2.	Verify SCBA air cylinder is full (pressure gauge in the green).				
3.	Open air cylinder and verify low air alarm activated during pressurization.				
4.	Don SCBA pack securing all straps.				
5.	Correctly don face piece adjusting straps as needed.				
6.	Checks facemask seal with a negative pressure test (cover regulator hole with hand, inhale and mask should draw to face with no leakage).				
7.	Check operation of exhalation valve by forcibly exhaling.				
8.	Connect regulator to mask and initial air with first breath.				
9.	Ensure PASS device is activated and functioning.				
10	Have all personal protective clothing correctly in place. No skin showing.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 9: SCBA Emergency Operations

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK	Demonstrate emergency SCBA procedures listed.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario and while operating in a simulated hazardous environment you shall be able to perform emergency procedures in event of SCBA failure.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Given SCBA and other personal protective equipment, initiate and complete emergency procedures in the event of SCBA failure or air depletion, and hazardous areas are exited.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE and an SCBA
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 9: SCBA Emergency Operations

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK		Demonstrate emergency SCBA procedures.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
	Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.				
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE and SCBA).				
	SCBA FAILURE (Select A, B, or C and read advise candidate of their emergency):				
A.	AIR IS NOT FLOWING INTO THE FACE PIECE				
2.	Check that cylinder is fully open.				
3.	Open bypass ensure bypass is working.				
4.	Notify partner and command of problem and your exit plans.				
5.	Activate PASS device.				
6.	Open and close bypass for each breath.				
7.	Exit hazardous area rapidly with partner.				
8.	Notify command when clear of hazardous area.				
B.	DEPLETION OF AIR SUPPLY, Candidate must recognize low air alarm. Emergency procedures when out of air and no air re-supply is available				
2.	Notify partner and command of problem and exit plan.				
3.	Activate PASS device.				
4.	Establish filter breathing while staying as low as possible.				
5.	Exit hazardous area rapidly with partner.				
6.	Notify command when clear of hazardous area.				
C.	TRANS FILL Emergency procedures when out of air with trans fill or buddy breathing capability available.				
2.	Notify partner and command of problem and exit plan.				
3.	Activate PASS alarm.				
4.	Attach trans fill hose or buddy breather hose to both SCBA units.				
5.	Exit hazardous area rapidly with partner.				
6.	Notify command when clear of hazardous area.				
7.	Depletion of air when additional SCBA bottles have been staged.				
8.	Notify partner your air is getting low.				
9.	Exit hazardous area to the air supply staging area.				
A/B/C	Change SCBA bottle.				
	Notify evaluator when task is complete.				



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Skill Sheet 10: SCBA Air Conservation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK	Demonstrate how to conserve air during low air situation
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario and while operating in a simulated hazardous environment you shall operate safely in a hazardous environment by keeping track of your air supply. You and your team members will exit the hazardous area prior to depletion of their air supply. You shall also demonstrate two methods of conserving air supply.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Given SCBA and other personal protective equipment, so that the SCBA is correctly donned and worn, all low air warnings are recognized, respiratory protection is not compromised, and hazardous areas are exited prior to depletion.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE, SCBA with low air pressure (low pressure may be simulated).
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 10: SCBA Air Conservation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.1

TASK		Demonstrate two methods of how to conserve air during low air situation.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE and SCBA).				
2.	Recognize low air supply indications while in hazardous atmosphere.				
3.	Make decision to leave hazardous atmosphere with team member(s) before depletion of air supply.				
4.	Notify supervisor by radio that air supply is low and state team will be exiting the hazardous environment.				
DEMONSTRATE METHODS OF AIR CONSERVATION					
Demonstrate controlled breathing (read aloud).					
5.	Inhale through the nose, exhale through the mouth, and control rate of breathing.				
Demonstrate skip breathing (read aloud).					
6.	Take a regular breath and hold, take another breath, exhale, and repeat.				
7.	Exit hazardous atmosphere before depletion of air supply.				
8.	Notify command when clear of hazardous area.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 11: Clean and Sanitize SCBA

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Clean and sanitize SCBA.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your task is to demonstrate the proper method of cleaning and sanitizing an SCBA including back plate, bottle and facepiece.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean and check SCBA, given cleaning supplies and an assignment, so that SCBA is clean and maintained according to manufacturers or departmental guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and SCBA is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	SCBA, manufacturer approved mild soap, a triple sink or buckets, and a soft lint free cloth
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Clean and sanitize SCBA.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (water, mild soap as per manufacture, cloth).				
FACEPIECE					
2.	Inspect all rubber/elastomer parts for cracks and other damage.				
3.	Cover or remove communication equipment as needed.				
4.	Wash the assembly in warm water containing an approved cleaner.				
5.	Sanitize/disinfect the SCBA facepiece per manufacturer or departmental guidelines.				
6.	Rinse with clear, warm water.				
7.	Air dry or dry with a soft lint free cloth.				
8.	Ensure the proper operation of the exhalation valve.				
OTHER COMPONENTS & SCBA HARNESS					
9.	Clean the entire unit using a soft cloth or soft bristle brush and an approved cleaner/disinfectant.				
10.	Rinse thoroughly. Protect interior of regulator from excel water.				
	Allow to air dry.				
	Document and notify the appropriate personnel of any deficiencies found per departmental policy.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 12: Inspection of SCBA Unit

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Inspection of an SCBA unit.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Demonstrate the proper method of inspecting an SCBA, to include back plate, bottle, facepiece, and all related components.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Inspect SCBA, given an SCBA and face piece, so that SCBA is maintained according to manufacturers or departmental guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and SCBA is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	SCBA, including facepiece, and bottle.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Inspection of an SCBA unit.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (SCBA and a face piece to be inspected).				
2.	Verify cylinder pressure is above 90%.				
3.	Verify cylinder is within hydrostatic test date. Aluminum/steel /fully carbon wrapped – 5-year, Composite – 3 years.				
4.	Inspect cylinder for damage.				
5.	Inspect hose connections, hoses, gauges, and regulators for damage, wear, and attachment.				
6.	Inspect harness, webbing, straps, and buckles. (cracks or fraying)				
7.	Inspect facepiece (cracks, visibility, separation, and excessive wear).				
8.	Inspect exhalation valve and valve seat.				
9.	Verify valves are in correct position for donning.				
10.	Open cylinder valve.				
11.	Inspect for leaks including while moving air hoses.				
12.	Verify cylinder pressure aligns with remote gauges, within 100 psi.				
13.	Don face piece and initiate air flow to verify proper operation.				
14.	Check operation of bypass valve and mainline valve (if applicable).				
15.	Slightly pull face piece away from face and verify positive pressure operation.				
16.	Doff face piece.				
17.	Close cylinder valve and Slowly bleed air from system while observing remote gauge. Verify low air alarm sounds at 33%.				
18.	Check PASS for full operations.				
19.	Straps fully extended and valves in correct position for storage.				
20.	Document inspection as per AHJ protocols placing defective unites out of-service.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 13: Fire Extinguishers

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.16

TASK	Extinguish an Incipient Fire Using an Appropriate Portable Extinguisher.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a small-controlled fire in a flash pan, you shall select an appropriate portable fire extinguisher, demonstrate proper extinguisher handling techniques, and properly extinguish the fire.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Extinguish incipient Class A, Class B, and Class C fires, given a selection of portable extinguishers, so that the correct extinguisher is chosen, the fire is completely extinguished, and correct extinguisher handling techniques are followed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE, an incipient fire, and a selection of fire extinguishers.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 13: Fire Extinguishers

