



Hazardous Materials/WMD Awareness & Operational Level

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Skill Sheet No.	HMA-1	Primary Task:	Use of DOT Guidebook – Analyze an Incident, Collect Hazard Information		
Candidate No.					
The ability to analyze an incident to determine both hazardous materials/WMD present and the basic hazard and response information – NFPA 1072 2017 Edition, 4.2.1B					
The candidate , given an incident and a DOT <i>Emergency Response Guide</i> (ERG), shall analyze the incident to determine the hazardous material/WMD present, collect the basic hazard and response information					
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.					
			1st	2nd	
1.	* Detects presence of hazardous materials/WMD by identifying one or more of the following				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Container shape • Placard • Distinctive marking 				
2.	Identifies material name in index				
3.	* Determines correct Guide Number to use				
4.	Identifies UN/NA identification number of hazardous material/WMD involved				
5.	*Identifies hazard class for product (either class name or number)				
6.	Identifies main safety hazard using the current edition of DOT ERG				
7.	Initiates protective actions consistent with the DOT ERG				
8.	Initiates initial notification process				
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	6	

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Skill No. HMA-2	Primary Task: Use of DOT Guidebook – Spill Identification	Candidate No.		
The ability to identify actions to be taken to protect themselves and others, and control access – NFPA 1072 2017 Edition, 4.3.1B				
The candidate, given an example of a hazardous material/WMD and a DOT <i>Emergency Response Guidebook</i> (ERG), shall identify response information				
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st	2nd
1.	* Identified emergency action (fire, spill, leak or first aid)			
2.	* Identified necessary protective personal equipment			
3.	* Identified initial isolation distance and protective action distances <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identified appropriate isolation distance to the given hazardous material/WMD example using Table of Isolation and Protective Action Distances or isolation distances in numbered guides 			
4.	* Recommended personal protective equipment from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Street clothing and work uniforms Structural fire-fighting protective clothing Positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus Chemical-protectie clothing and equipment 			
5.	* Used DOT ERG to identify and describe difference between small and large spills			
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	5

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Skill Sheet No. HMA-2	Primary Task: Minimizing Hazards					
Objective(s): 4.3.1B	NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No. 				
Performance Evaluation Sheet						
<p>Task: The candidate, given a scenario will describe the appropriate precautions to be taken to protect responders and the public.</p>						
		1st 2nd				
1 *Deny entry of civilians						
2 Establish protection zones						
3 Establish evacuation routes						
4 Establish sheltering areas						
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">Safety is PARAMOUNT</td> <td style="width: 50%;">Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right; font-size: 24pt;">3</td> </tr> </table>	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass		3
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Skill Sheet HMO-1		Primary Task: Identify Cargo Tanks by Type	
			Candidate No.
The ability to identify containers by shape - NFPA Standard: 1072, 2017 Edition 5.2.1A, 5.2.1B(1)			
The candidate, given three examples of each liquid, gas, and solid hazardous materials or WMD, and an ERG, shall identify the general shapes of containers			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps			1st 2nd
1.	Tank Car		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cryogenic liquid tank car • Nonpressure tank car • Pressure tank car 		
2.	Intermodal Tank		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonpressure intermodal tank • Pressure intermodal tank • Specialized intermodal tank (cryogenic, tube module) 		
3.	Cargo Tank		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compressed gas tube trailers • Corrosive liquid tanks • Cryogenic liquid tanks • Dry bulk tanks • High pressure tanks • Low pressure tanks • Nonpressure tanks 		
4.	Storage Tanks		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cryogenic liquid tank • Nonpressure tank • Pressure tank 		
5.	Intermediate bulk container		
6.	Ton container		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass 13

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-2	Primary Task: Identifying Incident Scope	
Objective(s): 5.2.1B(1)	NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No.
Performance Evaluation Sheet		
<p>Task: The student, given a specific incident scenario, will identify the type of container, location of leak, type of material, and collect hazard information</p>		
		1st 2nd
1 Identifies container type		
2 Identifies location of leak		
3 *Identifies type of material leaking		
4 Collects hazard info		
5 *Describes potential hazards		
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 4

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-3	Primary Task: Pipeline Information Collection	
Objective(s): 5.2.1B(2)	NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No.
Performance Evaluation Sheet		
<p>Task: The student, given a pipeline identification marker will, identify owner/operator of pipeline, identify contact information, product identification and identify potential hazards.</p>		
		1st 2nd
1 Identifies owner/operator of pipeline		
2 Identifies correct phone number to contact pipeline owner/operator		
3 Collects product identification information from pipeline owner/operator		
4 Identifies potential hazards		
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 3

