

Beaumont Fire-Rescue Services

PERFORMANCE BENCHMARKS

402.01G

Donning of Personal Protective Equipment Including SCBA

Discipline: PPE/SCBA

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I. Objective

The firefighter shall properly demonstrate the donning of personal protective Equipment including SCBA and Face piece.

II. Instructions – Procedures for Achieving the Objective

Given a complete set of protective equipment (turnout coat, turnout pants, hood, gloves, helmet, boots SCBA and face piece) you will be required to properly don the protective equipment in one minute thirty seconds (1.30). You will begin on my instruction to start. The skill will end when you place your hands in the air to signal that you have completed all of the identified steps. Do you understand these instructions?

III. Examiner's Note

The firefighter will not be allowed to review the performance steps at the time of testing.

IV. Preparation & Equipment

- A. Turnout coat
- B. Turnout pants
- C. Hood
- D. Helmet
- E. Gloves
- F. Boots
- G. SCBA / Face piece

V. Reference Sources

- A. TCFP, Performance Standards, Section 101, 5.1.2.
- B. NFPA, 1001 3-1.1.2 Firefighter I.
- C. IFSTA, Essentials of Fire Fighting, 4th Edition, pages 111-112.

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Name:	Officer #:
Evaluator:	Officer #:
Date:	Location:

If the Firefighter:

(No partial points given)

Turnout Pants

- a) Removes safety shoes.....1.0 ____
- b) Steps into turnout pants one foot at a time.....1.0 ____
- c) Pulls pants up by waistband (not suspenders)1.0 ____
- d) Adjusts suspenders (if necessary)1.0 ____
- e) Fastens all snaps & buckles & secures Velcro (if present)1.0 ____

Turnout Coat

- a) Dons protective hood properly1.0 ____
- b) Dons turnout coat1.0 ____
- d) Fastens all snaps & buckles & secures Velcro (if present).....1.0 ____
- e) Turns up collar.....1.0 ____
- f) Pulls hood back (in preparation for donning face Piece)1.0 ____

SCBA and Face Piece

- a) Positions SCBA for donning.....1.0 ____
- b) Checks the cylinder pressure (should be 90 Percent Full).....1.0 ____
- c) Opens the cylinder valve slowly and listens for the audible alarm as
system pressurizes1.0 ____
- d) Verify the operation of the low air supply warning alarm.....1.0 ____
- e) Checks the regulator gauge and the cylinder gauge to ensure that they
are within 100 PSI of the same pressure1.0 ____
- f) Dons the SCBA in accordance with manufactures recommendations.....1.0 ____
- g) Properly positions the Face Piece , secures all straps, checks for proper
seal and pulls hood over Face Piece securing properly.....1.0 ____

Helmet and Gloves and Face Piece

- a) Dons helmet with earflaps down (adjusts chinstrap)1.0 ____
- b) Assures face shield is in the down position1.0 ____
- c) Properly attaches regulator to face piece and inhales to activate SCBA.....1.0 ____
- d) Dons gloves1.0 ____
- e) Raises hands over head to complete skill.....1.0 ____

Time Allocation

Completes skill in allotted time **P/F** ____

Allotted time for this skill: 1 minutes 30 seconds

Actual time: minutes seconds

Points Possible	Passing Score	Attempt	Performance Rating (Points)	PASS	FAIL
22	18	First			
		Second			