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.16

TASK		Extinguish an Incipient Fire Using an Appropriate Portable Extinguisher.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (Full PPE, appropriate extinguisher).				
2.	Select an appropriate extinguisher for the fuel type.				
3.	Ensure extinguisher is charged, pull pin.				
4.	Test to ensure proper operation prior to approaching fire.				
5.	Carry extinguisher to within stream reach of fire.				
6.	Aim nozzle at base of fire.				
7.	Discharge extinguishing agent swiping at base.				
8.	Make sure fire is out.				
9.	Back away from fire area, facing fire area.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 14: Hoist Tool/ Equipment

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.20

TASK	Correctly tie a variety of knots and hoist a tool and/or piece of equipment.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a tool/equipment hoisting scenario you will demonstrate your ability to hoist one tool as selected by the evaluator followed by tying the knots listed.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Tie an appropriate knot for hoisting tools, given personal protective equipment, tools, ropes, and an assignment so that the knots used are appropriate for hoisting tools securely and as directed. Demonstrate ability to correctly tie a variety of knots.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Helmet, structure gloves, 2 lengths of rope, axe, pike pole, smoke ejector, hose line (wet or dry), and a ladder (ground or roof).
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 14: Hoist Tool/ Equipment

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.1.2, 4.3.20

TASK		Correctly tie a variety of knots and hoist a tool and/or piece of equipment.					
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt			
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail		
Evaluator will Circle tool and/or piece of equipment selected for this skill:							
Axe (must be hoisted head down)						Pike Pole (must be hoisted head up)	
Smoke Ejector						Ground Ladder	
Hose Line (charged or uncharged)							
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.							
1.	Acknowledge the task assignment to evaluator.						
2.	Selects the required equipment needed (utility rope, tools, gloves and helmet).						
3.	Securely tie the appropriate knot(s) for the tool or equipment selected.						
4.	Correctly ties a safety knot when the end of the rope is used.						
5.	Communicate to Evaluator when task is complete, ready to be hoisted.						
6.	Hoist or have hoisted a tool and/or piece of equipment to a designated height.						
7.	Maintains control of object being hoisted to prevent it from swinging out of control while hoisting (tag line required except when hoisting hose line).						
8.	Evaluator ensures all the following knots can be tied correctly by requesting the candidate to tie all knot components that were not used in hoisting the tool.						
Evaluator to state which knot to tie, one knot at a time:							
10.	Bowline						
11.	Clove hitch						
12.	Half hitch						
13.	Figure eight on a bight						
14.	Overhand/Safety knot						
Notify evaluator when task is complete.							



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Skill Sheet 15: Clean and Check Ropes

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Clean and check ropes for wear, contamination, and damage.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given rope, cleaning supplies and a rope log or other local maintenance documentation you shall be able to properly clean, inspect, stow and document rope maintenance.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean and inspect rope, given cleaning supplies, and an assignment, so that rope is clean and maintained according to manufacturers or departmental guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and rope is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Rope, rope bag, bucket of water, approved soap, brush, and rope or maintenance log.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 15: Clean and Check Ropes

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Clean and check ropes for wear, contamination, and damage.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (gloves, water, approved soap, brush).				
2.	Establish a clean work area.				
3.	Examine the entire surface of the rope for cuts, abrasions, stains, or fraying.				
4.	Examine the inner component by twisting the rope or feeling for bunching and thinness.				
5.	Clean rope using department and manufacturer's specifications.				
6.	Allow rope to dry completely, or state rope must be allowed to dry.				
7.	Perform or verbalize additional inspection after drying.				
8.	Properly store rope using coil method or rope bag storage.				
9.	Record cleaning and inspection results as per local protocols.				
10	Place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise.				
11.	Explain departmental out of service protocol.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 16: V.E.I.S. Focused Primary Search

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK	Demonstrate the necessary skills to conduct a V.E.I.S. search.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a search and rescue scenario, working as a member of a team, and with obscured vision, you will demonstrate proper techniques of a V.E.I.S. search, and victim removal (if necessary). There may or may not be a victim in the area you are searching.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Conduct a search and rescue in a structure operating as a member of a team, given an assignment, obscured vision conditions, personal protective equipment, a flashlight, forcible entry tools, hose lines, and ladders when necessary, so that ladders are correctly placed when used, all assigned areas are searched, all victims are located and removed, team integrity is maintained, and team members' safety- including respiratory protection-is not compromised.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE, SCBA, method of obscuring vision (or dark area), forcible entry tools, TIC if available, hand lights, hose line if local SOGs dictate, and a ladder.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 16: V.E.I.S. Focused Primary Search

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK		Demonstrate the necessary skills to conduct a V.E.I.S. search.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator to circle the selected scenario A. B. C. or D.					
A	Firefighter victim with functioning SCBA				
B.	Firefighter victim with non-functioning SCBA.				
C.	Victim without respiratory protection.				
D.	No victim in the room.				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tools, TIC if available, hand lights, hose line if local SOGs dictate, a ladder if scenario includes search of the second story).				
2.	Size up the search options and select the appropriate tools and equipment.				
3.	Ensure team members are in full protective clothing and SCBA on air (Buddy check).				
4	Climb heated ladder placed in the rescue position (if needed) and assess for tenability of room.				
5.	Vent – break and clear window (water application straight stream to ceiling optional).				
6.	Enter – Sound floor and find door as conditions permit.				
7.	Isolate – Look outside door into hall way to access conditions them shut the door.				
8.	Search – complete a quick search of the room.				
9.	Maintains communication and relays progress to evaluator.				
10.	If located, remove victim in a safe manner protecting victim’s respiratory needs.				
11.	Address the need to complete the search after 1st victim is removed.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 17: Conduct a Complete Search

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK	Conduct a complete primary or secondary search.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a search and rescue scenario, working as a member of a team, and with obscured vision, you will demonstrate proper techniques of a primary or secondary search as directed and victim removal (if necessary). There may or may not be a victim in the area you are searching.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Conduct a search and rescue in a structure operating as a member of a team, given an assignment, obscured vision conditions, personal protective equipment, a flashlight, forcible entry tools, hose lines, and ladders when necessary, so that ladders are correctly placed when used, all assigned areas are searched, all victims are located and removed, team integrity is maintained, and team members' safety- including respiratory protection-is not compromised.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Full PPE, SCBA, method of obscuring vision (or dark area), forcible entry tools, TIC if available, hand lights, hose line if local SOGs dictate, and a portable radio.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 17: Conduct a Complete Search

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK		Demonstrate the necessary skills to conduct a V.E.I.S. search.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator to circle the selected scenario A. B. C. or D.					
A	Firefighter victim with functioning SCBA				
B.	Firefighter victim with non-functioning SCBA.				
C.	Victim without respiratory protection.				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, portable radio, forcible entry tools, TIC if available, hand lights, tag line or hose line if local SOGs dictate, ladders if scenario includes search of the second story).				
2.	Size up the search options and select the appropriate tool(s) and equipment.				
3.	Ensure team members are in full protective clothing and on air (buddy check).				
4	Establish, communicate and maintain an effective search pattern.				
5.	Open doors slowly, keeping control of the door, assess for tenability, close doors as you progress to maintain air flow path control and minimize O2 to the fire prior to cooling.				
6.	Conduct search appropriately for conditions (crawling, walking) assessing tenability.				
7.	Maintain team integrity audibly, visually, and/or tactually.				
8.	Notify command when victim is found.				
9.	Remove victim in a safe manner protecting victims respiratory needs.				
10.	Address the need to complete the search after 1st victim is removed.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 18: Exit Restricted Passage

