

DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY TRAINING CALENDAR 2013



A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING



Welcome to our 2013 Training Calendar!

While this publication contains significant information, it does not contain everything the Connecticut Fire Academy delivers. For example, in addition to these classes,

we are available to schedule added deliveries at requested locations (usually Fire departments) statewide.

As always our goals include the primary responsibility of safeguarding the student's (firefighters) health and abilities from injury or exposure to unhealthy atmospheres. This is done by adhering to occupationally published standards and practices developed by the entire national fire service community.

It is important to know that the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control adopted the following Code of Firefighter Ethics during their 9/24/12 meeting

I understand that I have the responsibility to conduct myself in a manner that reflects proper ethical behavior and integrity. In so doing, I will help foster a continuing positive public perception of the fire service. Therefore, I pledge the following. . .

- Always conduct myself, on and off duty, in a manner that reflects positively on myself, my department and the fire service in general.
- Accept responsibility for my actions and for the consequences of my actions.
- Support the concept of fairness and the value of diverse thoughts and opinions.
- Avoid situations that would adversely affect the credibility or public perception of the fire service profession.
- Be truthful and honest at all times and report instances of cheating or other dishonest acts that compromise the integrity of the fire service.
- Conduct my personal affairs in a manner that does not improperly influence the performance of my duties, or bring discredit to my organization.

- Be respectful and conscious of each member's safety and welfare.
- Recognize that I serve in a position of public trust that requires stewardship in the honest and efficient use of publicly owned resources, including uniforms, facilities, vehicles and equipment and that these are protected from misuse and theft.
- Exercise professionalism, competence, respect and loyalty in the performance of my duties and use information, confidential or otherwise, gained by virtue of my position, only to benefit those I am entrusted to serve.
- Avoid financial investments, outside employment, outside business interests or activities that conflict with or are enhanced by my official position or have the potential to create the perception of impropriety.
- Never propose or accept personal rewards, special privileges, benefits, advancement, honors or gifts that may create a conflict of interest, or the appearance thereof.
- Never engage in activities involving alcohol or other substance use or abuse that can impair my mental state or the performance of my duties and compromise safety.
- Never discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, creed, age, marital status, national origin, ancestry, gender, sexual preference, medical condition or handicap.
- Never harass, intimidate or threaten fellow members of the service or the public and stop or report the actions of other firefighters who engage in such behaviors.
- Responsibly use social networking, electronic communications, or other media technology opportunities in a manner that does not discredit, dishonor or embarrass my organization, the fire service and the public. I also understand that failure to resolve or report inappropriate use of this media equates to condoning this behavior.

Have you made a difference today?

To your personal success so that you may help others,

Adam D. Piskura, *Director*

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

For weather cancellation information call the Connecticut Fire Academy

Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 am 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450.

Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3, WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class. CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 415.

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION

Office Hours are M–F 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Main Phone Number (860) 627-6363

In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473

Fax (860) 654-1889

Program Hours

Day programs are from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Evening programs are from 6:30 p.m - 10:00 p.m.

Please refer to your confirmation for specific times.

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Please note that some locations, times, and dates are subject to changes without notice. Registered students will be notified if any changes occur.

Connecticut Fire Academy Acceptance Notices and Refund / Cancellation Policy Acceptance notices with directions will be mailed as soon as programs are filled or approximately two weeks prior to the start of all programs. Applicants not accepted in a program will generally be notified within a week of our receiving their application.

Seating is limited for many Connecticut Fire Academy programs. Please notify the Training Registrar promptly in the event of a need to cancel your registration. Not only will your refund be processed in a timely manner, but your seat can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Students canceling at least seven days in advance of a program will receive a full refund. Please note that refunds are processed by the state Comptroller's Office and may take up to one month. CPAT has a unique refund policy on page 23.

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Class Cancellation	Weather Notification	450	updated 6:30 am
CPAT Test	Status Hotline	415	

2013 SEMINAR

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CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY ANNOUNCES THE 2013 SEMINAR SERIES

Keynote speakers will provide high quality presentations designed to expand the knowledge of all emergency responders, consequently making incidents safer. Register today or look for specific flyers announcing each presentation. You can attend any one or all of the seminars.



SEMINAR SERIES - Connecticut Fire Academy - All Held at Connecticut Fire Academy

Survivability Profiling

Captain Stephen Marsar FDNY
Friday February 22, 2013
Course Number: 13235
Fee \$55.00

Photovoltaic Safety for Firefighters

Captain Matthew Paiss, San Jose CA Fire Department
Friday June 7, 2013
Course Number: 13237
Fee \$55.00

RIT Operations: Are We Making a Difference?

Assistant Chief James Crawford, Midway SC Fire Rescue
Friday October 18, 2013
Course Number: 14037
Fee \$55.00

Construction Concerns: Modern Materials

Deputy Chief (Ret.) Gregory Havel,
Burlington WI Fire Department
Friday April 5, 2013
Course Number: 13236
Fee \$55.00

Making Yourself Hard to Kill – Fostering a Culture of Survival and Discipline for the Fireground

Major Jason Brezler, USMC and FDNY
Friday August 23, 2013
Course Number: 14036
Fee \$55.00

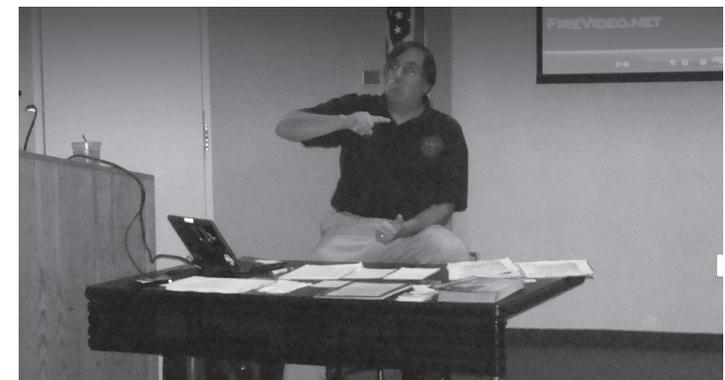
Officer Development

Deputy Chief Frank Viscuso, Kearney NJ Fire Department
Friday December 13, 2013
Course Number: 14038
Fee \$55.00

2013 Fire Service Instructor Development Seminar

12 Essential Elements of a Successful Training Program

Chief Jake Rhodes, Edmond OK Fire Department
Saturday May 11, 2013
Course Number: 13219
Fee \$40.00



CONNECTICUT FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL

Located on the grounds of the Connecticut Fire Academy in Windsor Locks, stands the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial dedicated to Connecticut Firefighters who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

The Memorial was first envisioned in 1992 with the establishment of a Memorial Committee by the Connecticut State Firefighters Association. A ground breaking was held

on June 12, 2001. The Memorial is the first of its kind in the state honoring Connecticut Firefighters who gave the ultimate sacrifice with more than 300 names engraved in the granite panels that surround the Memorial.

The design of the Memorial was conceived by the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial Committee incorporating a plaza-like setting, featuring a brick patio in the form of the Maltese Cross,

the universal symbol of the fire service. The centerpiece of the Memorial is a six foot by twelve foot polished impala black granite stone bearing the likeness of four firefighters fighting a blaze; Lieutenant Paul Walsh of the New Britain Fire Department designed the artist's rendition of the firefighters. The centerpiece rests upon a base of concrete and gray granite to which are affixed plaques with the engraved names of those who have lost their lives. The plaques are numbered with roman numerals to ease the task of locating names. Atop the base, in front of the centerpiece is an eternal flame to acknowledge and honor this group of brave and noble firefighters. Surrounding the centerpiece are eight granite sitting benches representing the eight counties in Connecticut.

On September 25, 2011, the Memorial site saw the addition of a steel artifact from the World Trade Center. The nearly twelve foot tall beam weighing 1200 pounds is a lasting memorial to the 343 FDNY firefighters, other first responders and civilians who perished as a result of the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

The Memorial Site is accessible 24 hours a day for the public to pay tribute to Connecticut's Bravest.

To make a donation to the Connecticut Fallen Firefighter Memorial or to purchase a walkway brick, go to www.ct.gov/cfpc and click on Fallen Firefighter Memorial in the center of the page.



Photos courtesy of Kenneth F. Beliveau



WTC Artifact

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LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT FOR FIRE OFFICERS

Equipping Fire Officers to Continually Improve Individual and Team Performance
 Sponsored by Connecticut Fire Academy

PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 2	PHASE 4/8	PHASE 5
Needs Analysis	Self-Awareness	Communication & Teamwork	Coaching	Next Steps
<p>FOCUS: Focused conversation with key Fire Dept. personnel to determine areas of concern in regard to leadership development and teamwork. May be face-to-face or phone interview.</p>	<p>FOCUS: Improving the personal effectiveness and communication of top fire officers. Leaders will complete online questionnaires and receive detailed reports. Reports will be debriefed in scheduled phone or face-to-face session. Action steps will be developed.</p>	<p>FOCUS: Improving team effectiveness and communication. Leaders will participate in two, 2-hour meetings (Optional: one day meeting) designed to increase their understanding and communication skills as a leadership group. Action steps will be developed.</p>	<p>FOCUS: Implementation of objectives and learnings from Phases 2 or 3. Regular meetings and phone calls for assistance with progress toward departmental and individual growth, change, and professional development.</p>	<p>FOCUS: Continue the growth of current fire officers and develop the next generation of leaders. Complete Phases 2 thru 4 with next two levels of officers and facilitate one meeting with both groups for enhanced teamwork and development.</p>
Audience Chief, Deputy	Audience Chief, Deputy, Training Officer	Audience Chief, Deputy, Training Officer	Audience Chief, Deputy, Training Officer	Audience Captain, Lieutenants

For a fire chief, firefighting skills are no more important than people building skills. Firefighters spend 2% of their time fighting fires. They spend 98% in preparation and training. Your ability to train, motivate, and lead your officers and firefighters makes the difference between an average and an outstanding firefighting force. The Connecticut Fire Academy offers an analysis of your personal style of communicating with people both normally and under stress. An independent consultant from "New Image Associates" will debrief you after responding to two online survey instruments. The information you receive will help you understand yourself and why others react to you in the manner that they do. The consultant will then coach you to incorporate more effective methods to get your work accomplished through others. To upgrade your people development and leadership skills, contact Adam Piskura, State Director of Fire Training, and ask about the Connecticut Fire Academy's Leadership Development Program. Call 860-627-6363 x 272 today. It's not about the fire; it's about the people.