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Skill Sheet No.	HMO-4	Primary Task:	Predict Likely Behavior of a Material and Container		
Candidate No.					
The candidate, given a specified material, DOT ERG, and the Safety Data Sheet (SDS), if available, shall identify hazard and response information, container behavior, dispersion patterns, and exposure risks					
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.				1st	2nd
USING A DOT ERG AND AN MSDS, THE CANDIDATE WILL MATCH CHEMICAL AND PHYSICAL PROPERTIES AND THE IMPACT ON THE CONTAINER AND CONTENTS:					
1.	Boiling point				
2.	Chemical reactivity				
3.	Corrosivity (pH)				
4.	Flammable (explosive range) [lower explosive limit (LEL) and upper explosive limit (UEL)]				
5.	Flash point				
6.	Ignition (autoignition) temperature				
7.	Particle size				
8.	Persistence				
9.	Physical state (solid, liquid, gas)				
10.	Radiation (ionizing and non-ionizing)				
11.	Specific gravity				
12.	Toxic products of combustion				
13.	Vapor density				
14.	Vapor pressure				
15.	Water solubility				
16.	Identify three types of stress that cause container systems to release contents				
17.	Identify five ways containers can breach				
18.	Identify four ways containers can release contents				
19.	Identify four dispersion patterns				
20.	Identify time frames for estimating duration of exposure risk				
21.	Identify health and physical hazards that could cause harm				
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT		Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	15

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Skill Sheet No.	HMO-5	Primary Task:	Identifies Role of First Responder and Identifies Levels of Hazardous Materials Incidents		
Objective(s) : 5.4.1, 5.4.1B(1,2,3)		NFPA Standard: 1072 2017 Edition		Candidate No.	
Performance Evaluation Sheet					
Task:				1st	2nd
1.	Determines response objectives			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	Identifies the need for isolation			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Identifies hazards and risks			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	Selects approved PPE suitable for incident type			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	Identifies decon needs based on the scope of the incident			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	* Identifies level of Hazardous Materials Incidents			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Critical Step		Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	
				5	

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-6	Primary Task: Go through Decon in PPE		
Objective(s): 5.5.1B(3)(4), 6.2.1B(3)	NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No.	
Performance Evaluation Sheet			
Task			
		1st	2nd
1	*Wears PPE appropriate for incident and chemical type		
2	Places exposed tools in proper collection area		
3	Enters Emergency/Technical decontamination area as directed		
4	Follows instructions of decontamination area personnel		
5	*Properly doffs PPE at the direction of decontamination area personnel		
6.	Exits decontamination area and reports to EMS for medical evaluation		
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Performance Evaluation Sheet

Skill Sheet No. HMO-7		Primary Task: Emergency Decontamination	
			Candidate No.
The ability to perform emergency decontamination – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition 5.5.1B(1-6)			
The candidate, given a scenario involving hazardous materials/WMD, shall demonstrate the ability to perform emergency decontamination and report status of response			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st 2nd
AMBULATORY VICTIM			
1.	Wears appropriate PPE		
2.	* Removes victim from contaminated area (effort is made to contain runoff)		
3.	Instructs victim to remove clothing in a manner that minimizes spread of contaminants		
4.	* Performs quick head-to-toe rinse, wash, rinse		
5.	Transfers victim to treatment personnel for assessment		
6.	* Informs EMS personnel of contaminant involved		
7.	* Documents and reports status of response through normal chain of command		
NONAMBULATORY VICTIM			
1.	Wears appropriate PPE		
2.	Ensures victim is secured to roof ladder, stokes basket, sked or other device		
3.	* Removes victim to the emergency decontamination area (effort is made to contain runoff)		
4.	Removes victims contaminated clothing while ensuring, where practical, that the victim does not come in further contact with any contaminants		
5.	* Performs quick head-to-toe rinse, wash, rinse		
6.	Transfers victim to treatment personnel for assessment		
7.	* Informs EMS personnel of contaminant involved		
8.	* Documents and reports status of response through normal chain of command		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass Ambulatory victim
			5
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass Nonambulatory victim
			6

