DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION

# **CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY**

# **E** TRAINING CALENDAR



# A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING

I would like to extend my sincerest appreciation to our adjunct instructors and staff. Ever since I was a part-time adjunct, I have always been proud to work with such talented people. We recently have had the opportunity to refill a few vacant positions due to retirements. The expansion of our on-line registration will streamline the student experience and help strengthen customer service. Our team is committed to delivering the best programs available to prepare the Connecticut Fire Service to mitigate the wide range of incidents they will encounter each day.

The Connecticut Fire Academy trains over 6,000 firefighters annually, through more than 400 course deliveries, both on campus and at off-site host locations.

Fortunately, we continue to be very successful in obtaining Assistance to Firefighter Grant awards. With five significant awards in six years, we have been able purchase almost three million dollars in equipment. This equipment, along with updated policies and training, will allow us to continue to maintain the health and safety of our students and instructors as a number one priority.

Our popular Seminar Series, June Fire School and Rescue / HazMat Week will continue this year with new and innovative classes.

This 2020 Training Calendar has only a fraction of the courses offered annually by the Connecticut Fire Academy. If you are interested in a class not listed here, please contact us.

I look forward to seeing you at one of the many training opportunities offered this year.

Be safe.

Respectfully, Bill Higgins, Director of Fire Training

#### WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

For weather cancellation information call the Connecticut Fire Academy Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 am 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450. Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3, WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class. CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 415. STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION Office Hours are M–F 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Main Phone Number (860) 627-6363 In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473 Fax (860) 654-1889

#### Program Hours

Day programs are from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Evening programs are from 6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Please refer to your confirmation for specific times.

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Please note that some locations, times, and dates are subject to changes without notice. Registered students will be notified if any changes occur.

Connecticut Fire Academy Acceptance Notices and Refund / Cancellation Policy Acceptance notices with directions will be mailed as soon as

programs are filled or approximately two weeks prior to the start of all programs. Applicants not accepted in a program will generally be notified within a week of our receiving their application.

Seating is limited for many Connecticut Fire Academy programs. Please notify the Training Registrar promptly in the event of a need to cancel your registration. Not only will your refund be processed in a timely manner, but your seat can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Students canceling at least seven days in advance of a program will receive a full refund. Please note that refunds are processed by the state Comptroller's Office and may take up to one month. CPAT has a unique refund policy on page 35.

Effective January 1,2016 cash will no longer be accepted as a method of payment for training, certification, lodging and Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) related activities. This proposal does not impact CFA book store operations where cash will continue to be accepted.

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	Office Assistant	257		860-264-9257
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HARTFORD COUNTY FIRE	SCHOOL			
	Hartford County Fire School	246		
MISCELLANEOUS				
	Bradley Airport Fire Department		860-292-2160 or 860-292-2162	
Class Cancellation	Weather Notification	450	updated 6:30 am	
CPAT Test	Status Hotline	415		

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### SAVE THE DATE

EVENT	DATE(S)	LOCATION
CT Fire Officers Weekend	March 20-22	Emmitsburg, MD
CPAT Spring Application Deadline	March 29	Online
National Fire Symposium	April 29-30	Washington, D.C.
June Fire School	June 1-6	CFA
New England Fire Chief's Show	June 26-27	Worcester, MA
National Honor Guard Academy	July 19-24	CFA
CPAT Fall Application Deadline	August 2	Online
Public Fire & Life Safety Educator's Conference	August 20	CFA
CT State Firefighters Convention	September 18-20	Canaan
CT Fallen Firefighters Memorial Ceremony	September 27	CFA
National Fallen Firefighters Weekend	October 3-4	Emmitsburg, MD
Fire Prevention Week	October 4-10	USA
Rescue Week	October 4-10	CFA
Fire Service College Fair	October 17	CFA

For the latest fire service news and information, follow the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection's Commission on Fire Prevention and Control – Connecticut Fire Academy on its official Twitter page @CTCFPC

#### **ONLINE REGISTRATION EXPANDING FOR 2020!**

The Connecticut Fire Academy will be expanding Online registration for all CFA Training Calendar Courses offered during 2020. Registering online allows a student to track all training courses taken and certifications obtained. Soon you will be able to get copies of these documents or a full transcript at any time. Also, Credit Card information is more secure and refunds can be processed much more rapidly. We process both PayPal and credit card payments on our system.