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK	Exit restricted passage while wearing an SCBA
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario, working as a member of a team, and where your exit has been compromised, you need to find a different exit. You shall demonstrate the necessary skills to exit through a restricted passage, while wearing full protective clothing and SCBA on air.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Use self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) during emergency operations, given SCBA and other personal protective equipment, respiratory protection is not compromised, and hazardous areas are exited prior to depletion. The ability to use SCBA to exit through restricted passages.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A restricted passage such as a wall prop, full turnouts, SCBA, portable radio, and forcible entry tools.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 18: Exit Restricted Passage

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK		Exit restricted passage while wearing an SCBA			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle the scenario and method selected. Firefighter finds a restricted area they must pass through and must make an opening to seek refuge.					
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tool, and a portable radio).				
2.	Notifies Command that they have located a restricted area or are seeking refuge.				
A.	REMOVING BACKPACK METHOD				
3.	Remove SCBA backpack, not compromising face-piece seal or ability to breathe.				
4.	Push backpack through opening, maintaining control, and not compromising SCBA operation.				
5.	Enter opening, headfirst, proceeding through opening and clearing opening completely.				
6.	Redon SCBA backpack assembly.				
7.	Notify Command when obstacle is cleared.				
B.	OR, REDUCING PROFILE METHOD				
8.	Loosen straps as necessary to reduce profile by sliding tank to side.				
9.	Reduce profile further by removing one or both backpack harness straps (if necessary).				
10.	Proceed through opening maintaining control and not compromising SCBA operation.				
11.	Redon SCBA backpack assembly.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 19: Exit a Hazardous Area as a Team

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.5

TASK	Demonstrate the ability to exit a hazardous area as part of a team.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario, working as a member of a team, obscured vision, and a need to rapidly exit a hazardous area, you will demonstrate proper techniques of exiting a hazardous environment while maintaining team integrity.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Activate an emergency call for assistance, given vision obscured conditions, PPE, and department SOP's, so that the firefighter can be located and rescued. Exit a hazardous area as a team, given vision obscured conditions, so that a safe haven is found before exhausting the air supply, others are not endangered, and the team integrity is maintained.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	An area or room for scenario, method of obscuring vision (or dark area), full PPE, SCBA, portable radio, hose line leading out, and forcible entry tools
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 19: Exit a Hazardous Area as a Team

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.5

TASK		Demonstrate the ability to exit a hazardous area as part of a team.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
	Evaluator will circle the scenario and method selected.				
A.	Oriented Firefighter – Vision obscured but with the hand line.				
B.	Disoriented Firefighter – Vision obscured and confused as to their location.				
	Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.				
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA and forcible entry tools).				
2.	Identify the need to exit the hazardous environment.				
3.	Communicate and coordinate egress with team member.				
4.	Communicate Mayday and egress plan to Command / RIT L – Location U – Unit N – Names A – Assignment R – Resources Needed S – Situation				
5.	Utilize various methods of communicating emergency situation (Flashlights, sounds, hose tugs, etc.).				
6.	Follow egress plan maintaining crew integrity.				
	(If given Disoriented firefighter scenario)				
7.	If hose line is found, determine direction to exit and follow line out.				
8.	If wall is located, remain in contact and follow making consistent turns checking for doors and windows to exit.				
9.	Conserve air using teamwork.				
10.	Recognize area of safe refuge and communicate to Command if found.				
11.	Exit area before air supply is exhausted.				
	Notify evaluator when task is complete.				



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Skill Sheet 20: Force Entry Through a Door

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK	Force entry into a structure through a locked door.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a prop requiring forcible entry into a structure, you will demonstrate the ability to safely and effectively force entry through a locked door. This task may be simulated.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Force entry into a structure, given personal protective equipment, tools, and an assignment, so that tools are used as designed, the barrier is removed, and the opening is in a safe condition and ready for entry.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A forcible entry prop (if available), forcible entry tools, full PPE including eye protection, and SCBA.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 20: Force Entry Through a Door

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK		Force entry into a structure through a locked door.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed, (full PPE, SCBA, eye protection and forcible entry tools).				
2.	Selects the appropriate tools.				
3.	Safely carry the selected tools to the door.				
4.	Try the door to make sure locked before forcing.				
5.	Use hand and eye protection.				
6.	Demonstrate the appropriate technique based on door construction.				
7.	Clear opening of obstacles.				
8.	Notify Command when the door is cleared and ready for entry.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 21: Force Entry Through a Window

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK	Force entry into a structure through a window.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a prop requiring forcible entry into a structure you will demonstrate the ability to safely and effectively force entry through a window. This task may be simulated.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Force entry into a structure, given personal protective equipment, tools, and an assignment, so that tools are used as designed, the barrier is removed, and the opening is in a safe condition and ready for entry.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A window prop (if available), forcible entry tools, full PPE including eye protection, and SCBA.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 21: Force Entry Through a Window

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK		Force entry into a structure through a window.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed, (full PPE, SCBA, eye protection and forcible entry tools).				
2.	Selects the appropriate tools.				
3.	Safely carry the selected tools to the window.				
4.	Try the window to make sure locked before forcing.				
5.	Correctly size up the window.				
6.	Use hand and eye protection.				
7.	Demonstrate the appropriate technique based on window construction.				
8.	Stand upwind and notify personnel in the immediate area before breaking glass.				
Demonstrate the appropriate technique based on window construction.					
9.	Strike glass at upper corner of the pane with hands above the point of impact.				
10.	Strike glass in lower corner for tempered glass.				
11.	Remove remaining glass and obstacles.				
12.	Notify Command when the window is cleared and ready for entry.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 22: Force Entry Through a Wall

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK	Force entry into a structure through a wall.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a prop requiring forcible entry into a structure, you will demonstrate the ability to safely and effectively force entry through a wall. This task may be simulated.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Force entry into a structure, given personal protective equipment, tools, and an assignment, so that tools are used as designed, the barrier is removed, and the opening is in a safe condition and ready for entry.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A wall prop (if available), forcible entry tools, full PPE including eye protection, and SCBA.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 22: Force Entry Through a Wall

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.4

TASK		Force entry into a structure through a wall.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed, (full PPE, SCBA, eye protection and forcible entry tools).				
2.	Correctly size up the wall to be breached.				
3.	Identify breaching hazards.				
4.	Select the correct tools for the type of wall.				
5.	Demonstrate the appropriate technique based on wall construction.				
6.	Sound for studs and cut alongside if appropriate.				
7.	Make an appropriately sized opening.				
8.	Watch for utilities in wall while opening.				
9.	Clear the opening of obstacles.				
10	Notify Command when the wall breech is cleared and ready for entry.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 23: Clean and Inspect Tools

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Clean and inspect hand and power tools.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a selection of hand and power tools your task is to clean, inspect, and return tools to a ready state.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean and check hand and power tools, given cleaning tools, cleaning supplies, and an assignment, so that equipment is clean and maintained according to manufacturers or departmental guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and equipment is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A selection of tools listed below, cleaning and maintenance supplies, gloves, and eye protection.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 23: Clean and Inspect Tools

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Clean and inspect hand and power tools.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
The evaluator will select two hand tools and one power tool for this skill circle tools selected below.					
A.	Axe				
B.	Pike Pole				
C.	Halligan				
D.	Sledgehammer				
E.	Drill				
F.	Chain Saw				
G.	Reciprocating Saw				
Acknowledge the task assignment to evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed, (gloves and eye protection).				
2.	Establish a clean work area.				
Cleans and inspects each tool completing the appropriate guidelines on chart, next page.					
3.	Hand tool selection #1:				
3.	Hand tool selection #2:				
3.	Power tool selection:				
4.	Record cleaning and inspection results as per local protocols.				
5.	Place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise (explain out of service protocol).				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 23: Clean and Inspect Tools