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Skill Sheet No.	HMO-8	Primary Task:	Evaluate and Report Progress of Assigned Tasks		
Objective(s) : 5.6.1B(1)(2)(3)(4)		NFPA Standard: 1072 2017 Edition		Candidate No.	
Performance Evaluation Sheet					
Task:				1st	2nd
1. Identifies actions needed to stabilize the incident				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Identifies what could cause the Incident to intensify				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Identifies when it would be prudent to withdraw				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Determine whether actions being taken are effective				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Communicates status of incident tasks to IC				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Critical Step		Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective		Safety is Paramount	
				Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	
				4	

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 Performance Evaluation Sheet



Skill Sheet No. HMO-9	Primary Task: Selecting PPE for the Assignment		
Objective(s): 6.2.1B(1), 6.3.1B(1), 6.4.1B(1)	NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No.	
Task: Given a Hazardous Materials Incident scenario the candidate will determine the proper PPE for the assignment given			
		1st	2nd
1	Determines action to be performed		
2	Determines level of personal protection needed		
3	Selects proper PPE based on incident action plan		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 2

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Performance Evaluation Sheet

Skill Sheet No.	HMO-10	Primary Task:	Donning and Working in a Chemical Protective Level B Suit		
Candidate No.					
The ability to don and work in personal protective clothing – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.2.1B(2)					
The candidate, given an incident and a Level B chemical-protective clothing ensemble, shall don, and work in a chemical-protective Level B suit					
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.					
			1st	2nd	
1.	* Plans a response to the incident provided				
2.	* Performs a visual inspection of PPC (damage or defects)				
3.	While sitting, pulls suit to waist level				
4.	Pulls on chemical boots over the top of chemical suit				
5.	Pulls the suit boot covers over the boot or tapes as needed				
6.	Dons inner gloves				
7.	With assistance, places both arms in suit and pulls suit over shoulders				
8.	Instructs assistant to close the chemical suit using zipper and splash flap				
9.	Stands and dons SCBA and SCBA face piece (does not connect regulator) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensures unit is secured and adjusted properly 				
10.	With assistance, pulls hood over head and SCBA face piece				
11.	Places helmet on head				
12.	Pulls on outer gloves				
13.	* Instructs assistant to connect regulator to face piece and ensures air flow <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inhales activating regulator, holds breath for 5 seconds to ensure there are no leaks Exhales forcefully to ensure exhalation valve is working properly 				
14.	* Performs a physical task (such as threading a nut on a bolt) demonstrating ability to perform work in PPE				
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	10	

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Performance Evaluation Sheet

Skill Sheet No.	HMO-10A	Primary Task:	DoFFing a Chemical Protective Level B Suit		
Candidate No.					
The ability to doff personal protective clothing and terminate the incident– NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.2.1B(2)					
The candidate, given an incident, and a Level B chemical-protective clothing ensemble, shall doff a chemical-protective Level B suit and complete reports to terminate the incident					
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.					
			1st	2nd	
1.	* Demonstrates procedure for undergoing technical decontamination				
2.	* Doffs SCBA keeping face piece in place				
3.	Instructs assistant to open chemical splash flap and zipper				
4.	Removes hands and arms from suit gloves (except inner gloves)				
5.	Instructs assistant to begin at head and roll suit down and away until suit is below waist level				
6.	Sits and instructs assistant to continue removing suit and remove boots				
7.	Removes inner gloves				
8.	Removes SCBA face piece				
9.	Proceeds to rehabilitation area				
10.	* Completes documentation and reports to terminate incident				
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass	7	