To register online go to: **https://ctlms-cfa.ct.gov** and follow the directions to create an account. Then you can browse for courses, register and pay online. Although we are still accepting "paper" registrations during 2020 we anticipate eliminating them in the next year and converting to all online registrations. CFA encourages everyone to sign up for 2020 Training classes using our online system.

#### **SEMINAR SERIES FOR 2020**

The Connecticut Fire Academy will continue to offer one or two day Seminars from nationally recognized presenters during 2020. Stay tuned to the CFA List Serve or to our website (**www.ct.gov/cfpc**) for more details on these unique training opportunities.

To subscribe to the listserv:

1. Compose an email to **listserv@list.ct.gov** from the email address you wish to have added.

2. Leave the subject line blank and in the body of the message type:

Subscribe *LISTSERV NAME YourFirstName YourLastName* (FOR EXAMPLE: Subscribe CFPC\_news John Doe)

3. You will receive an e-mail confirmation request. Follow the directions to confirm your email address

4. You will then receive an e-mail that you have successfully subscribed to the listserv.

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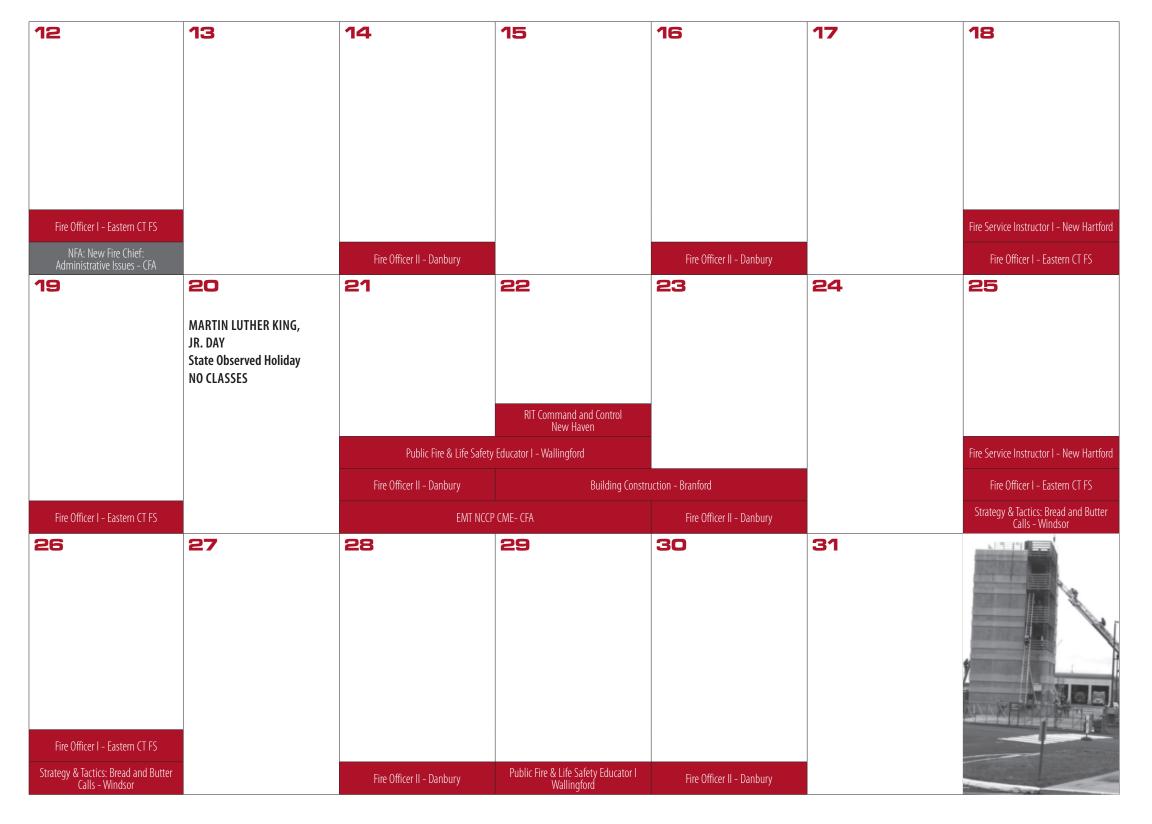


