

TENNESSEE FIRE COMMISSION

RT: Rope Rescue Awareness

Instructional JPR Verification Sheet

Full Name: _____ **Fire Department:** _____

This Instructional JPR Verification Sheet is to be used in conjunction with the Tennessee Fire Commission RT: Rope Awareness Skill Sheets. These skills meet all the requirements of NFPA 1006, Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications, 2021 Edition. Each of these skills should be taught and assessed during the course. This form must be submitted by the Instructor for Certification.

Skill Sheet	Primary Task	JPR(s) Covered
RA-01	Identify Support Resources	5.1.1
RA-02	Size Up a Rescue Incident	5.1.2
RA-03	Recognize Incident Hazards	5.1.3
RA-04	Recognize the Need for Technical Resources	5.1.4
RA-05	Support an Incident	5.1.5
Course Location:		Course Dates:
Instructor Printed Name:		Instructor Signature:
Candidate Printed Name:		Candidate Signature:



Identify Support Resources

Reference Source: NFPA 1006, *Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications*. 5.1.1. 2021 edition.

Rescue Technician – Rope Awareness

Skill Sheet RT: RA-01

Assist a team in operation of the haul line of a rope mechanical advantage system raising operation, given rescue personnel, an established rope rescue system, a load to be moved, and an anchor system, so that the movement is controlled; a reset is accomplished; the load can be held in place when needed; commands are followed in direction of the operation; and potential problems are

Expected time to complete skill(s) is 15 minutes

Performance Steps	Test		Retest	
	P	F	P	F
Safely performs the following steps:				
1. Demonstrate the ability to recognize operational commands				
2. Identify safety concerns during a raising operation				
Candidate must successfully perform 1/2 steps including ALL CRITICAL POINTS	Score: __/2		Score: __/2	

Evaluator Notes

Evaluator Print Name & Signature:	Date	Overall Skill Sheet Score	
		Pass ___	Fail ___
By my signature above, I verify that I am currently certified to the level I am testing (TN/PB/IFSAC)			
Re-Test Evaluator Print Name & Signature:		Overall Skill Sheet Re-Test Score	
		Pass ___	Fail ___
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Candidate Print Name & Signature:	Candidate: Print Name or Candidate #		

Note to Evaluator(s): By your signature above, you verify that you are qualified to serve as an TFFC Evaluator, have followed TFFC Skills Testing Policy, and have witnessed that the above candidate has tested the above skills in their entirety.

Note to Student: Skill will end when you state or indicate to the evaluator that you have completed all the identified steps. Notify the evaluator at **ANY** time that you have a safety concern.



Size Up a Rescue Incident

Reference Source: NFPA 1006, *Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications*, 5.1.2, 2021 edition.

Rescue Technician- Rope Awareness

Skill Sheet RT: RA-02

Given background information and applicable reference materials, so that the scope of the rescue is determined, the number of victims is identified, the last reported location of all victims is established, witnesses and reporting parties are identified and interviewed, resource needs are assessed, search parameters are identified, and information required to develop and incident action plan is obtained, the candidate shall size up a rescue incident so the listed performance steps are completed.

Expected time to complete skill(s) is 15 minutes

Performance Steps		Test		Retest	
Safely performs the following steps:		P	F	P	F
1. Consult technical rescue reference materials to determine the type of rescue					
2. The number of victims is identified—CRITICAL POINT					
3. The last reported location of all victims is established					
4. Witnesses and reporting parties are identified and interviewed					
5. Search parameters are identified					
6. Information is relayed to rescue personnel					
Candidate must successfully perform 5/6 steps including ALL CRITICAL POINTS		Score: ___/6		Score: ___/6	
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Recognize Incident Hazards

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Rescue Technician- Rope Awareness

Skill Sheet RT: RA-03

Given scene control barriers, personal protective equipment, requisite equipment, and available specialized resources, the candidate shall manage incident hazards so that all hazards are identified, resource application fits the operational requirements, hazard isolation is considered, risks to rescuers and victims are minimized, and rescue time constraints are taken into account, the candidate shall manage incident hazards so the listed performance steps are completed.

Expected time to complete skill(s) is 15 minutes

Performance Steps		Test		Retest	
Safely performs the following steps:		P	F	P	F
1. Identify resource capabilities and limitations					
2. Identify incident hazards					
3. Assess potential hazards to rescuers and bystanders - CRITICAL POINT					
4. Utilize technical references as needed					
5. Place scene control barriers					
6. Control mitigation equipment					
Candidate must successfully perform 5/6 steps including ALL CRITICAL POINTS		Score: ___/6		Score: ___/6	
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Recognize the need for Technical Resources

Reference source: NFPA 1006, *Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications*, 5.1.4, 2022 edition

Rescue Technician- Rope Awareness

Skill Sheet RT: RA-04

Recognize the need for Technical Rescue Resources at an operations- or technician-level incident, given AHJ guidelines, so that the need for additional resources is identified, the response system is initiated, the scene is secured and rendered safe until additional resources arrive, and awareness-level personnel are incorporated into the operational plan.

Expected time to complete skill(s) is 30 minutes

Performance Steps		Test		Retest	
Safely performs the following steps:		P	F	P	F
1. Apply operational protocols					
2. Select specific planning forms based on the types of incidents					
3. Identify and evaluate various types of hazards within the AHJ					
4. Request support and resources					
5. Determine the required safety measures- CRITICAL POINT					
6. Task assignments are communicated and monitored so that objectives are met					
Candidate must successfully perform 5/6 steps including ALL CRITICAL POINTS		Score: ___/6		Score: ___/6	
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Support an Incident

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Rescue Technician- Rope Awareness

Skill Sheet RT: RA-05

Support an operations- or technician-level incident, given an incident, an assignment, an incident action plan, and resources from the tool kit, so that the assignment is carried out, progress is reported to command, environmental concerns are managed, personnel rehabilitation is facilitated, and the incident action plan is supported.

Expected time to complete skill(s) is 30 minutes

Performance Steps		Test		Retest	
Safely Performs the following steps:		P	F	P	F
1. Apply operational protocols					
2. Function within an incident management system					
3. Follow and implement an incident action plan					
4. Report the task progress to a supervisor or incident command- CRITICAL POINT					
Candidate must successfully perform 5/7 steps including ALL CRITICAL POINTS		Score: __/7		Score: __/7	
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