"The Leadership Development Program for Fire Officers has helped me become a more effective manager, leader, and team player. As a result, I am a more effective communicator of the expectations of the Command Staff to my subordinates. I recommend the Leadership Development Program Fire Officers Program to any fire officer who is serious about self-improvement and striving for excellence in the daily performance of his or her duties."

Chief, Carlos Huertas



CERTIFIED: Course addresses National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Professional Qualification System Standards for certification; additional examination required.

Certification examination reference materials may be found at www.ct.gov/cfpc in the "Testing and Certification" section. Only those meeting certification prerequisites will be allowed to test.

APPARATUS PROGRAMS

Aerial Operator

This six-day course meets NFPA Standard 1002 for the driver/operator section, which addresses aerial devices.

Instruction will be given on: aerial, tower ladders and articulating booms. Course content will prepare the student for the practical and written examinations for Aerial Operator certification. This course is designed for the driver/operator of aerial equipment. The course begins with road handling and moves on to apparatus placement, mobilization and stabilization, elevation, various aerial operations and apparatus readiness. It is required that each student has access to the manufacturer's reference manual for their department aerial device. This course alone is not designed to produce expert aerial operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their department to build and maintain proficiency in aerial apparatus operations.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 2nd Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I, or member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977 and legally licensed to drive emergency apparatus. Proof must be submitted with the application. Candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's license with a "Q" Endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's license (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002, Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$290.00

Aerial Strategies and Tactics

This course will cover, in detail, general aerial safety issues, rescue priorities, ventilation operations, elevated master streams and general aerial use in both emergency and non-emergency situations. Topics include: basic tactical options for aerial use and limitations, apparatus placement, stabilization systems, and elevation. Students will review the

major responsibilities of an aerial apparatus operator including; positioning, spotting, and staging apparatus for incident operations.

Hands-on exercises will reinforce recommended safe practices in the areas of raising, rotating and extending an aerial device, ladder tip placement for various situations and operating aerial master streams.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$90.00

Basic Pump Operation

This course examines the components and controls used in the operation of a fire pump. The internal parts of a fire pump are examined with the goal of having the student fully understand how the fire pump moves water. Pump panel controls are discussed in relation to the specific function and use of each device. The process and specific functions involved in drafting and hydrant operations are explained in detail. Students will practice setting up for pumping operations. Participants will learn how to determine and overcome friction loss, how to calculate theoretical pump pressure and how to apply easy-to-use "rule of thumb" principles of relay pumping, operating handlines, supplying sprinklers and standpipe systems. On the training ground each student will apply practical applications while flowing water at prescribed pressures.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$90.00

Pump Operator

This course is designed to prepare the student for the practical skills and written examinations for Pump Operator certification. Class work will include: safe driving techniques, preventive maintenance, pump operations, hydraulic calculations, water supply and apparatus systems. The course begins inside the classroom and ends outside with pumping apparatus. The main emphasis is on "hands-on" exercises using various types of pumps, hose sizes and nozzles. This course alone is not designed to produce expert pump operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their departments to build and maintain proficiency in pump apparatus operations.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 2nd Edition; and the IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/ Operator Handbook Study Guide.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Certified Firefighter I or a member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977, candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's License with a "Q" endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002, Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$290.00

Q Endorsement

The Q Endorsement course is designed to prepare the potential fire apparatus operator for the testing requirements established by the State of Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles. This training course will consist of classroom and extensive practical sessions conducted throughout the length of the course culminating with practical testing administered by the Department of Motor Vehicle on the final day of the class. Students should make arrangements to practice pre-trip and driving skills at their own firehouse during non-class hours to be more successful with the DMV administered test.

Topics covered in the classroom portion of the course include: testing requirements; inspection methods; speed and braking distances; night driving; driving and alcohol; emergencies; accidents; and air brakes. Topics covered in the practical portion of the course include: pre-trip inspection; static course; and over the road skills.

Training Prerequisites: Applicants must possess a valid operator's license. Proof must be submitted with application.

Class Hours: 32 Course Fee: \$300.00

Tanker Shuttle Operations

This class is designed to make the student aware of the importance of pre-planning water sources and operations for rural water supply tanker transfers prior to the need arising. This course covers the following components: safe tanker operations, driving, filling and dumping; compare and contrast tanker design and efficiency; recognizing proper water sources; evaluating and developing proper dump sites; and organizing mutual aid for tanker task force concepts.

These components are met through the following course goals and objectives: identify apparatus requirements for a water shuttle; identify the requirements for setting up a shuttle operation; describe fill and dump site operations for a water shuttle; describe how to evaluate tanker performance; and demonstrate tanker operation in practical evolutions. On the final day of class students will incorporate information given and

resources provided to supply a continuous 750 gallon per minute flow rate of water for a minimum of two hours. Successful application of the course information may lead to the enhancement of the ISO rating for your community. Completion of this course allows for student to apply for "Tanker Operator" Certification if currently a certified as a pump operator.

PPE Requirements: Full protective clothing (no SCBA)

Training Prerequisite: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Prerequisite: Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977 and CDL or Q Endorsement License and Certified Pump Operator. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

The Department of Energy & Environmental Protection, Division of Forestry, has special grant funds available to pay for a limited number of the Tanker Shuttle Operations classes. Tanker Shuttle classes will be offered at no charge each year until these grant funds are exhausted. Funding Questions can be directed to: Ralph Scarpino, Division of Forestry, at ralph.scarpino@ct.gov

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$100.00

EMS PROGRAMS

Emergency Medical Technician Refresher EMT-R

The Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) is often the first medically trained person to arrive on scene of an emergency. EMRs provide basic first aid for soft tissue injuries and can assist in childbirth. This 60 plus hour course includes: patient assessment, childbirth, airway and breathing emergencies, cardiac emergencies, CPR and AED, medical emergencies, bleeding and shock, and muscular skeletal injuries. Students must be a minimum of 16 years old. At the conclusion of this program you will be eligible for the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health Exam. The final step in the program is completion of the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians (NREMT) certification exam.

Class Hours: 60

Course Fee: \$500.00

Emergency Medical Technician/Emergency Medical Responder Refresher

This course reviews and refreshes knowledge and skills required for Emergency Medical Technicians/Emergency Medical Responders currently certified according to the latest U.S. DOT EMT/EMR-Basic National Standard Curriculum. Classroom and "hands-on" training will update the EMT/EMR on current practices and confirm skill levels. A review and renewal of Healthcare Provider CPR will be conducted in conformance with the latest JAMA standards through approved programs of the American Heart Association. Written and practical

examinations will be conducted in conformance with the policies established by the State of Connecticut Department of Public Health.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Emergency Medical Technician/Emergency Medical Responder. Proof must be submitted with application.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons (AAOS) Emergency Medical Technician Transition Manual.

Class Hours: 32

Course Fee: \$250.00

FIRE OFFICER PROGRAMS

Fire Officer I and II

This course combines both Fire Officer I and II into one comprehensive program for both aspiring and senior officers. Emergency and routine duties will be discussed, along with human resource management, community and government relations, and public education. Students will also cover group behavior issues, employee evaluations, report preparation, pre-fire planning, and inspections. Emergency service delivery skills for both company officers and multiple company supervisors are also covered at length, including exercises in the fire command simulator.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, and ICS 200. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices 2nd Ed.

Certification Exam Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I, proof must be submitted with the application. Students must pass the Fire Officer I practical and written exam prior to taking the Fire Officer II exam.

Class Hours: 144

Fire Marshal Credit: 63

Course Fee: No Charge, Funding is provided by the FEMA/NFA State Fire Training Grant.

Fire Officer I

Fire Officer I is a comprehensive course designed to strengthen the new or aspiring fire officer's supervisory and leadership skills. Emergency and routine duties of the company officer will be discussed. Oriented to the level of Lieutenant, topics covered in this course include: human resource management, community and government relations, public education, safety, inspection and investigation and emergency service delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of the course.

Training Prerequisite: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. NIMS 700, ICS 100, ICS 200.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices 2nd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 96

Fire Marshal Credit: 33

Course Fee: \$375.00

Fire Officer II

This course is designed for those fire officers or aspiring officers that need the skills to supervise multiple companies. Generally, this level involves the management of company supervisors involved in the operational aspects of a fire station. Oriented to the level of Captain, topics covered in this course include: group behavior, employee evaluation, communication skills, report preparation, pre-fire and operational planning, inspections, command of hazardous materials incidents, safety and emergency services delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of this course.