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-10B	Primary Task: Donning and Doffing Level B Chemical-Protective Suit - Assistant		
			Candidate No.
The ability to assist the donning and doffing of personal protective clothing – NFPA 1072, 2013 Edition, 6.2.1B(2)			
The candidate, given an incident and a Level B chemical-protective clothing ensemble, shall assist in the donning of a chemical-protective Level B suit (PPC)			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st 2nd
DONNING			
1. * Performs a visual inspection of the PPE			
2. Assists donning non-encapsulating level B PPE and secures closures			
3. Assists donning work boots (suit leg over top of boot or tapes (No opening between boot and suit)			
4. Assists donning SCBA			
5. Pulls suit hood up completely			
6. Assists donning inner and outer gloves			
7. * Attaches SCBA regulator and makes sure SCBA is functioning properly			
8. * Ensures all PPE is donned properly (no exposed skin)			
DOFFING			
1. * Assists doffing the SCBA (face piece remains in place and SCBA is placed on ground)			
2. Opens splash flap and suit zipper			
3. Rolls suit down from head to below responders waist			
4. Rolls suit down and removes work boots			
5. Assists removing inner gloves			
6. Assists removing face piece			
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass donning 6
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Skill Sheet HMO-10C Primary Task: Doffing Structural Firefighter Clothing in a Hazardous Materials Environment		Candidate #	
The ability to doff personal protective clothing - NFPA Standard 1072, 2017 Edition 6.2.1B(2)			
The candidate, given a complete set of structural firefighter clothing, will don, work in, and doff structural firefighter clothing, according to manufacturer's recommendations.			
		1st	2nd
1. *Minimizes cross contamination with PPE			
2. Removes helmet			
3. *Removes SCBA, maintains respiratory protection			
4. Removes outer gloves			
5. Removes turnout coat			
6. Removes pants and boots			
7. Removes face piece with air on or off			
8. Removes inner gloves			
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-11 Primary Task: Mass Decontamination		Candidate No.	
The ability to perform mass decontamination – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.3.1B(1)(2)(3)(4)(5) The candidate, given a scenario involving hazardous materials/WMD, PPE, appropriate equipment, and operating under the supervision of a hazardous materials technician, shall demonstrate the ability to perform mass decontamination			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st 2nd
1.	*Reports to and is supervised by a hazardous materials technician		
2.	*Selects appropriate protective clothing		
3.	*Evaluates effectiveness of decontamination procedures		
4.	*Reports and documents mass decontamination activities		
AMBULATORY VICTIM			
1.	Stays clear of product (effort is made to contain runoff)		
2.	Sets up appropriate type of mass decontamination system based on equipment available		
3.	Instructs victims to remove clothing and walk through decontamination corridor		
4.	Flushes victims with water		
5.	Directs victims to triage area		
NONAMBULATORY VICTIM			
1.	Removes victim's clothing (does not leave clothing underneath victim)		
2.	Flushes contaminated victim with water		
3.	Moves victim to designated triage area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is Paramount	Total number steps candidate must complete to pass Ambulatory victim 8
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective		Total number steps candidate must complete to pass Nonambulatory victim 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-12 Primary Task: Technical Decontamination		Candidate #	
The ability to set up technical decontamination and implement operations – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.4.1B(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)			
The candidate, given an incident, appropriate PPE, decontamination equipment, and operating under the supervision of a hazardous materials technician, shall set up a technical decontamination corridor, and implement technical decontamination for ambulatory and nonambulatory victims			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st	2nd
1. * Selects appropriate protective clothing			
2. * Establishes decontamination corridor in warm zone			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sets up large containment area (uses tarp or sheeting) • Identifies number of stations in the decontamination corridor • Identifies clean side and dirty side of containment area • Marks off area with barrier tape or traffic cones (lighting for night operations) • Identifies type of decontamination – wet or dry • Sets tool drop station at start of decontamination line • Sets up water supply or hydrant with proper hoses and equipment and locates supply close to decontamination corridor • Sets up decontamination equipment (nozzles, wand, manifolds, etc.) to include separate hose for emergency decon 			
3. Performs gross decontamination			
4. Performs technical decontamination wash station with appropriate equipment			
5. Performs technical decontamination rinse station with appropriate equipment			
6. Assists responder in removal of SCBA			
7. Assists responder in removal of PPC			
8. Assists responder in removal of face piece			
9. *Evaluates effectiveness of decontamination procedures			
10. Directs responder to rehabilitation			
11. *Reports and documents technical decontamination activities			
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 8

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Skill Sheet HMO-13 Primary Task: Product Control - Absorption			Candidate #	
The ability to demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)				
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, and working as a team, shall demonstrate how to perform product control using absorption techniques				
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st	2nd
1.	* Wears appropriate protective clothing			
2.	* Maintains buddy system			
3.	* Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product			
4.	Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side			
5.	Deploys absorbent material in pools of liquid without splashing			
6.	Shovels contaminated absorbent material into overpack container			
7.	Seals and labels overpack container			
8.	Places tools/equipment in tool drop area			
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass	6