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

CHECK TOOL TESTED.	TASK STEPS Cleaning and inspection reference chart	FIRST TEST		RETEST	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
	WOODEN HANDLES				
	Check for cracks, blisters, or splinters.				
	Sand wooden handles, if needed.				
	Clean with soapy water, rinse, and dry after use.				
	Apply coat of boiled linseed oil to the handle.				
	Check to ensure head is on tight.				
	FIBERGLASS HANDLES				
	Wash with warm, soapy water, dry with soft, dry cloth.				
	Check to ensure head is on tight.				
	CUTTING EDGES				
	Check to ensure cutting edge is free of nicks or tears.				
	File the edges by hand using a flat file (if needed).				
	PLATED SURFACES				
	Inspect for damage.				
	Wipe plated surface clean or wash with soap and water.				
	UNPROTECTED METAL SURFACES				
	Keep clean of rust.				
	Keep oiled when not in use (light machine oil will work).				
	Check to ensure not painted as this may hide cracks.				
	Check that metal surfaces are free of burred or sharp edges; file off burrs if found.				
	POWER TOOLS				
	Check tool for loose, broken, or missing components.				
	Check electric cords for damage (if applicable).				
	Check blades for sharpness and broken or missing cutters (if applicable).				
	Check that appropriate guards are in place and operate correctly.				
	Start tool and ensure proper operation.				



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Skill Sheet 24: Set up, Mount, Ascend, Dismount, and Descend Ground Ladders

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.6

TASK	Set up a ground ladder.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario and working as a member of a team to access a structure with an extension ground ladder you shall lift, carry, properly raise, and place the ground ladder for the assigned task.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Set up ground ladders, given single and extension ladders, an assignment, and team members if needed, so that hazards are assessed, the ladder is stable, the angle is correct for climbing, extension ladders are extended to the necessary height with the fly locked, the tip is placed against a reliable structural component, and the assignment is accomplished.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A structure with a second story and/or roof access, full PPE, SCBA, and a ground ladder.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 24: Set up, Mount, Ascend, Dismount, and Descend Ground Ladders

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.6

TASK		Set up a ground ladder.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle assigned task:					
A.	Window Ventilation: Placed alongside window on the windward (upwind) side, with tip even or slightly above top of window.				
B.	Rescue from window or entry through window: Tip of ladder should be placed just below the windowsill.				
C.	Work with hose with no entry: Tip placed on wall above window opening if no flames from window or at sill if flames out window.				
D.	Access roof: Placed against roof with 3 to 5 rungs above roof edge.				
Acknowledge the task assignment to evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA, and ladder).				
2.	Candidate selects the proper length ladder for the designated task.				
3.	Candidate informs team member which of the following methods of carry should be utilized and carries it safely to appropriate site.				
a.	Low Shoulder				
b.	High Shoulder				
c.	Arm’s length				
d.	Flat Carry				
4.	Determine wall or roof will support the ladder.				
5.	Visually check the work area for ground hazards, overhead wires or obstructions, and state if the area is clear to raise the ladder.				
6.	Properly raise the ladder upright in a safe manner.				
7.	Extend, and secure (lock) fly section.				
8.	Ensure correct fly placement, rotating the ladder if necessary.				
9.	Adjust for correct climbing angle, readjusts ladder as needed for correct position.				
10.	Secure the halyard with a clove-hitch and safety or round turn and two half hitches.				
11.	Mount, ascend, dismount, and descend the ladder as needed to complete the assigned task.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 25: Deploy a Roof Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.12

TASK	Deploy a roof ladder on a pitched roof.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scripted scenario with a properly placed and secured ground ladder for access, you shall demonstrate the proper deployment and placement of a roof ladder on a pitched roof.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to transport and deploy roof ladders on pitched roofs while secured to a ground ladder.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A structure or prop with pitched roof access, full PPE, SCBA, a properly placed and secured (or heeled) ground ladder, and a roof ladder.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 25: Deploy a Roof Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.12

TASK		Deploy a roof ladder on a pitched roof.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA, and a roof ladder).				
2.	Carry the roof ladder to the ladder that is to be ascended.				
3.	Lay roof ladder down and open the hooks.				
4.	Check for proper climbing angle of the ladder to be ascended.				
5.	Ensure ladder to be ascended is heeled and secure with locks engaged.				
6.	Raise roof ladder and rest it against the ladder to be climbed or against the building hooks facing away from ladder or toward roof.				
7.	Climb the ladder until the shoulder is about two rungs above the midpoint of the roof ladder.				
8.	Reach through the rungs of the roof ladder and hoists it onto the shoulder. (Hooks should now be facing away from your body and the ladder being climbed).				
9.	Ascend the ladder until roof line is approximately at your chest level.				
10	Candidate is secured to ladder during roof ladder deployment. (Candidate must state AHJ protocol, leg lock, belt,).				
11.	Takes the roof ladder off shoulder and lays it on the roof with the hooks down or pointed away.				
12.	Push the roof ladder, hand over hand toward the peak of the roof.				
13.	Ensure that the hooks catch securely over the peak of the roof.				
14.	Retrieves the ladder and safely lowers to ground.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 26: Rescue Utilizing a Ground Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK	Perform a rescue from the second story utilizing a ground ladder.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario at a simulated structure fire, you shall be able to demonstrate an evaluator selected rescue from a second story window.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to set up and use different types of ladders for various types of rescue operations, rescue a firefighter with functioning respiratory protection, rescue a firefighter whose respiratory protection is not functioning, rescue a person who has no respiratory protection, and assess areas to determine tenability.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Access to a 2nd story window on a structure or training tower, Full PPE, SCBA, ground ladder, rescue mannequin. Rescue manikin is needed, a live person is NOT to be used for this skill.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	4 (one heeling ladder, two inside structure to help with victim (rescue mannequin), and one Safety Officer.)

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Skill Sheet 26: Rescue Utilizing a Ground Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.9

TASK		Perform a rescue from the second story utilizing a ground ladder.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle scenario selected:					
A.	Firefighter victim with functioning SCBA.				
B.	Firefighter victim with non-functioning SCBA.				
C.	Victim without respiratory protection.				
Rescue manikin is needed, a live person is NOT to be used for this skill.					
Acknowledge the task assignment to evaluator.					
9.	Selects the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA, and a ground ladder).				
10	Ensure ladder to be ascended is heeled.				
11.	Climbs ladder in a safe manner.				
12.	Communicates to firefighters inside the structure choice of rescue carry.				
13.	Stay in control with good contact to the ladder during rescue.				
14.	Demonstrate the ability to stop and secure victim against the ladder.				
15.	Complete the descent until victim is secured by ground personnel.				
16.	Exit the ladder and notify command of status.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 27: Clean and Inspect Ladders

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Clean and inspect ladders.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You shall demonstrate the ability to properly clean and inspect a fire department ladder.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean and check ladders, given cleaning tools, cleaning supplies, and an assignment, so that equipment is cleaned and maintained according to manufacturers or department guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and equipment is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Sawhorse or table, gloves, water, approved soap & solvents, brush, towels.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 27: Clean and Inspect Ladders