Training Prerequisites: Fire Officer I.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices 2nd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I and Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 80

Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Course Fee: \$350.00

Fire Officer III

Organizational Administration is a non-traditional course offered to individuals currently holding or aspiring to the rank of shift commander or chief officer. It is designed to enhance the skills of the chief officer by providing a group of peers with a progressive learning environment. This semi-independent study course includes a balance of regularly scheduled peer group discussion sessions and development of individual projects. Areas covered in the discussions and projects will include human resource management, community relations, administration, inspection and investigation, emergency services delivery and safety. Candidates will be required to identify a mentor of their choosing that will provide support and guidance.

Training Prerequisites: Must meet NFPA 1021-2009 as identified in Chapter 6; Certified Fire Officer II and Fire Service Instructor II. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Required Text: The reference books used for this course will be the current edition of

the Jones and Bartlett Chief Officer Principles and Practices, other text may be recommended in class.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer II and Certified Fire Service Instructor II. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Certification will be achieved through a project process assessment method. Each candidate will present their project to an oral examination panel consisting of Connecticut fire service leaders.

Certification testing time: requires additional time for the oral examination panel.

Class Hours: 80

Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Course Fee: \$475.00

Fire Officer IV

This semi-independent study course consists of a balance of regularly scheduled peer group discussion sessions and the development of individual projects. Areas covered in the discussions and projects will focus heavily on human resource management, administration, multi-agency emergency services delivery and safety. Areas specifically covered will include: grievance administration, training and educational goal setting and planning, employee assistance programs, incentive programs, community event planning, long-range planning, and civil disturbance and disaster planning. A mentor will be provided to the participants for discussion and guideline purposes. In order to project a professional image in the classroom, students should wear appropriate attire or their department daily uniform.

Training Prerequisites: Must meet NFPA 1021-2009 as identified in Chapter 7; Certified Fire Officer III. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Required Text: The reference books used for this course will be the current edition of the Jones and Bartlett Chief Officer Principles and Practices, other text may be recommended in class.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer III. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Certification will be achieved through a project process assessment method. Each candidate will present their project to an oral examination panel consisting of Connecticut fire service leaders.

Certification testing time: requires additional time for the oral examination panel.

Class Hours: 56

Fire Marshal Credit: 5

Course Fee: \$375.00

Fire Service Instructor I

This course is designed to meet the first level of instructor as identified in the NFPA 1041 standard. Topics covered during the course include: adult learning and communication, understanding performance objectives, evaluation, and methods of instruction. Students will present from a prepared lesson plan. Study and support materials are online. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Homework assignments and formative assessments will be completed and submitted online.

Successful completion of this course will prepare the student to take the Fire Service Instructor I Practical Skills and Written Certification Examinations.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett Fire Service Instructor: Principles and Practice, 1st Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: require an additional date for certification written exam.

Class hours: 56

Fire Marshal Credit: 32

Course Fee: \$390.00

Fire Service Instructor II/III

This course is designed to meet the second and third levels of instructor as identified in the NFPA 1041 standard. Topics covered include: management of instructional resources, development of instructional materials, conducting classes and supervising instructors, administration, records, policy, personnel, analysis, evaluation, program and curriculum development. Candidates will present from student developed lesson plan. This is a blended learning course. Instructional Leadership requirements will be completed online. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Study and support materials are online.

Successful completion of this course will prepare the student to take the Fire Service Instructor II Practical Skills and Written Certification Examinations and the FSI-III Written Certification Exam.

Class Hours: FSI-II 48 hours. Candidates will have 90 days to complete FSI-III requirements.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I and Station Evaluator.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett Fire Service Instructor: Principles and Practice, 1st Edition
Certification testing time: requires additional dates for the certification written exams. Certification Examination Prerequisites for FSI-II: Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

Proof must be submitted with application.

For FSI-III: Certified Fire Service Instructor II. Candidates will submit application for the exam after successfully passing the FSI-II exam and successful completion of FSI-III course requirements

Course Fee: \$440.00

Health and Safety Officer

This National Fire Academy course examines the Health and Safety Officer's role with the identification, evaluation and implementation of policies and procedures that affect the health and safety aspects for emergency responders.

Through the use of case studies, small group workshops and instructor facilitation of safety concepts, participants will gain a thorough understanding of risk management; wellness issues; incident safety functions; regulatory requirements and their impact on increasing the survivability of fire department personnel. This course is designed for individuals who have department level health and safety responsibilities. Attendees should have a working knowledge of ICS, applicable NFPA and OSHA requirements, and responsibility for setting policy for their department on such issues.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required text: IFSTA Fire Department Safety Officer, 1st Edition, NFPA Standard 1500; National Fire Academy Student Manuals; Incident Safety Officer; Health and Safety Officer; OSHA 3130, 1993 (revised).

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I, or have been a Fire Officer with a department on or before July 1, 1986. Student must be a documented Health and Safety Officer for their department. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$150.00

Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression

The goal of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to perform the duties of the Incident Safety Officer (ISO) during incident operations and training evolutions.

This course is designed for fire and emergency medical services (EMS) responders who may be designated by the Incident Commander (IC) as an ISO while working within an Incident Command System (ICS). These assignments may occur during firefighting, EMS, special operations type incidents, and training evolutions.

This course is an incident-specific, scenario-oriented course designed to teach students what an ISO needs to know at an incident. The course uses instructor-led discussion, multimedia activities, and small group discussions to convey instructional points.

Training Prerequisites: None

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I, or have been a Fire Officer with a department on or before July 1, 1986. Proof must be submitted with the application.
Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$150.00

Public Information Officer

This course is designed to instruct participants in the basic methods for establishing and maintaining a positive relationship with the news media. Fire department activities—including public fire education programs, man-made and natural disasters, and emergencies, make developing policies and training for dealing with the news media essential. Discussion topics will cover: public disclosure laws; media relations; and news releases. Participants will learn the basics of preparing news releases, setting up press conferences, and the responsibilities of the Public Information Officer (PIO) at the scene of an emergency. Students will participate in a mock briefing with reporters from various media sources.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett Media Relations for Public Safety Professionals by Leo M. Brown.

Class Hours: 16 Fire Marshal Credit: 8
Course Fee: \$60.00

Station Evaluator Training

This half-day program is designed to establish a standard testing environment for students taking certification skill evaluations. Participants will learn the criteria for being professional and effective station evaluators. Participants will also practice completing skill sheets after viewing videotaped performances.

Any instructor wishing to become a station evaluator at any state certification exam site must complete this course.

Prerequisites: Participants must be state certified as a Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with application.

Course Hours: 4 Course Fee: \$25.00

Strategy and Tactics I: Fundamentals

This two day course introduces the officer candidate to the philosophy and tools required for leadership decision making during emergencies. Subjects covered will be a review of the National Incident Management System (NIMS), Incident Priorities and Decision

making, the basics of fire behavior and building construction, “size-up”, evaluation and assessment as well as the difference between “strategy and tactics” using such tools as Layman’s Tactical Model and RECEO VS, Terpak’s COAL TWAS WEALTHS or Norman’s | version COAL WAS WEALTH and offensive versus defensive operations.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$60.00

Strategy and Tactics II: Common Everyday Emergencies and Service Calls

This three-day course takes the firefighter and company officer through the everyday calls that take up the majority of fire service responses. These are the most common calls where the responder deals with the citizens and public the most. These calls are often referred to a “nuisance” calls by first responders but to the occupant or those effected by it, the incident could be a crisis. Common calls involve; utility issues: gas, electric, water; carbon monoxide detector activations; oil burners and heating units; auto accidents and fires; elevator emergencies; dumpster fires; auto fires; automatic alarm activations.

Class Hours: 24 Course Fee: \$90.00

FIREFIGHTING PROGRAM

Calling the Mayday

What are the Mayday decision parameters for firefighters? How do we teach the Mayday decision-making process to firefighters? How much Mayday practice do firefighters need?

This eight hour National Fire Academy training course focuses on the ins and outs of firefighters calling a Mayday. It requires the instructors to certify that the students have met the psychomotor skills requirement to call a Mayday over their radio. The firefighter must demonstrate the ability to call Mayday under various emergency situations a firefighter may find themselves in. The minimum: being trapped or lost in a room, having something collapse on them such as a ceiling, being stuck or caught on something such as wires, and falling through a floor or roof. These conditions will be simulated using props with the firefighter in full PPE, SCBA, and portable radio in a blacked-out face mask.

Full protective clothing, including SCBA with one spare cylinder, is required. Student should bring a bottle of water or sport drink to re-hydrate throughout the training.

Class hours: 8 Course fee: \$50.00

Firefighter Safety and Survival

This course on firefighter survival training uses scenarios based on actual incidents to identify problems encountered, and offers possible solutions for members in life threatening situations. Self-rescue procedures, such as low profile ladder egress, and personal rope bail-out procedures will give the participant options if caught in a rapidly deteriorating situation.

Full protective clothing, including SCBA with one spare cylinder, is required.

Training Prerequisites: Firefighter I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$95.00

Flashover Survival

Flashover Survival begins with a classroom presentation followed by a simulation of a pending flashover in the Connecticut Fire Academy flashover simulator. The flashover simulator offers firefighters the opportunity to observe fire behavior and the signs of an impending flashover in a controlled setting. This training is an experience of a lifetime that could save your life. Students should bring a bottle of water or sport drink to re-hydrate throughout the training.

Participants are required to bring full protective clothing, including SCBA with one spare cylinder. Long pants are required to participate in the flashover live burns. Shorts alone are not acceptable.

