

Meridian Fire Department

IPS#
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Standard:

NFPA 1001-19: 4.3.1

Individual Performance Standards

Description: Donning SCBA from ground.

Conditions:

Given the proper tools and/or equipment, demonstrate the safe and efficient donning of an SCBA, including facepiece (from the ground) for entry into and IDLH environment. Helmet and gloves must be donned prior to task completion and FF "on air"

**IPS will be successful if completed with a score of 80% or above without any critical failures. **

Time Standard:	Time Adjustments:	Time: (1st)	Time: (2nd)
1:00	N/A		

Competencies:		1 st Attempt	2 nd Attempt
1.	*Checks pressure gauge on cylinder to ensure proper pressure (Verbalizes pressure)	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
2.	*Opens cylinder fully (Regulator/by-pass closed. If air leaks, solves/corrects problem, continues skill)		
3.	* Verbalizes low pressure alarm and PASS activation	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
4.	Grasps cylinder/harness with both hands	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
5.	Dons SCBA using either coat or overhead method (Ensures shoulder straps are in place)	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
6.	Adjusts/tightens shoulder straps and waist belt	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
7.	*Removes helmet	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
8.	*Dons facepiece		
9.	Tightens facepiece straps (Staring with bottom straps and working upward)	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
10.	Checks facepiece for seal and exhalation valve operation (Covers inhalation port, inhales, verifies facepiece collapses onto face with no air leaks. Exhales, verifying proper exhalation valve operation)	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
11.	*Dons protective hood properly (ensures complete seal around mask)	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
12.	*Re-dons helmet, tightens chin strap	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
13. *Dons gloves (if previously removed or not donned)		Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
14. *Checks remote gauge (verbalizes pressure)		Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail
15. *Reports task completion to Engineer/Officer (Time Stops)		Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail

* Indicates a "Critical" component. Failure to complete any critical component constitutes a complete failure of the skill 13/15

Firefighter:	Date:	
Evaluator	Date:	
Attempt Outcome:	Pass / Fail	Pass / Fail