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Skill Sheet HMO-14 Primary Task: Product Control - Adsorption		
		Candidate #
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate how to perform product control using adsorption techniques		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side		
5. Deploys adsorbent material in pools of liquid without splashing		
6. Shovels contaminated adsorbent material into overpack container		
7. Seals and labels overpack container		
8. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-15 Primary Task: Product Control - Damming		
		Candidate #
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate how to construct a dam to separate a liquid hazardous material from existing waterways		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side		
5. Assesses terrain for best location of dam		
6. Uses appropriate method (underflow/overflow) based on specific gravity of product		
7. Ensures dam adequately holds product back		
8. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-16 Primary Task: Product Control - Diking		
Candidate #		
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate construction of a dike to confine or divert a liquid hazardous material		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.	1st	2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side		
5. Assesses terrain for best location of dike		
6. Constructs dike of adequate size to confine or divert the entire spill		
7. Ensures dike adequately holds product back		
8. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-17 Primary Task: Product Control - Dilution		
		Candidate #
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate dilution of a hazardous material		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side		
5. Determines viability of dilution operation		
6. Ensures water used will not overflow and impact other product control activities		
7. Adds small amounts of water from a distance to dilute the product		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Skill Sheet HMO-18 Primary Task: Product Control - Diversion		
		Candidate #
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate diversion of a liquid hazardous materials spill by redirecting the flow of the product to an appropriate retention area		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side		
5. Assesses terrain and selects or creates a retention area to hold spill		
6. Starts diversion distant to the spill and works toward the spill		
7. Adequately redirects flow of product		
8. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-19 Primary Task: Product Control - Retention			
	Candidate #		
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(2)			
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate use of a retention area for a liquid hazardous materials spill by using natural depressions, a ditch or by digging a hole to adequately confine the product			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing 2. * Maintains buddy system 3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product 4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side 5. Assesses terrain for best location of retention area 6. Constructs retention area and associate structures distant to the spill 7. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area 			
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Skill Sheet HMO-20 Primary Task: Product Control – Vapor Dispersion		
		Candidate #
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(1)(3)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate use of a water spray to reduce or divert the vapor cloud		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st 2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing		
2. * Maintains buddy system		
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
4. Approaches container from uphill/upwind side		
5. Directs water spray at vapor cloud		
6. * Ensures that water is not directed into container		
7. Ensures that appropriate defensive tactics are employed to control runoff		
8. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-21 Primary Task: Product Control – Vapor Suppression		Candidate #	
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(1)(2)			
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate the application of special purpose or hazard suppressing foam. The candidate will properly apply and maintain a foam blanket using roll-on, rain-down, and/or bank-off methods to safely suppress the vapors			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st	2nd
1.	* Demonstrates application of foam(s) or agent(s) on a spill or fire involving hazardous materials/WMD		
2.	* Identifies characteristics and applicability of Class B foams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aqueous film-forming foam (AFFF) • Alcohol-resistant concentrates • Fluoroprotein • High-expansion foam 		
3.	* Implements planned response		
4.	* Wears appropriate protective clothing		
5.	* Maintains buddy system		
6.	* Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product		
7.	Approaches container from uphill/upwind side		
8.	Uses appropriate application technique for foam/agent/fuel type		
9.	Ensures appropriate defensive tactics are employed to control runoff		
10.	Places tools/equipment in tool drop area		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 7

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Skill Sheet HMO-22 Primary Task: Product Control – Remote Control Shutoff		
Candidate #		
Demonstrate product control functions – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.6.1B(1)(4)		
The candidate, given required tools, equipment, supplies and a simulated hazardous materials spill, working as a team, shall demonstrate use of a remote shutoff to contain a hazardous material in a fixed facility or highway tank trailer		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.	1st	2nd
1. * Wears appropriate protective clothing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. * Maintains buddy system	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. * Minimizes intentional contact with spilled product	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Approaches spill from uphill/upwind side	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Activates remote shutoff to contain product	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Uses appropriate method to confine released product	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Places tools/equipment in tool drop area	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Skill Sheet HMO-23 Primary Task: Air Monitoring and Sampling		Candidate #	
The ability to perform air monitoring and sampling– NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.7.1B			
The candidate, given air monitoring and sampling equipment, will select the suitable detection or monitoring equipment, describe operation, capabilities and limitations, and demonstrate field test and operation of device and interpret readings.			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st	2nd
1. Identifies suitable meter			
2. * Describes use of meter and what the meter is capable of monitoring			
3. * Demonstrates field test and start of the unit			
4. Demonstrates proper metering at various elevations			
5. Demonstrates shutdown method for the meter			
6. Performs proper procedures for documentation of readings			
7. Documents activity log			
8. Cleans and decontaminates according to manufacturers recommendations and AHJ policies			
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-24		Primary Task: Interpret Meter Readings	
Objective(s) : 6.7.1B(3)		NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No. <input type="text"/>
Task			
		1st	2nd
1	*Wears appropriate protective clothing in a manner consistent with training and manufacturer's recommendations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	Determines if explosive atmosphere exists	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3	Determines if SCBA use is needed based on CO levels	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4	Determines if in Oxygen deficient/enriched atmosphere	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5	Determines whether Hydrogen Sulfide and/or Hydrogen Cyanide level is within safe limits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6	Communicates results of metering to IC	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	
Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass			5