The Connecticut Fire Academy will not be responsible for damages to PPE.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

A separate flashover permission slip is required at the time of registration.

Class Hours: 8 FM

Credit: 4 Course Fee: \$110.00

Rapid Intervention Team - (RIT)

This is an intensive course on fire behavior and fire survival training. Using scenarios based on real-life incidents. The class identifies problems and offers possible solutions for the safe and efficient removal of members in distress. Safely removing a trapped or unconscious firefighter from a burning building is a labor-intensive operation. Methods of searching for a missing firefighter in a large open area will be covered.

Full protective clothing, including SCBA with one spare cylinder, is required.

Training Prerequisites: Firefighter I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$95.00

Recruit Firefighter

The Recruit Firefighter program is a 14-week resident course focuses on developing the knowledge, skills and abilities needed for a new firefighter to perform entry-level tasks under direct supervision. The training consists of theory and practical skills development delivered on an incremental basis that will develop the maximum retention of job knowledge, skill competency, and safe practices. The recruit will establish a strong will for teamwork, company morale, self-discipline, orderliness, precision and conduct to be a firefighter. At the conclusion of this course, the recruit firefighter will be tested to the Firefighter I and Firefighter II and Hazardous Materials – First Responder Awareness, Operational and WMD.

Course Curriculum: The course covers a broad range of topics that today's firefighter faces on a daily basis and includes: A Complete curriculum to encompass Firefighter I and II based on the NFPA 1001 – Firefighter Professional Qualifications and NFPA 472 – Standard of Competence for Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction. In addition, Recruits will experience and train on Daily Physical Fitness, Cultural Diversity, Employee Assistance Program, Calling the MayDay, So Your in the Front Seat Today, Reading Smoke at Building Fires, Thermal Imaging for the Fire Service, Basic Pump Operations, Basic Aerial Operations, Introduction to Fire Investigation, Elevator Rescue, Confined Space Rescue, Handling Utility Emergencies, Courage to be Safe, Firefighter Safety and Survival, Rapid Intervention Teams and Rescue Core.

Residency Requirement: Recruits will reside at the Connecticut Fire Academy weekdays throughout the course.

Enrollment: There is a capped enrollment of 50 participants, Students who have a current Fire Service employment offer will be given preference, other students will be on a space available basis. If the capped enrollment has been reached, those students whose applications exceeded the amount will be given preference in the next scheduled class.

VA Approval: The Recruit Firefighter training program at the Connecticut Fire Academy has been approved for veteran education benefits.

PPE Requirement: Full NFPA 1971 compliant Personal Protective Equipment and SCBA with 2 spare cylinders.

Training Prerequisites: Training prerequisites and a complete program description are available on the Connecticut Fire Academy web site approximately one month prior to the scheduled start of the recruit class, there are two (2) classes held per year, spring and fall

Pre-Requisites: Must have a valid CPAT card within one (1) year prior to scheduled start date

Class Hours: 70 Days – in excess of 600 hours training

Course Fee: \$5,775.00

Course fee includes tuition, student manuals, lodging, breakfast and lunch

Traffic Incident Management

Course is designed to aid departments that are involved with managing traffic at emergency scenes. The program covers the roles of the emergency responder in traffic control, state statutes, required training, communication guidelines, personal protective clothing and traffic control equipment, determining traffic control zones and practical exercises. Meets or exceeds Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices Chapter 6.

Maximum class size: 20.

Training Prerequisite: ICS 100, 200, 700. Must be an active member of a fire department, CERT team, or emergency medical service. Proof must be submitted with application.

Class Hours: 8

Course Fee: \$60.00

FIRE PREVENTION PROGRAMS

Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I

The goal of the course is to provide the skills and tools necessary to become a Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I. The class will address the NFPA 1035 Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I including: Introduction; Primary Prevention; Identification and Intake; Who Sets Fires and Why, and Interviewing and Intervention Strategies. Students will be introduced to NFPA 1035 Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I Professional Standard. The individual will learn to conduct an interview with a firesetter and their family using prepared forms and guidelines and who based on recommended practice may determine the need for referral for counseling and/or implement educational intervention strategies to mitigate effects of firesetting behavior.

Course is designed for individuals that have responsibilities related to Juvenile Firesetting Intervention, interviewing, and prevention. The target audience includes practitioners who interact with children who are involved in firesetting and/or arson behavior and their families. In addition to the fire service, professionals from a myriad of fields including Mental Health, Law Enforcement, Education, Counseling Services, and Social Services can benefit from the training.

Training Prerequisites: none

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 16

Course Fee: \$60.00

Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist II

The goal of the course is to provide the skills and tools necessary to become a Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist II. The class will address the NFPA 1035 Juvenile

Firesetter Intervention Specialist II including: Identification and Intake; Coalition Building Support and Management; Budget and Funding; Development of a Juvenile Handbook, Resource Directory, Data Base, and Program Evaluation. Students will be introduced to the NFPA 1035 Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist II Professional Standard. The individual will learn to develop and coordinate a child firesetting intervention program and the activities of Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist. The course develops skills including interviewing and assessment, program development, implementation, and evaluation.

Course is designed for individuals that have or will have responsibilities related to the management and/or coordination of a Juvenile Firesetting Intervention program.

Training Prerequisites: Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 8

Course Fee: \$60.00

Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I

This is an entry-level course that will prepare anyone who performs public education duties to present existing programs to all audiences. The course addresses fire prevention activities, the major causes of unintentional injury, characteristics of learning, evaluation of lesson plans, presentation methods, effective usage of audiovisual aids, successfully dealing with the media and recordkeeping. This course meets the requirements of NFPA 1035, "Professional Qualifications for Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I". Reference material is required for the class.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Texts: IFSTA Fire and Life Safety Educator 3rd Edition. Masters of Disaster Lesson plans K-2, 3-5 and 6-8. **Optional References:** Sparkles the Fire Safety Dog, Sparkles the Fire Safety Dog (audio book) and The Great Fire by Jim Murphy.

Certification testing time: require an additional date for certification written exam.

Class Hours: 32

Fire Marshal Credit: 24

Course Fee: \$150.00

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL PROGRAMS

Hazardous Materials courses provided by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control are delivered with assistance from the State Emergency Response Commission and the United States Department of Transportation, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration.

RESCUE PROGRAMS

NOTE: The programs listed in the calendar as Rescue Technician are currently being up-dated to the latest NFPA 1006 standard. Therefore the class description, contact hours, and course fee are subject to change. When available, updates will be posted on the DESPP/CFPC website.

Cold Water Rescue

This course is designed for first responders operating at the scene of a cold water or ice rescue. Topics covered include: pre-planning, risk assessment, ice types and how they form, hypothermia, cold water drowning, incident size-up, water rescue equipment, and rescue operations. Participants will perform simulated water and ice (if available) rescues using cold water entry suits and associated equipment.

Training Prerequisites: None

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$75.00

Rescue Technician – Confined Space

This course will train students to perform technician level confined space rescue operations. The training objectives meet NFPA 1006 and OSHA 1910.146. Students will learn to preplan, evaluate atmospheres and use protective equipment related to confined spaces, implement and terminate an incident management system for confined space. Students will exercise their previous knowledge for victim management and rope rescue techniques to remove a victim from a confined space. The PPE requirements are rescue gloves, a protective helmet and footwear.

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core and a minimum of EMR certification.

For certification to this level, an additional practical skills examination of one or twodays plus a written test is required.

Certification testing time: requires additional dates for the certification written and practical exams.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$465.00

Rescue Technician – Core

This course is designed to meet the job performance requirements in chapter 5 of NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician. Students will learn the basics of site operations, size-up, resource management, hazard/risk assessment, ground support for helicopter operations

and incident management as it relates to the rescue environment. Students will learn skills to use rope-rescue equipment to manage victims, anchor-rope systems, build a nd operate lowering and hauling systems in a low angle environment. Students will also be able to inspect and maintain related rescue equipment.

This program is a prerequisite for all technical rescue certification courses.

The PPE requirements are rescue gloves, a protective helmet and footwear.

Training Prerequisite: Firefighter I and Haz Mat Operational

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Minimum EMR; proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$420.00

Rescue Technician – Rope

This program will train the students to perform technician level rope rescue to the NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician standard. The training will focus on rescue situations in the high-angle environment. The students will identify and construct anchoring systems, rappel and belay lines, lowering and hauling mechanical advantage systems, and tensioned highlines.

The PPE requirements are rescue gloves, a protective helmet and footwear.

Training Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core and a minimum of EMR certification; proof must be submitted with the application. For certification to this level, an additional practical skills examination of one or two days plus a written test is required.

Class Hours: 56 Course Fee: \$550.00

Rescue Technician – Trench

This program will train the students to perform technician level trench rescue. The training objectives meet NFPA 1006 and OSHA 1926. Students will evaluate trenches and soil conditions; will learn to shore unprotected straight and intersecting trenches with both community and pneumatic shoring. They will also use supplemental shoring when needed. Students develop an action plan to manage and remove a victim from a trench accident.

The PPE requirements are a protective helmet, footwear, gloves, eye protection, and work clothes.

Training prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core and a minimum of EMR

certification; proof must be submitted with the application.

For certification to this level, an additional practical skills examination of one or two days plus a written test is required.