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#### Program Hours

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	EMR NCCP CME (Night) - CFA	EMR NCCP CME (Night) – CFA	Stop the Bleed (Night) – CFA	Stop the Bleed (Night) – CFA		NFA: New Fire Chief: Administrative Issues – CFA



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Fire Officer I – Eastern CT FS						
Strategy & Tactics:		Fire Service Instructor I – Middletown				Fire Service Instructor I PCE New Hartford
Fundamentals – Ledyard		Fire Officer II – Danbury		Fire Officer II – Danbury PCE		Fire Officer I – Eastern CT FS
16	<b>17</b> PRESIDENT'S DAY State Observed Holiday NO CLASSES	18	19	20	21	22
		Fire Service Instructor I - Middletown				
		Stop the Bleed (Night) - CFA				
		Cold Water Re	scue – Branford			
Fire Officer I – Eastern CT FS PCE			nt Safety Officer: Fire Suppression – New	Haven		Cold Water Rescue – Wolcott
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		Fire Service Instructor I - Middletown				Fire Service Instructor I WCE New Hartford
		Fire Officer II – Danbury WCE				Fire Officer I – Eastern CT FS WCE
Cold Water Rescue – Wolcott		Stop the Bleed (Afternoon) – CFA				Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression – Niantic



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Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton		Incident Safety Officer:				Fire Officer I – Farmington
Incident Safety Officer:	Fire Officer I / II - Milford	Fire Suppression – New Haven WCE	Fire Officer I / II - Milford			Incident Safety Officer:
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			Fire Officer I / II - Milford			
Cold Water Rescue – Norfolk		Fireground Survi	ival – New Haven			RIT Command & Control – Litchfield County Regional FS
Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton		Fire Service Instructor I Middletown PCE	Youth Firesetter Interv	vention Specialist – CFA	Rescue Technician: Confined	Tanker Shuttle Operations Dodgingtown
				Space I / II – Danbury PCE		

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Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton			Fireground Survival – New Haven			Fire Officer I – Farmington
Tanker Shuttle Operations Dodgingtown			Fire Officer I / II - Milford	Fire Service Instructor II – Danbury		Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression – Niantic WCE
Fire Officer I – Farmington	Fire Officer I / II - Milford		Pump Operator – Hartford		CT Fire Officer	Weekend – NFA
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
		Fire Service Instructor I Middletown WCE				
Public Information Officer – Dayville		Rescue Technician: Confined Space I / II – Danbury WCE	Fire Officer I / II - Milford			
Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton			Rescue Technician: Core – Fairfield			
Fire Officer I – Farmington			Health & Safety Officer – Waterbury			Fire Officer I – Farmington
CT Fire Officer Weekend - NFA	Fire Officer I / II - Milford		Pump Operator – Hartford			Fire Behavior & Flashover Simulation CFA
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Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton PCE		Pump Operator – Hartford WCE				
Aerial Operator – Old Lyme		Health & Safety Officer – Waterbury WCE				
Fire Officer I – Farmington		Advanced Vehicle Ex	trication – Uncasville			
Fire Officer II – Bozrah	EMR NCCF	° CME – CFA	Fire Officer I / II – Milford			
Rescue Technician: Core – Newington	Fire Officer I / II - Milford	Rescu	ue Technician: Rope I / II – North Thompso	nville		Fire Officer II – Bozrah

