

PEA RIDGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

CORE COMPETENCY DRILL



Hazardous Material—Decontamination

DESCRIPTION AND EXPECTED PERFORMANCE: To perform a setup of formal decontamination equipment and run through of procedures. Each member should be able to help perform ground support operations of the Haz -Mat Team during incidents. The Formal Decon. Setup is usually between the Red Zone and Warm Zone; and then moving cleaned victims to the green.

Length: 2 HOURS

REFERENCE: PRFD S.O.G.s for Decontamination of members after at declared Hazardous Materials Incident. Review NFPA standards 1001, 1002, 1584 and OSHA guidelines.

Equipment, Props, Information or Other Resources Needed: You will need full PPE, Haz-Mat trailer, and all of the formal decon. Equipment. Also, you will need a Haz-Mat Team member present to go through the setup with you. Please handle all equipment with care and report any damage equipment immediately.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THIS CORE COMPETENCY DRILL



In an open area with safety in mind, conduct your drill:

- Setup the PRFD Formal Decon. The above picture is a reference pic of how a formal or "technical decon" may be setup.
- Have members rotate and then setup for more efficiency if necessary. Safety first.