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-25		Primary Task: Interpreting Ph Paper	
Objective(s): 6.7.1B(1)(3)		NFPA Standard 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate No. <input type="text"/>
Task			
		1st	2nd
1	*Wears proper PPE correctly	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
2	Ensures proper detection, monitoring, or sampling method	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3	Inspects Ph paper to determine if used or expired	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
4	Properly samples product to be tested	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
5	Compares results to color scale	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
6	Reports results in accordance with AHJ policies and procedures	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
7	Disposes of Ph paper in accordance with AHJ policies and procedures	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Skill Sheet No. HMO-26		Primary Task: Victim Triage	
Objective(s) : 6.8.1B(1-3)		NFPA Standard: 1072 2017 Edition	Candidate
Task:			
		1st	2nd
1.	* Determines viability of victims		
2.	Considers rescue versus recovery options		
3.	Prioritizes, tags, and records victims		
4.	Determines best method to rescue/retrieve victim		
5.	Documents activity log		
* Critical Step	Failure of this step mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 4

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Skill Sheet HMO-27 Primary Task: Victim Rescue and Recovery			Candidate #
The ability to perform victim rescue and recovery at hazardous materials/WMD incidents – NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.8.1B			
The candidate, given a hazardous materials/WMD incident, PPE, specialized rescue equipment, and working as a team, will describe safety procedures, determine feasibility for conducting rescue/recovery, and demonstrate a victim rescue/recovery.			
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		1st	2nd
1. Determines feasibility of conducting rescue and recovery operations			
2. *Describes safety procedures, guidelines and response considerations for each of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Line-of-sight ambulatory victims • Line-of-sight nonambulatory victims • Non-line-of-sight ambulatory victims • Non-line-of-sight nonambulatory victims • Victim rescue versus victim recovery 			
3. Determines if options are within the capabilities of available resources			
4. Selects appropriate PPE			
5. Identifies team positions			
6. *Selects and demonstrates the use of specialized rescue equipment			
7. Demonstrates effective methods for victim rescue and recovery			
8. Demonstrates the ability to triage victims			
9. Completes required documentation and reports			
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-28 Primary Task: Evidence Preservation and Sampling		
		Candidate #
The ability to preserve evidence and perform sampling– NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.5.1B		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		
	1st	2nd
1. Identifies incidents potentially violating criminal statutes or government regulations		
2. Identifies the proper agency having investigative law enforcement jurisdiction		
3. *Secures, characterizes, and preserves the scene		
4. *Follows chain of custody procedures		
5. Characterizes hazards		
6. Determines agency having response authority to collect public safety samples		
7. Determines agency having law enforcement authority to collect evidence and samples		
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 5

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Skill Sheet HMO-29 Primary Task: Evidence Preservation and Sampling		
		Candidate #
The ability to preserve evidence and perform sampling– NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.5.1B		
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.		
	1st	2nd
1. Operates field screening and sampling equipment to screen for corrosivity, flammability, oxidizers, radioactivity volatile organic compounds(VOC) and fluorides		
2. *Protects evidence from secondary contamination		
3. Collect public safety samples		
4. *Packages and labels samples		
5. Decontaminates samples		
6. *Decontaminates outside of sample packaging		
7. Prepares samples for protection and transportation to a laboratory		
8. Completes required reports and documentation		
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT
		Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass 6

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Skill Sheet HMO-30 Primary Task: Illicit Laboratory Response			Candidate #	
The ability to respond to an incident involving an Illicit Laboratory– NFPA 1072, 2017 Edition, 6.9.1B				
Note to candidate: Skill will end when you state or indicate that you have completed the identified steps.			1st	2nd
1.	Implements scene control procedures			
2.	* Selects proper PPE			
3.	* Selects proper detection, monitoring and sampling equipment			
4.	Implements technical decontamination			
5.	Secures illicit laboratory			
6.	*Identifies and isolates hazards			
7.	Identifies safety hazards			
8.	Conducts joint hazardous materials/hazardous device assesment operation			
9.	*Completes required documentation			
* Critical Task	Failure of this task mandates failure on the entire objective	Safety is PARAMOUNT	Total number tasks candidate must complete to pass	6

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