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Clean and inspect ladders.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (sawhorses or table, gloves, water, approved soap & solvents, brush, towels).				
2.	Establish a clean work area.				
3.	Place ladder for cleaning and inspection on elevated surface.				
4.	Remove dirt with brush and running water.				
5.	Use mild soap or approved solvents to remove any oily and greasy residue.				
6.	Rinse and wipe dry.				
7.	Examine all beams, guides, halyard, cables, pawls, pulleys, rails, rungs, bolts, rivets, welds, heat indicator, and movable parts. Identifies verbally the parts by name during the inspection.				
8.	Check lubrication of moveable parts and lubricate, if necessary.				
9.	Record cleaning and inspection results as per local protocols.				
10	Place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise (explain out of service protocol).				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 28: Transitional Attack with Horizontal Ventilation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10, 6.3.11

TASK	Perform a transitional attack with horizontal ventilation.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a structure fire scenario requiring horizontal ventilation and a transitional fire attack your task is to ventilate a room via a window externally while demonstrating and coordinating proper cooling and flow path techniques.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Attack an interior structure fire operating as a member of a team, given an attack line, ladder, personal protective equipment, tools, an assignment, so that team integrity is properly maintained, the attack line is deployed for advancement, ladders are correctly placed, access is gained into the fire area, hazards are recognized and managed, and the fire is brought under control. Perform horizontal ventilation while operating as a member of a team, given an assignment, personal protective equipment, ventilation tools and equipment, so that the ventilation openings are free of obstructions, tools are used as designed, and the structure is cleared of smoke.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A structure with a window or a window prop, full PPE, SCBA, charged hose line, forcible entry/ventilation tools.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 28: Transitional Attack with Horizontal Ventilation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10, 6.3.11

TASK		Perform a transitional attack with horizontal ventilation.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	State the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA, charged hose line, forcible entry/ventilation tools).				
2.	Select the appropriate tools for task.				
3.	Safely carry the selected tools and hose line to the window.				
4.	Ensure hose line is charged, bled and nozzle pattern is adjusted to a straight stream.				
5.	Position yourself on the upwind side of window with ventilation tools ready.				
6.	Ensure all PPE is in place (Buddy check).				
7.	Notify Command you are in position and ready for ventilation and initial cooling.				
8.	Upon order from command to ventilate initiate SCBA air flow.				
9.	Coordinate with interior team, maintaining proper flow path control.				
10	Strike glass at upper corner with hands above point of impact.				
11.	Remove remaining glass from frame and any window obstructions.				
12.	If requested by command, cool the heated space from the safest location using a solid or straight stream applied in short bursts. to				
13.	Communicate to command that ventilation/cooling is initiated and if effective.				
14.	Protect eave and exposures as interior fire attack takes place.				
Evaluator will clarify when interior attack is complete.					
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 29: Vertical Ventilation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.12

TASK	Perform vertical ventilation on a flat or pitched roof.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a structure fire scenario requiring vertical ventilation your task is to ventilate a structure via a rooftop vent hole on a flat or pitched roof while demonstrating proper roof safety practices.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Perform vertical ventilation on a structure as part of a team, given an assignment, personal protective equipment, ground and roof ladders, and tools, so that ladders are positioned for ventilation, a specified opening is created, all ventilation barriers are removed, structural integrity is not compromised, products of combustion are released from the structure, and the team retreats from the area when ventilation is accomplished.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Flat or pitched roof prop, Full PPE, SCBA, ground and roof ladders, pick-head axe, pike pole, chainsaw, and k-12 (if available).
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	2 (one to heel ladder, one on roof with candidate).

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Skill Sheet 29: Vertical Ventilation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.12

TASK		Perform vertical ventilation on a flat or pitched roof.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle the selected scenario					
A.	Flat Roof				
B.	Pitched Roof				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA, ventilation tools, and ladders).				
2.	Select the appropriate tools for the task.				
3.	Start gas saws to ensure operation before ascending ladder.				
4.	Safely carry the selected tools to the ladder and direct someone to heel the ladder.				
5.	Ascend the ladder, with selected tools or utilize hoisting, check roof integrity by sounding roof prior to stepping off ladder.				
6.	Move tools to roof utilizing teamwork sounding roof as the team advances.				
7.	Utilize a roof ladder for footing if conditions or roof pitch indicate.				
8.	Locate and mark roof supports at desired point by sounding with a pick head axe.				
9.	Make an appropriate size vent hole. (Away cut, top cut, bottom cut, near cut).				
10.	Notify command the cuts are made and wait for order to open the vent hole.				
Evaluator gives command to open vent hole.					
11.	Clear opening by removing roof material or hinging roof panel.				
12.	Push ceiling through ensure the flow path is effective.				
13.	Have team exit roof immediately with deployed tools after completing ventilation making sure the ladder is heeled.				
14.	Notify command when ventilation is complete, and your team is off the roof.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 30: Connect an Engine Supply Line to a Hydrant

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.15

TASK	Connect a fire department pumper to a hydrant.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You shall demonstrate hand laying and properly connecting a supply hose to a hydrant and furnishing water to a fire department pumper.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Connect a fire department apparatus to water supply as a member of a team, given supply hose, hose tools, and a fire hydrant, so that connections are tight, and flow is unobstructed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Fire department apparatus, fire hydrant, supply hose, hydrant and hose tools, full PPE.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1 (Pump Operator)

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Skill Sheet 30: Connect an Engine Supply Line to a Hydrant

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.15

TASK		Connect a fire department pumper to a hydrant.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE, supply hose, hydrant wrench and spanners).				
2.	Hand-lay supply hose between the hydrant and fire apparatus ensuring hose is not tangled.				
3.	Flush hydrant to ensure no debris enters pumper.				
4.	Connect supply hose to hydrant.				
5.	Verify pump operator is ready for water.				
6.	Slowly open hydrant fully to avoid water hammer.				
7.	Remove kinks (if any) from charged hose.				
Evaluator instructs candidate to close hydrant.					
8.	Fully close the hydrant.				
9	Verify proper hydrant drainage with vacuum test.				
10.	Drain hose and place all equipment and hydrant in a ready state.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 31: Prepare for Drafting Operations

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.15

TASK	Prepare and initiate drafting operations.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a simulated fire scene that requires drafting from a static water source, you will demonstrate how to establish a drafting operation while working in conjunction with a pump operator.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Connect a fire department pumper to a water supply as a member of a team, given supply hose, hose tools, and a fire hydrant, so that connections are tight, and flow is unobstructed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Static water source (canal, portable drop tank etc.), fire department pumper with drafting capability, hard suction hose, hose tools, rubber mallet, rope, and full PPE.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 31: Prepare for Drafting Operations

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.15

TASK		Prepare and initiate drafting operations.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE, hard suction hose, spanners, rope).				
2.	Deploy drop tanks and transfer equipment or select appropriate drafting site.				
3.	Check gaskets on the hard-suction hose for dirt, gravel, or defects.				
4.	Connect strainer to hard suction hose.				
5.	Fasten rope to strainer to aid in handling the hose.				
6.	Couple two sections of hard suction hose.				
7.	Remove steamer port cap or valve.				
8.	Connect hard suction hose to pumper.				
9.	Use rubber mallet and/or spanner (as appropriate) to ensure air-tight connections.				
10	Lower hose and strainer into static water source.				
11.	Signal pump operator to start drafting procedure.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 32: Attack Line up a Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK	Advance an attack line up a Ladder into a Window or onto the Roof.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a structure fire scenario requiring a hose line in an elevated position to be determined by evaluator, acting as the nozzle person you shall advance the attack line up a ladder to second floor or roof and advance the attack line a minimum of 20 feet.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Attack an interior structure fire operating as a member of a team, given an attack line, ladder, personal protective equipment, tools, an assignment, so that team integrity is properly maintained, the attack line is deployed for advancement, ladders are correctly placed, access is gained into the fire area, hazards are recognized and managed, and the fire is brought under control.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A structure with a window and/or roof access, fire department pumper, ground ladder, full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tool, 1 ½" – 1 ¾" hose line, hose straps, webbing or rope.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	2 (one assistant, one pump operator)