Certification testing time: requires additional dates for certification written and practical exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$490.00

Rescue Technician – Vehicle and Machinery

This program meets the requirements of Chapter 8 of the Rescue Technician Professional Qualifications standard. Through classroom sessions and hands-on application you will plan for vehicle/machinery incidents, establish scene safety zones, establish fire protection, perform required stabilization, isolate potentially harmful energy sources, determine and create access and egress points, disentangle victims, remove a packaged victim and terminate the incident. Completion of this program and the Rescue Technical CORE program that covers Chapter 5 of the 1006 standard will allow you to take the certification examination for Vehicle and Machinery Rescue Technician.

Full protective Clothing (no SCBA) required.

Training Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core and a minimum of EMR certification; proof must be submitted with the application. For certification to this level, an additional practical skills examination of one or two days plus a written test is required.

Certification testing time: requires additional dates for certification written and practical exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$465.00

NOTE: The programs listed in the calendar as Rescue Technician are currently being up-dated to the latest NFPA 1006 standard. Therefore the class description, contact hours, and course fee are subject to change. When available, updates will be posted on the DESPP/CFPC website.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Introduction to the Fire Service

This program will focus on introducing youth ages 14-17 to the fire service. Topics include: Fire Department Organization and Structure, Fire Science, Ropes and Knots, Ladders, Fire Streams, Search and Rescue, and Wildland Firefighting. This program will be held in a camp-type "atmosphere" simulating a firehouse environment. Each student will reside at the Connecticut Fire Academy for the duration of the course. All meals and lodging are included in the tuition.

Full protective clothing including helmet, bunker coat, gloves, boots, bunker pants, and eye protection is required for this program. Students applying for this class must be affiliated with an organized fire department.

A special application is required to register for this class which will be available in the early spring of 2013.

Class Hours: 6 days Course Fee: TBA

Advanced Introduction to the Fire Service

This program is designed to enhance skills learned during Introduction to the Fire Service and is limited to youth ages 16-17. Topics include On-scene communications (Portable Radio work), EMS/On-scene rehabilitation, Leadership, Basic Instructional Methodology, Introduction to Rope Rescue, Extrication (Stabilization and tool use), Standpipe Operations, Fire Department Organization and Structure, Hose and Ladders. This program will be held in a camp-type "atmosphere" simulating a firehouse environment. Each student will reside at the Connecticut Fire Academy for the duration of the course. All meals and lodging are included in the tuition.

Full protective clothing including helmet, bunker coat, gloves, boots, bunker pants, and eye protection is required for this program. Students applying for this class must be affiliated with an organized fire department.

A special application is required to register for this class, which will be available in May of 2012.

Prerequisite: Graduate of Introduction to the Fire Service.

Class Hours: 6 days. Max class size 20 students.

Course Fee: TBA

National Fire Academy Direct Delivery

Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership within Communities

The purpose of this course is to provide Fire Service authority figures with knowledge and skills, enabling them to exercise leadership when confronting adaptive challenges presented by increasingly diverse internal and external communities. The goal of the course is for participants to utilize the diversity of ideas, peoples and cultures as resources in exercising leadership to address adaptive challenges in their communities.

The primary target audience of this class is fire and emergency service personnel in positions of authority who have an opportunity to exercise leadership.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$60.00

National Fire Academy Direct Delivery

Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership to Facilitate Adaptive Change

The purpose of this course is to provide skills which individuals in positions of authority can use to exercise leadership when confronted with adaptive challenges. The goal of this course is for the participant to develop an understanding of skills associated with exercising leadership to resolve adaptive problems, those problems where the solution is either unknown or requires significant change, or both.

The primary target audience is fire and emergency service personnel in positions of authority who have an opportunity to exercise leadership.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$60.00

National Fire Academy Direct Delivery

Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership through Difficult Conversations

The purpose of this course is to provide knowledge and skills for having difficult conversations to exercise leadership in addressing adaptive challenges. The goal of this course is for the participant to identify and apply skills for having difficult conversations as they relate to exercising leadership when addressing adaptive challenges.

The primary target audience is fire and emergency service personnel in positions of authority who have an opportunity to exercise leadership.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$60.00

CPAT Orientation & Physical Conditioning

The Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) consists of eight separate events. CPAT is a sequence of events requiring you to progress along a predetermined path from event to event in a continuous manner. The events include: Stair Climb, Hose Drag, Equipment Carry, Ladder Raise and Extension, Forcible Entry, Maze Search, Victim Drag and Ceiling Breach and Pull. This test was developed to allow fire departments to obtain pools of trainable candidates who are physically able to perform essential job tasks on the fire scene. This is a pass/fail test based on a validated maximum total time of 10 minutes and 20 seconds.

During the events, you wear a 50-pound vest to simulate the weight of a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and firefighter protective clothing, a helmet and gloves. An additional 25 pounds, using two 12.5-pound weights which simulate a high-rise pack (hose bundle), is added to your shoulders for the stair climb event only. Throughout all events, you must wear long pants, footwear with no open heel or toe, a provided hard hat with chinstrap, and provided work gloves. Watches and loose or restrictive jewelry are not permitted.

All props are designed to obtain the necessary information regarding your physical ability. The tools and equipment were chosen to provide the highest level of consistency, safety and validity in measuring your physical abilities. The events and distances between events are always the same.

The events are placed in a sequence that best simulates fire scene events while allowing an 85-foot walk between events. To ensure the highest level of safety and to prevent exhaustion, no running is allowed between events. This walk intentionally allows you approximately 20 seconds to recover and regroup before each event.

The history of Candidate Physical Ability Testing in Connecticut has shown beyond a doubt that preparation is the key to success. CPAT is extremely demanding. CPAT tests your strength, agility, balance and ability to follow directions while under physical and emotional stress. Many have made the error in believing they can pass without proper preparation. The Connecticut Fire Academy is required to offer detailed Orientations and two Practice Tests prior to the administration of CPAT. The orientations include a review of all materials within the Candidate Guide booklet. More importantly, the orientations give the candidate the opportunity to perform a self-evaluation by physically reviewing and using the same equipment used in the testing process. The Practice Tests allow candidates to run the test course under timed conditions. If the Practice Test is conducted under "CPAT Conditions" and the candidate passes, it will be counted as passing CPAT. Attending the orientations and practice tests is highly recommended.

To allow for the required eight week CPAT preparatory period as well as the time to process the CPAT applications, a deadline has been established for registering for both the spring and fall testing cycles. Applications received after the published deadline will not be accepted and you will not be able to test during that CPAT testing cycle. Those who have been accepted into the CPAT testing process will receive a packet with information on the testing process and the CPAT Waiver Form that lists the dates and times for their orienta-

tions, practice tests and the CPAT test. If you do not receive a CPAT packet during the two weeks following the application deadline, it is your responsibility to contact the Connecticut Fire Academy within thirty days of the application deadline to verify you are registered and that we have your proper mailing address. Inquiries made after the thirty day time period will not be acted on and you will not be allowed to participate in that CPAT testing cycle.

Please refer to our website at www.ct.gov/cfpc for a listing of the CPAT application deadlines and to download the current CPAT Application form. It is also highly recommended that you download and review the Candidate Preparation Guide and the Candidate Orientation Guide.

The CPAT testing fee is \$150.00 of which \$50 is a non-refundable processing fee. Registered candidates who wish to withdraw from the CPAT testing process must do so in writing to the CPAT Program Manager. The written request for a refund of the CPAT testing fee (minus the \$50 processing fee) must be received at the Connecticut Fire Academy at least one day prior to the candidate's first scheduled orientation. Requests for refunds received on or after the candidate's first orientation date will not be considered.

CPAT Cancellations by the Connecticut Fire Academy

CPAT may be cancelled due to a number of conditions affecting testing. The main reason for cancellation is adverse weather. The weather can be very unpredictable, do not rely on your local weather reports, as the conditions may be different at the test site. It is highly recommended that you call 877-528-3473 (in state), (860) 627-6363 (out of state) extension 415 Prior to traveling to the testing site. There will be a prerecorded message stating that the test is either running or has been cancelled. Unfortunately, the test can be cancelled at the last minute. If you are traveling a long distance we encourage you to call extension 415 several times during your travel.

If the CPAT test is cancelled the message on extension 415 will state how and or when you will be notified of the rescheduled CPAT test date.

Except for test cancellations as indicated above your assigned practice tests and CPAT test will not be rescheduled for any reason.

2013 CPAT SCHEDULE

The Connecticut Fire Academy offers a spring and fall testing cycle. It is important to understand that all orientations, practice tests, and CPAT tests are based on two application deadlines. Applications must be received by the application deadline to be registered for that testing cycle. The 2013 application deadlines are March 7, 2013 for the spring testing cycle and July 25, 2013 for the fall testing cycle.

Candidates will be sent a packet containing their assigned orientations, practice tests, and CPAT test dates and times approximately two weeks after the application deadline.

Directions to Connecticut Fire Academy CPAT Center in Meriden

From the Hartford Area:

Take I-91 South

Merge onto CT Route 9 via Exit #22 North toward New Britain

Take Exit #22 toward CT Route 15 South

Turn right onto Frontage Road

Turn right onto CT Route 372 Worthington Road

Merge onto CT Route 15 South via ramp on Left toward New Haven

CPAT Center will be on your right.