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						Basic Pump Operation – Wolcott
						Aerial Operator – Old Lyme
			Fire Officer I / II – Milford			Fire Officer I – Farmington
		Strategy & Tactics: Bread &	& Butter Calls – East Haven	Fire Service Instructor II – Danbury		Fire Officer II – Bozrah
	Fire Officer I / II - Milford		ıe Technician : Rope I / II – North Thompsc	onville		Rescue Technician: Core – Newington
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Fire Service Instructor I – Shelton WCE						
Basic Pump Operation – Wolcott						RIT Command & Control – Wolcott
Aerial Operator – Old Lyme						Pump Operator – Dayville
Fire Officer I – Farmington PCE			Fire Service Instructor I – East Haven			Aerial Operator – Old Lyme
Fire Officer II – Bozrah	Fire Officer I / II - Milford	Rescue Technician: Rope I / II – North Thompsonville	Fire Officer I / II - Milford PCE			Fire Officer II – Bozrah
Rescue Technician: Core – Newington	EMT NCCP	CME – CFA	Rescue Technician: Rope I / II – North Thompsonville PCE			Rescue Technician: Core – Newington
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Pump Operator – Dayville						
Aerial Operator – Old Lyme				Fire Service Instructor II – Danbury		
Fire Officer II – Bozrah			Fire Service Instructor I – East Haven	Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		
Rescue Technician: Core – Newington		Fire Officer I – Mashantucket	National Fire & Emergency Servi	ice Symposium – Washington DC		

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		Fire Officer I – Mashantucket				Q Endorsement - CFA
Pump Operator – Dayville		Rescue Technician: Rope I / II North Thompsonville WCE	Fire Service Instructor I East Haven			Pump Operator – Dayville
Fire Officer II – Bozrah		Stop the Bleed (Night) - CFA	Fire Officer I / II – Milford WCE	Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		Aerial Operator – Old Lyme WCE
Rescue Technician: Core – Bethany			Rescue Technician: Trench I / II - Naugatuc	k		Fire Officer II – Bozrah PCE
Rescue Technician: Vehicle I / II Ledyard			Aerial Operator – Norwich			Rescue Technician: Vehicle I / II Ledyard

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						Building Construction East Thompson
				Fire Service Instructor II PCE — Danbury		Q Endorsement - CFA
				Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		Pump Operator – Dayville
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			Aerial Operator – Norwich		Rescue Technician: Trench I / II Naugatuck PCE	Rescue Technician: Core – Bethany
		Fire Officer I – Mashantucket	Fire Service Instructor I – East Haven	NFA Executive Skills: Exercisi	ing Leadership Ethically – CFA	Rescue Technician: Vehicle I / II Ledyard
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Building Construction East Thompson						
Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression Litchfield County Regional FS		Fire Officer I – Mashantucket	Fire Service Instructor I – East Haven			
Rescue Technician: Core – Bethany		Strategy & Tactics: Everyday	/ Emergencies – New Haven	Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		
Rescue Technician: Vehicle I / II Ledyard		Res	cue Technician: Confined Space I / II – Guil	lford		
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	MEMORIAL DAY State Observed Holiday					Fire Service Instructor III Litchfield County Regional FS
	NO CLASSES					Q Endorsement – CFA
						Pump Operator – Dayville WCE
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		Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		Fire Service Instructor II Danbury WCE		Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression Litchfield County Regional FS
		Rescue Technician: Trench I / II Naugatuck WCE	Fire Service Instructor I East Haven PCE	Fire Officer I – Mashantucket		Rescue Technician: Core – Bethany
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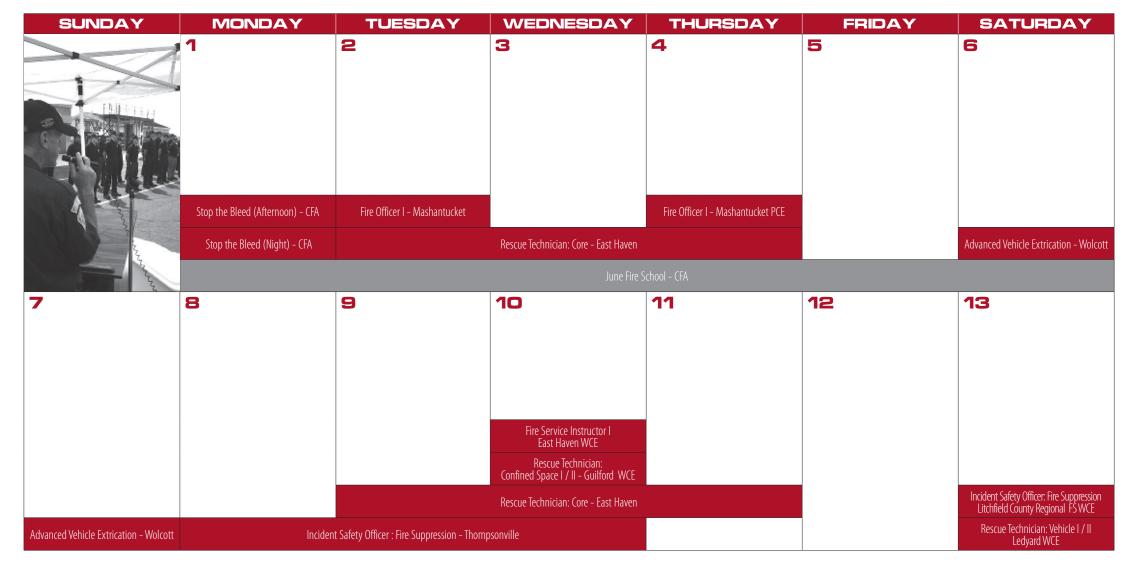
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		Rescue Technician: Vehicle I / II Torrington WCE				

