

TECHNICAL RESCUE SQUAD TECHNICIAN

TYPE	TYPE 1	NO TYPE 2
DESCRIPTION	The Type 1 Technical Rescue Squad Officer is responsible for identifying hazards, using equipment, and applying advanced rescue techniques in a variety of technical search and rescue situations in the urban environment	Not Applicable
CATEGORY	CRITERIA	CRITERIA
EDUCATION	Not Specified	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	
TRAINING	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Training consistent with Level II of <i>NFPA 1006: Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications, Chapters 4 and 5</i> and applicable specialty portions 2. Training consistent with <i>NFPA 1670: Standard on Operations and Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents</i> in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Requirements • Rope Rescue • Structural Collapse Search and Rescue • Confined Space Search and Rescue • Vehicle Rescue • Water Search and Rescue • Machinery • Trench and Excavation Search and Rescue 3. Training consistent with <i>NFPA 472: Standard for Competence of Responders to Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction Incidents, Hazardous Materials Technician (Current Edition)</i> or equivalent instruction on responding to and operating in a CBRNE incident 4. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Duties of the Entrant per 29 CFR 1910.146 5. OSHA 1910.120 and/or 1910.134(f), Respiratory Protection 6. IS-/ICS-100: Introduction to Incident Command System 7. IS-/ICS-200: ICS for Single Resource and Initial Action Incidents 8. IS-700: National Incident Management (NIMS), An Introduction 9. FEMA/Department of Justice (DOJ) Emergency Response to Terrorism: Basic Concepts 10. Bloodborne/Airborne Pathogens Training 	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	

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EXPERIENCE	Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities include: Position task book or equivalent documentation that validates and verifies demonstrated ability to perform required skills in exercises and/or actual incident operations Experience: Demonstrated experience as a technician in the discipline	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	
PHYSICAL/ MEDICAL FITNESS	Medical and physical fitness requirements that include the ability to perform duties under arduous circumstances characterized by working consecutive 12-14 hour days under physical and emotional stress for sustained periods of time	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	
CURRENCY	1. Operational incident experience or participation in exercises, drills or simulations within the past three years 2. National background checks, completed within 12 months, including sex offender registries, and a social security trace-based criminal history, as well as any other background checks required by state law	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	Not Specified	Not Applicable
	NOTES: None	

ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS OR DESIGNATIONS

- Can be ordered as an individual asset
- Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed team (Technical Rescue Team)
- Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed unit

REFERENCES

1. *NFPA 1006: Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications*
2. *NFPA 1670: Standard on Operations and Training for Technical Search and Rescue Incidents*
3. *NFPA 472: Standard for Competence of Responders to Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction Incidents, Hazardous Materials Technician*

NOTE

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated category.

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