From New Haven Area:

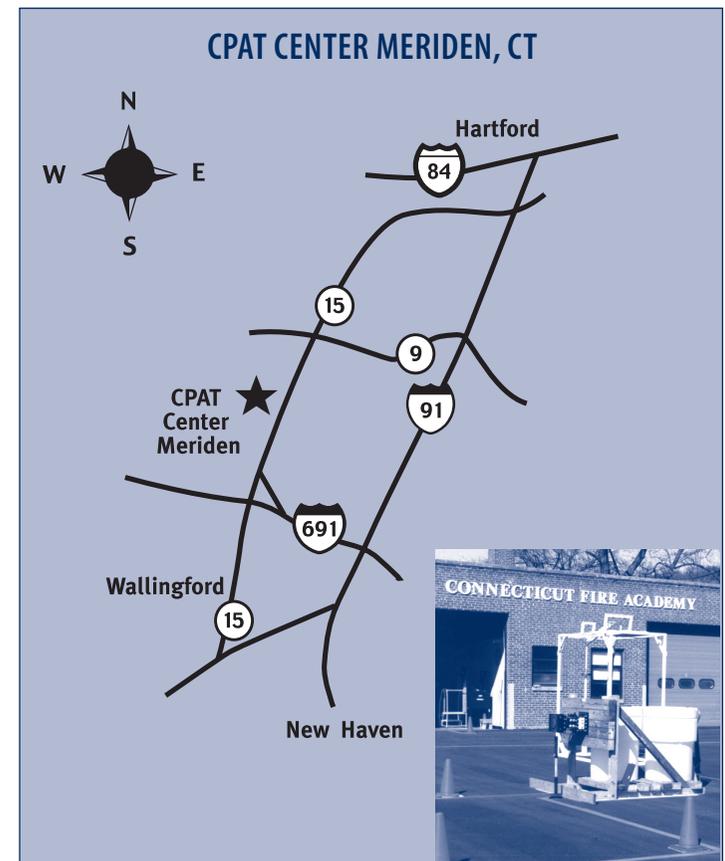
Take I-91 North

Merge onto CT Route 15 North via Exit #17 toward Berlin Turnpike

You will pass CPAT Center on your left, take next "U" turn onto

Route 15 South

CPAT Center will be on your right.



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46 Owens Brook Boulevard
Simsbury, CT 06070
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Megan Murphy, Fire Marshal
5866 Main Street
Trumbull, CT 06611
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CONNECTICUT COMMUNITY COLLEGES (Ex-Officio Voting Member)

Victor Mitchell, Director of Continuing
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Bristol Career Center of Tunxis Community College
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NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS STANDARDS

The State of Connecticut Commission on Fire Prevention and Control is pleased to offer Fire Service Certification to the members of Connecticut's fire service. Certification is an excellent means by which an individual may measure his/her knowledge, skills, and abilities against a national standard and that of their peers.

As indicated below, the Commission currently offers 40 levels of certification. The National Fire Protection Association Professional Qualifications Standard against which the examination is based is noted below. The Commission has adopted the most current edition of the noted Standards as the Standards for Certification.

The certification examination process for each level consists of a written or oral examination and a practical skills examination. The levels of Firefighter I and Firefighter II also require verification of live fire suppression activities.

All of the Commission's Certification levels have been accredited by the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress.

This summary is designed to provide an overview of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control's Certification Process. For more detailed information, including the specific examination requirements for each level, please contact the Certification Division at 860-627-6363.

INDEMNIFICATION OF INSTRUCTORS

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Section 7-323q of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective October 1, 2010):

The state shall save harmless and indemnify any person certified as a fire service instructor by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control under section 7-323l from financial loss and expense, including legal fees and costs, if any, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of alleged negligence or other act resulting in personal injury or property damage, which acts are not wanton, reckless or malicious, provided such person, at the time of the acts resulting in such injury or damage, was acting in the discharge of such person's duties (1) as an employee or member of a municipal, state or tribal nation fire department to provide fire service training and instruction for the other members or employees of such municipal, state or tribal nation fire department, (2) as a fire service instructor employed by said commission to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of said commission, or (3) as a fire service instructor employed by a regional fire school to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of such school.

As of December 2012

NFPA Standard	Certification Title	Prerequisite
1001 2008 Edition	Firefighter I	Member of a Connecticut Fire Department
1001 2008 Edition	Firefighter II	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977
1002 2009 Edition	Pump Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977 and CDL or Q Endorsement License
1002 2009 Edition	Aerial Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977 and CDL or Q Endorsement License
1002 2009 Edition	Tanker Operator	Certified Pump Operator
1003 2010 Edition	Airport Firefighter	Firefighter II and Haz-Mat Operational

1006 2008 Edition	Rescue Technician – Structural Collapse I/II	Direct Entry (USAR) with Connecticut Rescue Core
1006 2008 Edition	Rescue Technician – Rope Rescue I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core and current MRT
1006 2008 Edition	Rescue Technician – Trench Rescue I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core and current MRT
1006 2008 Edition	Rescue Technician – Vehicle/Machinery I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core and current MRT
1006 2008 Edition	Rescue Technician – Confined Space I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core and current MRT
1021 2009 Edition	Fire Officer I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977 and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2009 Edition	Fire Officer II	Fire Officer I and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2009 Edition	Fire Officer III	Fire Officer II and Fire Service Instructor II
1021 2009 Edition	Fire Officer IV	Fire Officer III
1031 2009 Edition	Fire Inspector I	Delegated to Connecticut OEDM Inspector Module.
1033 2009 Edition	Fire Investigator	Delegated to Connecticut OEDM Fire Investigator Module.
1035 2009 Edition	Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I	Direct Entry
1035 2009 Edition	Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I	Direct Entry
1041 2007 Edition	Fire Service Instructor I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977
1041 2007 Edition	Fire Service Instructor II	Fire Service Instructor I
1041 2007 Edition	Fire Service Instructor III	Fire Service Instructor II
1521 2008 Edition	Health and Safety Officer	Fire Officer I or Fire Officer in fire department on or before July 1, 1986 with continuous service and proof from Chief of position of Health and Safety Officer with department.
1521 2008 Edition	Incident Safety Officer – Fire Suppression	Fire Officer I or Fire Officer in fire department on or before July 1, 1986 with continuous service.
472 2008 Edition	HM/WMD and Awareness and Competencies Operational	operational levels and mission specific competencies Firefighter I or OSHA 1910.134
472 2008 Edition	Hazardous Materials Technician	Firefighter I or 29 CFR 1910.134 and Haz-Mat Operational.

The Training Division of the State of Connecticut Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection/Commission on Fire Prevention and Control has streamlined the process by which individuals may participate in certain training programs by eliminating as training prerequisites certification examination requirements. The responsibility for ensuring that individuals are qualified to participate in a certification examination now shifts from the Training Registrar to the individual certification candidate. Candidates for Certification are now personally required to ensure that they have met all prerequisites prior to submitting an examination application and are required to submit any required documentation prior to the examination. Failure to do so will result in rejection of the examination application.

Additionally, State of Connecticut Regulations require that all candidates for certification be 18 years of age at the time of the examination and that candidates for certification be a member of a fire department with the exception of Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I and II which allow direct entry into those levels.

CERTIFICATION DIVISION

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR CANDIDATES WITH LEARNING/READING DISABILITIES PARTICIPATING IN WRITTEN CERTIFICATION EXAMINATIONS FOR FIREFIGHTER I ONLY

I. General Policy

A. In accordance with Section 7-323I-95 (d) of the Regulation of the State of Connecticut, all examinations and/or components of examinations shall be structured and administered in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. The Certification Division will make reasonable accommodations to the known learning/reading disabilities of candidates to the extent feasible. Accommodating the individual handicapped candidate's needs while maintaining the integrity of the certification testing process will be of primary consideration.

II. Reasonable Accommodations

Reasonable accommodations to be made in test administration are specified below in Section V. One or a combination of accommodations may be necessary for individual candidates according to their needs and the requirements of the test material to be presented to them. The Director of Certification may allow other accommodations on a case-by-case basis.

III. Documentation of Handicapping Condition

Each candidate requesting accommodations that effect actual test conditions will be required to furnish documentation of the handicapping condition and the accommodation(s) needed. Documentation must be sent to the Director of Certification. The proper individual examination application form and testing fees must accompany the above documentation. All documentation submitted shall remain confidential.

IV. Testing Location

Administration of examinations for individuals with learning/reading disabilities will be at the offices of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control in Windsor Locks. At the direction of the Director of Certification, an examination proctor may administer examinations in the field under very strict guidelines.

V. Accommodation Options

The following are the accommodation options which may be afforded to the candidate. Other accommodations may be made available to the candidate based upon the individual needs. The Commission may or may not be fiscally responsible for accommodations made.

- A. Additional time
- B. Individual monitor or special attention to assure the candidate has understood instructions
- C. Oral examination

IV. Exception

The expectation for a first responder will be to read and write in American English at Hazardous Materials incidents. Therefore, no accommodations can be made during any hazardous materials Awareness, Operational or Technician Level cognitive or psychomotor Certification examination.

CT Certification on the Web

Please refer to the Certification Division Page of the CFPC website at <http://www.ct.gov/cfpc> for up-to-date certification examination information, certification rules and regulations, examination schedules, and downloadable examination applications for all currently offered examinations.

National Fire Service Certification

The Commission is proud to offer National Fire Service Certification as an accredited agency under the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for selected levels.

All individuals who successfully attain state certification will be automatically registered for national certification with the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualification and/or the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for the levels accredited by either of those bodies.