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Skill Sheet 32: Attack Line up a Ladder

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK		Advance an attack line up a Ladder into a Window or onto the Roof.							
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt					
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail				
Evaluator will circle the selected scenario:									
Through a Window									
A.	Charged Line								
B.	Uncharged Line								
Onto a Roof									
A.	Charged Line								
B.	Uncharged Line								
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.									
1.	Select the required equipment needed (ladder, full PPE & SCBA, 1 ½" or larger attack line, forcible entry tool, hose strap, rope, or webbing).								
2.	Deploy attack line from the pumper in a safe manner.								
3.	Verify that all hose has cleared the bed.								
4.	Ensure the ladder is correctly positioned for task, is heeled or secured for climbing, and initiate SCBA airflow.								
5.	Call for water (if given the charged line scenario/fire is near window or roof).								
6.	Advance hose up the ladder (with the nozzle draped over the shoulder, nozzle to the back for uncharged/ holding the nozzle for charged line)								
7.	Position firefighters on ladder to assist with hose advancement/position for entry. Ensure they are all on the same side of the hose.								
8.	Assess floor or roof for soundness with forcible entry tool.								
9.	Enter the widow or roof and advance hose 20 feet.								
10.	Ensure crew members on ladder bump up one position and secure/leg lock into ladder.								
11.	Secure hose to ladder prior to fire attack with hose strap, rope, or webbing.								
12.	Call for water (if given uncharged line scenario).								
13.	Open and close nozzle slowly to prevent water hammer.								
Notify evaluator when task is complete.									



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Skill Sheet 33: Roll Fire Hose

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK	Return fire hose to a ready state.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your task is to demonstrate two methods of rolling fire hose from the following choices: straight, donut, twin donut, self-locking twin donut.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean, inspect, and return fire hose to service.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	1 pumper for hose loading, 1 loose roll of hose, gloves.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 33: Roll Fire Hose

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK		Return fire hose to a ready state.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (gloves).				
RETURN HOSE TO SERVICE.					
Roll hose by two different rolls selected by candidate.					
A.	Straight				
B.	Donut				
C.	Twin Donut				
D.	Self-Locking Twin Donut				
2.	Correctly roll 1st selection (circle one) A B C D				
3.	Correctly roll 2nd selection (circle one) A B C D				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 34: Load Supply Line

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK	Return fire hose to a ready state.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your task is to demonstrate loading one supply line: accordion, horseshoe, or flat load.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean, inspect, and return fire hose to service.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	1 pumper for hose loading, 1 loose roll of hose, gloves.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	2

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Skill Sheet 34: Load Supply Line

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK		Return fire hose to a ready state.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (gloves).				
RETURN HOSE TO SERVICE.					
3.	Load a supply line load from the candidate selected options.				
A.	Accordion				
B.	Horseshoe				
C.	Flat				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 35: Extend or Repair an Attack Line

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK	Extend an attack line or repair a burst in a 1 ½" or 1 ¾" line.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You are the senior firefighter on an attack line, you will be given a scenario once water flow has been initiated of either a burst hose, or a need to extend a hose line during operations.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to prevent water hammer when shutting down nozzles, open, close and adjust nozzle flow and patterns, extend hose lines, replace burst sections, uncouple various handline connections, and carry hose.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Charged attack line, 2 additional hose rolls, spanners, hose clamp, full PPE.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 35: Extend or Repair an Attack Line

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK		Extend an attack line or repair a burst in a 1 ½" or 1 ¾" line.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle the selected scenario.					
A.	Extend an attack line				
B.	Repair a burst in an attack line				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed, (full PPE, additional rolls of hose, spanners, hose clamp).				
2.	Candidate starts by opening the nozzle of a stretched attack line.				
Evaluator will communicate the selected scenario situation.					
A.	Extend the line.				
B.	Identify the section of hose that burst.				
3.	Candidate communicates to the pump operator the line to be shut down or applies a hose clamp slowly to prevent water hammer.				
4.	Gathers addition hose rolls needed to repair or extent the line.				
If option A. is chosen:					
5.	Bleeds pressure and removes nozzle.				
6.	Connects additional length(s) of hose ensuring it is not kinked or tangled, reattach nozzle.				
If option B. is chosen:					
7.	Breaks the hose couplings loose and removes burst hose, replaces 1 burst hose with 2 good lengths ensuring it is not kinked or tangled.				
Both options:					
8.	Secure nozzle, call or signal for water, bleed air from the attack line slowly and adjust nozzle for desired stream.				
9.	Extends the attack line to the fire.				
10.	Drain and restores attack line to the original length when directed.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 36: Clean and Inspect Fire Hose

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK	Clean and inspect fire hose.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your task is to clean, inspect and place fire hose in a ready state.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean, inspect, and return fire hose to service, given washing equipment, water, detergent, tools, and replacement gaskets, so that damage is noted and corrected, the hose is clean, and the equipment is placed in a ready state for service.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Fire hose, gloves, eye protection, water, approved soap, brush
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 36: Clean and Inspect Fire Hose

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.2

TASK		Clean and inspect fire hose.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (gloves, eye protection, water, approved soap, brush).				
CLEAN HOSE:					
2.	Clean hose using water and scrub brush (mild detergent may be used) Rinse thoroughly.				
3.	Clean couplings by removing gaskets, wash with warm, soapy water, and reinstall gaskets (replacing if defective).				
4.	State that hose should be dried out of direct sunlight.				
INSPECT HOSE:					
5.	Check for signs of mechanical damage.				
6.	Check for dirt and debris.				
7.	Check for loose couplings.				
8.	Check for damaged male or female threads.				
9.	Check to see that swivel operates freely.				
10.	Record cleaning and inspection results as per local protocols.				
11.	Place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise.				
12.	Explain your AHJ out of service protocol to mark any defective hose.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 37: Attack a Passenger Vehicle Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.7

TASK	Attack and extinguish a passenger vehicle fire.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a scenario of a simulated vehicle fire and while operating as nozzleman, your task is to attack, properly extinguish, and overhaul the fire.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Attack a passenger vehicle fire operating as a member of a team, given personal protective equipment, attack line, and hand tools, so that hazards are avoided, leaking flammable liquids are identified and controlled, protection from flash fires is maintained, all vehicle compartments are overhauled, and the fire is extinguished.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Vehicle or prop to simulate vehicle fire, fire department pumper, forcible entry tools, full PPE, SCBA and hose line.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	2 (One assistant, One pump operator)

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Skill Sheet 37: Attack a Passenger Vehicle Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.7

TASK		Attack and extinguish a passenger vehicle fire.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Selects the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tools, and 1-1/2 inch or larger hose line).				
2.	Firefighter shall identify the fuel type and other hazards associated with vehicle fires.				
3.	Position for attack upwind and out of any product runoff.				
4.	Bleed line and adjust nozzle stream for effectiveness while maintaining flash fire protection, extinguish ground fires around and under the vehicle.				
5.	Approach vehicle from an angle (avoids placing crew in front of bumpers or near gas-charged hood shocks, or directly in front of tires until cooled) using fog stream to push heat away from crew.				
6.	Attack the remaining fire in the vehicle starting with the passenger compartment, gaining access needed to expose any hidden fires.				
7.	Issue an “all clear” when it is determined no occupants are in vehicle, or occupants are removed.				
8.	Protect exposures, if present.				
9.	Overhaul the fire scene (simulate overhaul if applicable).				
10	Contains any leaking products.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 38: Extinguish a Class A Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.8

