



NOVA SCOTIA FIREFIGHTERS SCHOOL

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Professional Training & Instruction for Emergency Responders

Vehicle Extrication

Objective

To provide necessary skills enabling the student to evaluate a situation, carry out control measures, and extricate a victim(s) from a motor vehicle.

Incident Scene Safety Officer

Objective

To provide Fire Department members the knowledge and skills to perform the duties of the Incident Safety Officer during incident operations and training evolutions. The primary focus is developing decision making skills through the recognition of cues that affect firefighter safety as per *NFPA 1500 the Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program*.

Emergency Vehicle Driver Training

Objective

Present the necessary classroom, competency course training and testing for new and existing emergency vehicle drivers. The program will verify proficiency in the knowledge and understanding of, as well as, the practical application to emergency vehicle driving as per *NFPA 1002 Standard on Fire Apparatus Driver Operator Professional Qualifications*.

Managing Company Tactical Operations

Objective

To develop the management skills needed by Company Officers to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires

Emergency Responders Traffic Management Guidelines

Objective

To provide the candidate with training to enable him or her to recognize various hazards at motor vehicle accidents and to setup safe working areas on roads with traffic. This course was developed from various IFSTA curriculums in conjunction with the *Nova Scotia Emergency Responders Traffic Management Guideline* and the *Nova Scotia Motor Vehicle Act*.

Incident Command Systems

ICS100 & ICS200

Objective

To introduce the basics of the Incident Command System (ICS). Course participants will be better prepared to function within an ICS environment. At the successful completion of this course, students will be able to demonstrate a basic knowledge of the Incident Command System.