CT AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS/FIRE SCHOOLS

CONNECTICUT FIRE SERVICE AGENCIES/ORGANIZATIONS

- Office of State Fire Marshal
- CT LEPC SARA Title III
- CT Canine Search and Rescue
- CT Career Fire Chiefs Association, CCFA
- CT Fire Chiefs' Association, CFCA
- CT Fire Department Instructors' Association, CFDA
- CT Fire Marshals' Association, CFMA
- CT Fire Photographers Association, CFPA
- CT Firemen's Historical Society
- CT Society of EMS Instructors, Inc.
- CT State Firefighters' Association, CSFA
- Uniformed Professional Firefighters Association of CT, UPFFA
- CT Fire Police Association

CONNECTICUT REGIONAL FIRE TRAINING SCHOOLS

- Burrville Regional Fire School, Richard Winn, Director
(860) 738-9254
- Eastern Connecticut Fire School, Alan R. Hawkins, Director
(860) 487-1105
- Fairfield Regional Fire School, Assistant Chief Christopher Tracy, Director
(203) 254-4708
- Hartford County Fire School, Chester Haber, Director
(860) 828-3242
- New Haven Regional Fire Academy, Chief Matt Marcarelli
(203) 946-6222
- Valley Fire Chief's Training School, James Gies, Director
(203) 305-8290
- Wolcott State Fire School, Steven Veneziano, Director
(203) 879-1559
- Middlesex County Fire School, Jay Woron, Director
(860) 635-5914
- Stamford Regional Fire Training School, Chief Anthony Conte, Director
(203) 977-4652

NIMS TRAINING

Can you get that grant?

Are you Compliant?

The Connecticut Fire Academy can help. We offer a variety of NIMS/ICS classes that will meet your needs.

We can provide customized refresher training. Contact Jackie Kilby-Richards at the Fire Academy
 Phone: 860-627-6363 x 285
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COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE
ADVANCED INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE	8/5, 8/6, 8/7, 8/8, 8/9, 8/10	CFA			6 DAYS	COMPLETION OF INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE	N/A
AERIAL OPERATOR	5/4, 5/5, 5/11, 5/12, 5/18, 5/19, WCE: 6/1	SOUTHBURY	\$290.00	13200	48	FIREFIGHTER I	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE
AERIAL OPERATOR	7/6, 7/7, 7/13, 7/14, 7/20, 7/21, WCE: 8/3	JEWETT CITY		14000			
AERIAL OPERATOR	10/22, 10/23, 10/24, 10/29, 10/30, 10/31, WCE: 11/13	FAIRFIELD		14001			
AERIAL STRATEGIES AND TACTICS	6/15, 6/16	DANBURY	\$90.00	13201	16	NONE	N/A
AERIAL STRATEGIES AND TACTICS	10/19, 10/20	WETHERSFIELD		14002			
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	5/11, 5/12	MANSFIELD	\$90.00	13202	16	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	9/14, 9/15	MORRIS		14003			
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	11/2, 11/3	JEWETT CITY		14004			
CALLING THE MAYDAY	8/21	NORWICH	\$50.00	14005	8	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A
CALLING THE MAYDAY	10/19	RIDGEFIELD		14006			
COLLEGE FAIR	10/12	CFA					
COLD WATER RESCUE	2/23, 2/24	CHESTERFIELD	\$75.00	13203	16	NONE	N/A
COLD WATER RESCUE	3/9, 3/10	MORRIS		13204			
CONNECTICUT FIRE OFFICER WEEKEND	3/15, 3/16, 3/17	NFA	\$125.00		16		
EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER	3/18, 3/19, 3/20, 3/21, 3/22, 3/25, 3/26, 3/27	CFA	\$500.00	13205	60	NONE	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH TESTING
EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER	11/2, 11/3, 11/9, 11/10, 11/16, 11/17, 11/23, 11/24	CFA		14007			
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN/EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER REFRESHER	1/14, 1/15, 1/16, 1/17	CFA	\$250.00	13206	36	EMT	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH TESTING
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN/EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER REFRESHER	3/9, 3/10, 3/23, 3/24	CFA		13207			
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN/EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER REFRESHER	6/12, 6/13, 6/19, 6/20	CFA		13208			
EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN/EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER REFRESHER	10/19, 10/20, 10/26, 10/27	CFA		14008			
FIRE OFFICER I	1/5, 1/6, 1/12, 1/13, 1/19, 1/20, 1/26, 1/27, 2/2, 2/3, 2/9, 2/10, WCE: 2/23	HARWINTON	\$375.00	13209	96	INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, ICS 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I
FIRE OFFICER I	4/2, 4/4, 4/9, 4/11, 4/16, 4/18, 4/23, 4/25, 4/30, 5/2, 5/7 5/9, WCE: 5/21	NEW HAVEN		13210	96		
FIRE OFFICER I	9/3, 9/5, 9/10, 9/12, 9/17, 9/19, 10/8, 10/10, 10/15, 10/17, 10/22, 10/24, WCE: 11/5	STRATFORD		14009	96		
FIRE OFFICER I	11/2, 11/3, 11/9, 11/10, 11/16, 11/17, 11/23, 11/24, 11/30, 12/1, 12/7, 12/8, WCE: 12/21	OSWEGATCHIE		13211	96		
FIRE OFFICER II	2/19, 2/21, 2/26, 2/28, 3/5, 3/7, 3/12, 3/14, 3/19, 3/21, WCE: 4/2	UCONN STORRS	\$350.00	13212	80	FIRE OFFICER I	FIRE OFFICER I AND FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I

COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE
FIRE OFFICER II	4/6, 4/7, 4/13, 4/14, 4/20, 4/21, 4/27, 4/28, 5/4, 5/5, WCE: 5/25	CHESHIRE		13213	80		
FIRE OFFICER II	10/22, 10/25, 10/29, 11/1, 11/5, 11/8, 11/12, 11/15, 11/19, 11/22, WCE: 12/3	FAIRFIELD		14010			
FIRE OFFICER III	7/10, 7/24, 8/14, 8/28, 9/11, 10/9, 10/23, 11/6, 11/20, 12/4	CFA	\$475.00	14011	80	OFFICER II & INSTRUCTOR II	FIRE OFFICER II AND FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II
FIRE OFFICER IV	3/6, 3/27, 4/17, 5/8, 5/29, 6/19, 7/10	MIDDLETOWN	\$375.00	13214	48	FIRE OFFICER III	FIRE OFFICER III
FIRE OFFICER I-II	8/12, 8/15, 8/19, 8/22, 8/26, 8/29, 9/5, 9/9, 9/12, 9/16, 9/19, 10/7, 10/10, 10/17, 10/21, 10/24, 10/28, 10/31, WCE: 11/18	CFA	N/C	14012	144	CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, AND ICS 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	2/23, 3/9, 3/23, 3/30, 4/6, 4/13, PCE: 4/20, WCE: 5/4	CFA	\$390.00	13215	48	FIREFIGHTER II	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1977
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	5/25, 6/1, 6/15, 6/22, 6/29, 7/6, PCE: 7/13, WCE: 7/27	EASTERN CT FIRE SCHOOL		13216			
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	8/24, 8/31, 9/14, 9/28, 10/5, 10/12, PCE: 10/19 WCE: 11/2	SOUTHBURY		14013			
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, PCE: 11/19, WCE: 12/10	WALLINGFORD		14014			
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	5/6, 5/20, 6/10, 6/24, 7/8, PCE: 7/22, WCE: 8/12	FAIRFIELD	\$300.00	13217	48	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	9/14, 9/28, 10/12, 10/26, 11/9, PCE: 11/23, WCE: 12/7	SOUTH WINDSOR		14015			
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II-III	5/4, 5/18, 6/1, 6/15, 6/29, PCE: 7/13, WCE: 7/27	WOLCOTT FIRE SCHOOL	\$440.00	13218	48	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR: 12 ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS OF A SUCCESSFUL TRAINING PROGRAM CHIEF JAKE RHODES EDMOND OK FIRE DEPARTMENT	5/11	CFA	\$40.00	13219	8	NONE	
FIREFIGHTER SAFETY & SURVIVAL	8/28, 8/29	NORWICH	\$95.00	14016		FIREFIGHTER I	N/A
FIREFIGHTER SAFETY & SURVIVAL	10/26, 10/27	RIDGEFIELD		14017			
FLASHOVER SURVIVAL	9/14	CFA	\$110.00	14018	8	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A
HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFICER	2/16, 2/17	NEW HAVEN	\$150.00	13220	16	NONE	FIRE OFFICER I OR FIRE OFFICER IN FIRE DEPARTMENT ON OR BEFORE JULY 1, 1986 WITH CONTINUOUS SERVICE AND PROOF FROM CHIEF OF POSITION OF HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFICER WITH DEPARTMENT.
HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFICER	4/13, 4/14	CFA		13221			
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	2/2, 2/3	NEWINGTON	\$150.00	13222	16	NONE	FIRE OFFICER I OR FIRE OFFICER IN FIRE DEPARTMENT ON OR BEFORE JULY 1, 1986 WITH CONTINUOUS SERVICE.
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	10/12, 10/13	WESTPORT		14019			
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE	6/24, 6/25, 6/26, 6/27, 6/28, 6/29	CFA			6 DAYS	AFFILIATED WITH FIRE DEPARTMENT	N/A
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE	7/15, 7/16, 7/17, 7/18, 7/19, 7/20	CFA			6 DAYS		

COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE
JUNE FIRE SCHOOL	6/3, 6/4, 6/5, 6/6, 6/7, 6/8	CFA				REQUIREMENTS PER CLASS	
JUVENILE FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST I	9/28, 9/29	HARWINTON	\$60.00	14020	16	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A
JUVENILE FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST II	11/23, 11/24	CFA	\$60.00	14021	16	JUVENILE FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST I	N/A
NFA DIRECT DELIVERY: EXECUTIVE SKILLS SERIES: EXERCISING LEADERSHIP WITHIN COMMUNITIES	3/2, 3/3	CFA	\$60.00	13223	16	NONE	N/A
NFA DIRECT DELIVERY: EXECUTIVE SKILLS SERIES: LEADERSHIP TO FACILITATE ADAPTIVE CHANGE	5/18, 5/19	CFA	\$60.00	13224	16	NONE	N/A
NFA DIRECT DELIVERY: EXECUTIVE SKILLS SERIES: EXERCISING LEADERSHIP THROUGH DIFFICULT CONVERSATIONS	9/7, 9/8	CFA	\$60.00	14022	16	NONE	N/A
NATIONAL FIRE ACADEMY 6 DAY OFF CAMPUS DELIVERY: NATIONAL FIRE INCIDENT REPORTING SYSTEM: PROGRAM MANAGER	9/23, 9/24, 9/25, 9/26, 9/27, 9/28	CFA	\$120.00	14023	48	ICS 100 AND 200 OR EQUIVALENT	N/A
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	4/6, 4/7, 4/13, 4/20	HARWINTON	\$150.00	13225	32	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	8/12, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27	EAST HARTFORD		14024			
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	2/16, 2/17	WEST HARTFORD	\$60.00	13226	16	NONE	N/A
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	9/9, 9/10	FAIRFIELD		14025			
PUMP OPERATOR	3/23, 3/24, 3/30, 4/6, 4/7, 4/13, WCE: 4/28	BETHEL	\$290.00	13227	48	FIREFIGHTER I	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE
PUMP OPERATOR	5/21, 5/22, 5/23, 5/28, 5/29, 5/30, WCE: 6/13	NORWICH		13228			
PUMP OPERATOR	8/3, 8/4, 8/10, 8/11, 8/17, 8/18, WCE: 8/31	GLASTONBURY		14026			
Q ENDORSEMENT	7/27, 8/3, 8/17, 8/24	CFA	\$300.00	14027	32	LICENSED TO DRIVE APPARATUS	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DMV TESTING
RAPID INTERVENTION TEAM	9/4, 9/5	NORWICH	\$95.00	14028	16	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A
RAPID INTERVENTION TEAM	11/2, 11/3	RIDGEFIELD		14029			
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER CLASS #51	2/13 - 5/23	CFA	\$5,775.00	13229	644	NONE	NONE
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER CLASS #52	8/26 - 12/6	CFA		14030	644		
RESCUE WEEK 2013	9/30, 10/1, 10/2, 10/3, 10/4	CFA				REQUIREMENTS PER CLASS	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CONFINED SPACE	10/12, 10/13, 10/19, 10/20, 10/26, 10/27, PCE: 11/2, PCE: 11/3, WCE: 11/16	NEW HAVEN	\$465.00	14031	48	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE AND CURRENT EMR
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CONFINED SPACE	11/9, 11/10, 11/16, 11/17, 11/23, 11/24, PCE: 11/30, PCE: 12/1, WCE: 12/14	SIMSBURY		14032			
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE	3/13, 3/14, 3/20, 3/21, 3/27, 3/28	MERIDEN FD	\$420.00	13230	48	FIREFIGHTER I AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CURRENT EMR
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE	4/24, 4/25, 4/26, 4/29, 4/30, 5/1	NORWICH		13231			
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE	6/15, 6/16, 6/22, 6/23, 6/29, 6/30	TRUMBULL CENTER		13232			

COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE
RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE	8/17, 8/18, 8/24, 8/25, 9/7, 9/8	TERRYVILLE		14033			
RESCUE TECHNICIAN ROPE	6/10, 6/11, 6/17, 6/18, 6/24, 6/25, 7/1, PCE: 7/2 WCE: 7/15	FAIRFIELD REGIONAL FIRE SCHOOL	\$550.00	13233	56	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE AND CURRENT EMR
RESCUE TECHNICIAN TRENCH	9/3, 9/4, 9/10, 9/11, 9/17, 9/18, PCE: 9/19, WCE: 10/8	MERIDEN OPERATING ENGINEERS	\$490.00	14034	48	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE AND CURRENT EMR
RESCUE TECHNICIAN VEHICLE AND MACHINERY	5/1, 5/2, 5/8, 5/9, 5/15, 5/16, PCE: 5/22, WCE: 6/12	DANBURY	\$465.00	13234	48	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECHNICIAN CORE AND CURRENT EMR
RESCUE TECHNICIAN VEHICLE AND MACHINERY	7/27, 7/28, 8/3, 8/4, 8/10, 8/11, PCE: 8/17, WCE: 8/31	COLCHESTER		14035			
SEMINAR SERIES: SURVIVABILITY PROFILING, CAPTAIN STEPHEN MARSAR FDNY	2/22	CFA	\$55.00	13235	8	NONE	N/A
SEMINAR SERIES: CONSTRUCTION CONCERNS MODERN MATERIALS, DEPUTY CHIEF (RET.) GREGORY HAVEL BURLINGTON WI FIRE DEPARTMENT	4/5	CFA	\$55.00	13236	8	NONE	N/A
SEMINAR SERIES: PHOTOVOLTAIC SAFETY FOR FIREFIGHTERS, CAPTAIN MATTHEW PAISS SAN JOSE CA FIRE DEPARTMENT	6/7	CFA	\$55.00	13237	8	NONE	N/A
SEMINAR SERIES: MAKING YOURSELF HARD TO KILL - FOSTERING A CULTURE OF SURVIVAL AND DISCIPLINE FOR THE FIREGROUND, MAJOR JASON BREZLER, USMC AND FDNY	8/23	CFA	\$55.00	14036	8	NONE	N/A
SEMINAR SERIES: RIT OPERATIONS: ARE WE MAKING A DIFFERENCE? ASSISTANT CHIEF JAMES CRAWFORD MIDWAY SC FIRE RESCUE	10/18	CFA	\$55.00	14037	8	NONE	N/A
SEMINAR SERIES: OFFICER DEVELOPMENT, DEPUTY CHIEF FRANK VISCUSO, KEARNEY NJ FIRE DEPARTMENT	12/13	CFA	\$55.00	14038	8	NONE	N/A
STATION EVALUATOR TRAINING	2/23 08:30 - 12:30	NEW HAVEN	\$25.00	13238	4	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I
STATION EVALUATOR TRAINING	4/6 08:30 - 12:30	CFA		13239			
STATION EVALUATOR TRAINING	9/9 08:30 - 12:30	CFA		14042			
STRATEGY AND TACTICS I: FUNDAMENTALS	4/10, 4/11	FAIRFIELD	\$60.00	13240	16	NONE	N/A
STRATEGY AND TACTICS I: FUNDAMENTALS	8/10, 8/11	WOLCOTT FIRE SCHOOL		14039			
STRATEGY AND TACTICS II: COMMON EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES AND SERVICE CALLS	5/25, 5/26, 6/1	FAIRFIELD	\$90.00	13241	24	NONE	N/A
STRATEGY AND TACTICS II: COMMON EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES AND SERVICE CALLS	9/14, 9/15, 9/28	WOLCOTT FIRE SCHOOL		14040			
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	5/4, 5/5	CHESTERFIELD	\$100.00	13242	16	FIREFIGHTER I	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE AND PUMP OPERATOR
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	10/26, 10/27	BETHLEHEM		14041			FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE AND PUMP OPERATOR
TRAFFIC INCIDENT MANAGEMENT	5/25	NEW LONDON	\$60.00	13243	8	NONE	N/A

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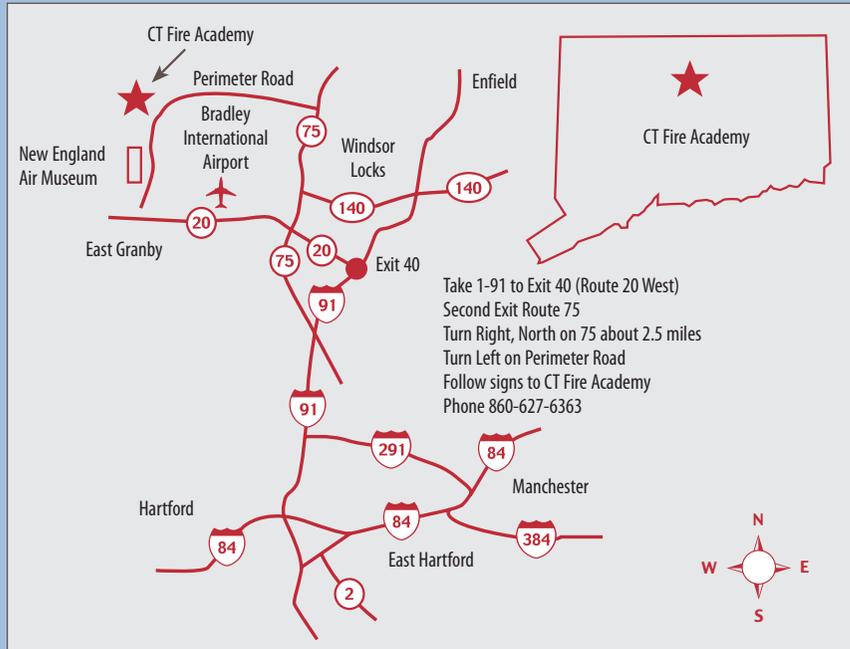
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