TASK	Extinguish a class A materials fire.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a simulated exterior fire scenario involving Class A materials, your task while operating as nozzleman is to attack and extinguish the fire.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Extinguish fires in exterior class A materials, given fires in stacked or piled and small unattached structures or storage containers that can be fought from the exterior, attack lines, hand tools, and an assignment, so that exposures are protected, the spread of fire is stopped, collapse hazards are avoided, water application is effective, the fire is extinguished, and signs of the origin(s) area and arson are preserved.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Simulated stacked class A materials, and/or dumpster, full PPE, SCBA, pike pole or trash hook and a charged hose line.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 38: Extinguish a Class A Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.8

TASK		Extinguish a class A materials fire.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
The Evaluator will circle the selected scenario:					
A.	Pile or stack of class A material				
B.	Dumpster/trash container fire				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, pike pole or trash hook and a hose line).				
2.	Properly wear full protective equipment including SCBA on air.				
3.	Ensure team member is in full protective equipment (buddy check).				
4.	Properly bleed attack line and adjust nozzle to an appropriate stream pattern for maximum penetration.				
5.	Position for attack from upwind location.				
6.	Assesses danger of potential collapse of stacked material and other inherent hazards.				
7.	Protect exposures (if present).				
8.	Approach the fire using a fog pattern for protection from heat if needed.				
9.	Extinguish the fire using proper tools and methods for breaking up material.				
10.	Overhaul fire scene to expose hidden fires and to ensure complete extinguishment while observing and protecting signs of cause and origin.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 39: Ground Cover Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.19

TASK	Combat a Ground Cover Fire
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Your assigned task is to assess and combat a simulated ground cover fire that will be marked out with flagging and/or tape while monitoring safety and utilizing LCES.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Combat a ground cover fire operating as a member of a team, given protective clothing, SCBA (if needed), hose lines, extinguishers or hand tools, and an assignment, so that threats to property are reported, threats to personal safety are recognized, retreat is quickly accomplished when warranted, and the assignment is completed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A small field or lawn, flagging or tape, wildland PPE, hand tools and hose line.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 39: Ground Cover Fire

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.19

TASK		Combat a Ground Cover Fire			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
Evaluator has candidate describe the components of LCES:					
1.	Lookout				
	Communications				
	Escape Routes				
	Safety Zones				
2.	State the required equipment needed (wildland PPE, hand tools and hose line).				
3.	Wear full protective PPE, wild land protective clothing preferred.				
4.	Perform an assessment based on fuel load, terrain and fire behavior to establish an anchor point and attack plan.				
5.	Determine exposure threats based on fire spread potential and protect exposures. Threats to properly are properly reported.				
6.	Construct a fire line or extinguish with hand tools				
7.	Perform a direct attack and suppress ground cover fires using water.				
8.	Threats to personal safety are recognized, retreat is quickly accomplished when warranted. Maintains integrity of established fire lines				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 40: Interior Fire Attack Ground Level

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

Candidates are required to meet the requirements of NFPA 1403 6.3.1 and 6.3.2, before admittance to a live fire FST IFSC testing event is allowed.

TASK	Attack and extinguish a ground level structure fire.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given an interior structure fire at ground level, your task, operating as a nozzleman is to simulate the attack of a ground level structure fire.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to prevent water hammer when shutting down nozzles, open, close and adjust nozzle flow and patterns, apply water using direct, indirect, and combination attacks, attack fires at grade level and above and below grade levels, and locate and suppress interior wall and subfloor fires.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Structure or prop capable of a ground level fire attack, full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tools, 1 ½" – 1¾" hose line.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 40: Interior Fire Attack Ground Level

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK		Attack and extinguish a ground level structure fire.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tools, 1 ½” – 1¾” or larger hose line).				
2.	Advance attack line to the instructed structure entrance. Place nozzle near the door.				
3.	Pull extra hose for quick advancement keeping it untangled / unkinked.				
4.	Check the door for heat starting at bottom of door working up to the top.				
5.	Call for water, bleed air and adjust nozzle pattern. Open and close nozzle to avoid water hammer.				
6.	Complete a crew PPE check (Buddy check) and communicate to Command that you are in position.				
7.	Initiate SCBA air flow when given the order to enter by Command (Evaluator).				
8.	Open the door slowly maintaining control and ensure door is controlled as you advance to limit O2 to the fire prior to cooling.				
9.	Advance hose line as conditions dictate (get lower as heat increases, or visibility decreases).				
10.	Monitor fire conditions as you advance, cooling only as needed with minimal thermal disruptions by controlling nozzle pattern.				
11.	When needed, cool the heated space from the safest location using straight stream short bursts to the ceiling.				
12.	Transition to a direct attack on the seat of the fire, communicate knock down to command and ventilation/flow path control team.				
13.	Completes fire knockdown while observing and protecting signs of cause and origin.				
14.	Remove hose line and hand tools from the structure.				
15.	Notify Command upon exiting structure with all team members accounted for.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 41: Interior Fire Attack from a Protected Stairwell

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK	Attack and extinguish a structure fire from a protected stairwell.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given a simulated interior structure fire scenario above or below grade, your task, operating as a nozzleman is to simulate the attack of a structure fire while operating from a protected stairwell.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	The ability to prevent water hammer when shutting down nozzles, open, close and adjust nozzle flow and patterns, apply water using direct, indirect, and combination attacks, attack fires at grade level and above and below grade levels, and locate and suppress interior wall and subfloor fires.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Structure or prop with at minimum one flight of stairs, capable of either/or an above or below grade fire attack, full PPE, SCBA, forcible entry tools, 1 ½" – 1 ¾" hose line.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 41: Interior Fire Attack from a Protected Stairwell

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.10

TASK		Attack and extinguish a structure fire from a protected stairwell.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Evaluator will circle the selected scenario:					
A.	ABOVE GROUND: Charged Line				
B.	ABOVE GROUND: Uncharged Line				
C.	BELOW GROUND: Charged Line				
D.	BELOW GROUND: Uncharged Line				
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
2.	Select the required equipment needed (full PPE & SCBA, 1 ½ or larger attack line, forcible entry tool, TIC if available).				
3.	Deploy and advance an attack line into a stairway.				
4.	Position firefighter(s) when available at a critical point(s) to advance the hose.				
5.	Advance to the fire floor, keeping hose to the outside wall. Place nozzle near door.				
6.	Pull extra hose for quick advancement keeping it untangled / unkninked.				
7.	Check the door for heat starting at bottom of door working to the top.				
8.	(Call for water if uncharged line scenario) Bleed air and adjust nozzle pattern. Open and close nozzle to avoid water hammer.				
9.	Complete a crew PPE check (Buddy check) and communicate to Command that you are in position.				
10.	Initiate SCBA air flow when given the order to enter by Command.				
11.	Open the door slowly maintaining control and ensure door is controlled as you advance to limit O2 to the fire prior to cooling.				
12.	Advance hose line as per the conditions dictate (get lower as heat increases, or visibility decreases).				
13.	Locate and suppress interior wall and subfloor fires. Monitor fire conditions as you advance, cooling only as needed with minimal thermal disruptions by controlling nozzle pattern.				
14.	When needed, cool the heated space from the safest location using straight stream short bursts to the ceiling.				
15.	Transition to a direct attack on the seat of the fire, communicate knock down to command and door / ventilation control.				
16.	Completes fire knockdown while observing and protecting signs of cause and origin.				
17.	Notify Command upon exiting structure with all team members accounted for.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 42: Turn Off Secure Building Utilities

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.18

TASK	Locate and properly turn off the utilities to a structure.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given an emergency scenario and orders from command, locate two utilities selected by the evaluator, and demonstrate how to properly secure utilities to a structure.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Turn off building utilities, given tools and an assignment, so that the assignment is safely completed.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A structure with a minimum of two of the listed utilities, Full PPE, SCBA if scenario is in IDLH.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 42: Turn Off Secure Building Utilities

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.18

TASK		Locate and properly turn off the utilities to a structure.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
	Evaluator asks candidate to locate and secure at least two of the following utilities:				
A.	Electrical - main panel "off"				
	Secured - main breakers to "off"				
B.	Natural gas - meter				
	Secured - meter valve to "off"				
C.	LPG/CNG - tank/cylinder				
	Secured - turn valve clockwise to close				
D.	Water - meter box				
	Secured - closed or ¼ turn valve				
	Acknowledge the task assignment to evaluator.				
1.	Select the required equipment needed (Full PPE, SCBA if scenario is in IDLH).				
2.	Locate the utility service connection.				
3.	Secure the utility and assess for related hazards.				
	Notify evaluator when task is complete.				



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Skill Sheet 43: Overhaul a Fire Scene

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.13

TASK	Overhaul a fire scene.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given an emergency scenario operating at the scene of a simulated structure fire, you shall properly perform overhaul so that hidden fires are discovered and extinguished with any evidence present preserved.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Overhaul a fire scene, given personal protective equipment, attack line, hand tools, a flashlight, and an assignment, so that structural integrity is not compromised, all hidden fires are discovered, fire cause evidence is preserved, and the fire is extinguished.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Location to simulate overhaul in a structure, full PPE, SCBA, hose line, TIC, forcible entry tools
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 43: Overhaul a Fire Scene

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.13

TASK		Overhaul a fire scene.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (Full turnouts, SCBA, hose line, TIC, forcible entry tools).				
2.	Select proper equipment and extinguishing agent for the overhaul according to scenario.				
3.	Enter overhaul area wearing full protective equipment and SCBA on air with the appropriate tools and hose line.				
4.	Locate hidden fires by sight, touch (through gloves), sound, or thermal imaging camera.				
5.	Deploy and operate an attack line Applying water for maximum effectiveness				
6.	Expose hidden fires in ceiling, walls, and/or floors, opening only as large as needed to ensure structural integrity is not compromised.				
7.	Remove or extinguish burning objects. Apply limited amounts of water for maximum effectiveness and minimal water damage.				
8.	Recognize and preserve evidence or signs of origin and cause.				
9.	Ensure overhaul is complete.				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 44: Property Conservation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.14

TASK	Demonstrate property conservation techniques.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You shall prepare and deploy a salvage cover after you choose one of the four options listed, then while operating as a member of a team at a simulated fire scene, you shall properly perform property conservation operations.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Conserve property as a member of a team, given salvage tools and equipment and an assignment, so that the building and its contents are protected from further damage.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	Salvage cover, pike poles (2), sprinkler wedges and a previously activated sprinkler head, Full PPE, SCBA
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 44: Property Conservation

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.14

TASK		Demonstrate property conservation techniques.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Select the required equipment needed (salvage cover, clean area for preparation).				
Prepare and deploy a salvage cover using one of the options listed below (circle choice made by candidate):					
A.	One firefighter spread (roll or fold)				
B.	Two firefighters spread (roll or fold)				
2.	Arrange furnishings in a close pile and raised off the floor, if possible.				
3.	Cover the furnishings using the salvage cover folded or rolled, ensuring sides are tucked in.				
4.	Construct or perform one of the tasks below specified by evaluator. (Circle one specified):				
A.	Construct Water Catch-All				
B.	Construct a Water Chute				
C.	Stop flowing sprinkler head using wedges or stopper				
D.	Operate Sprinkler System Main Valve				
E.	Cover building openings such as doors, windows, holes in roof or floor				
F.	Remove charred material while protecting cause and determination evidence.				
5.	Roll and fold salvage covers for reuse				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 45: Clean and Inspect Salvage Equipment

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK	Clean and inspect Salvage Equipment.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	Given the salvage equipment and/or tarps and cleaning supplies you have been supplied with you will demonstrate the proper procedure for cleaning and inspecting salvage equipment.
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Clean and check salvage equipment given cleaning tools, supplies and an assignment, so that equipment is cleaned and maintained according to manufacturers or departmental guidelines, maintenance is recorded, and equipment is placed in a ready state or reported otherwise.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	A clean work area (preferably out of the sun) Gloves, water, approved soap, brush, and a salvage cover.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	1

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Skill Sheet 45: Clean and Inspect Salvage Equipment

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.5.1

TASK		Clean and inspect Salvage Equipment.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	State the required equipment needed (gloves, water, approved soap, brush).				
2.	Establish a clean work area.				
3.	Spread the salvage cover out flat for cleaning.				
4.	Clean provided salvage equipment with brush using approved soaps and solvents.				
5.	Rinse cover thoroughly.				
6.	Hang salvage cover to dry as per local protocols (out of sunlight preferred).				
7.	Check the cover thoroughly for damage by looking for holes or tears. Use department procedure for indicating repair needed.				
8.	Properly fold and store salvage covers as per AHJ (candidate states it must be dry).				
9.	Record cleaning and inspection results as per local protocols.				
10	Place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise (explain out of service protocol).				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					



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Skill Sheet 46: Operate an Air-Monitoring Instrument

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.21

TASK	Operate an air-monitoring instrument.
CANDIDATE DIRECTIVE	You will demonstrate the ability to operate an air monitor, recognize the alarms, and react to the alarms of the air monitor to mitigate a hazard. Do you have any questions?
NFPA REQUISITE SKILL	Operate an air-monitoring instrument, given an air monitor and an assignment or task, so that the device is operated, and the fire fighter recognizes the high- or low-level alarms of the air monitor and takes action to mitigate the hazard.
REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	4-gas meter or trainer and appropriate PPE for the suspected hazard.
REQUIRED ASSISTANTS	0

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Skill Sheet 46: Operate an Air-Monitoring Instrument

Standard: NFPA 1010, 2024 edition

Objective: 6.3.21

TASK		Operate an air-monitoring instrument.			
No.	Task Steps	1 st Attempt		2 nd Attempt	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
Acknowledge the task assignment to Evaluator.					
1.	Ensures appropriate PPE and respiratory protection				
2.	State the required equipment needed (4 gas meter or trainer)				
3.	Remove meter from charging cable or cradle.				
4.	Make sure meter is in an uncontaminated atmosphere.				
5.	Turn on meter and allow it to go through the startup process.				
6.	Explains the purpose of a bump test to ensure the meter is functioning properly				
7.	Zero or fresh air calibrate meter.				
8.	Verify LEL and toxic sensors are 0, and O2 is between 20.8 and 21.0 %				
9.	Student will monitor high medium and low at a pace allowing the meter to respond.				
10	Student will verbalize actions to take when the meter enters an alarm according to AHJ policy				
11.	Shuts down meter and ensures monitor is appropriately decontaminated				
12.	Replace on charging cable or cradle.				
13.	Accurately documents monitoring, detection, and sampling results				
Notify evaluator when task is complete.					