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Fire Officer I – North Madison						Fire Service Instructor II – Essex
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National Fallen Firefighter Weekend Emmitsburg MD		Strategy & Tactics: Fun	damentals – Torrington	Fire Officer I – Stamford		EMR NCCP CME - CFA
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			Fire Prevention Week			

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						Pump Operator – Clinton WCE
						Fire Officer I – North Madison
						Rescue Technician: Core Litchfield County Regional FS
Fire Officer I – North Madison						Rescue Technician: Rope I / II Moosup WCE
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						Fire Service Instructor I Eastern CT FS
						Fire Service Instructor II – Essex PCE
			Fire Officer II – Westport			Strategy & Tactics: Bread & Butter Calls Waterford
Fire Officer I – North Madison PCE			Fire Officer III – East Hartford			Rescue Technician: Core Litchfield County Regional FS
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						Fire Service Instructor II – Essex WCE
			Fire Officer II - Westport			Tanker Shuttle Operations – Uncasville
	Fire Officer II – Westport		Fire Officer III – East Hartford PCE			Aerial Operator – Berlin
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Rescue Technician: Core Litchfield County Regional FS	Strategy &Tactics: Everyday Emergencies (Night) – Darien		Public Information	Officer – Bridgeport		Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression – Wolcott
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Aerial Operator - Berlin	Fire Officer II – Westport					Aerial Operator – Berlin
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			Fire Officer II – Westport PCE			Aerial Operator – Berlin
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#### Program Hours

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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CERTIFIED: Course addresses National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Professional Qualification System Standards for certification; additional examination required.

Certification examination reference materials may be found at www.ct.gov/ cfpc in the "Certification" section. Only those meeting certification prerequisites will be allowed to test.

#### **APPARATUS PROGRAMS**

#### Aerial Operator

This six-day course meets NFPA Standard 1002 for the driver/operator section, which addresses aerial devices.

Instruction will be given on: aerial ladders, tower ladders and articulating booms. Course content will prepare the student for the practical and written examinations for Aerial Operator certification. This course is designed for the driver/operator of aerial equipment. The course begins with road handling and moves on to apparatus placement, mobilization and stabilization, elevation, various aerial operations and apparatus readiness. It is required that each student has access to the manufacturer's reference manual for their department aerial device. This course alone is not designed to produce expert aerial operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their department to build and maintain proficiency in aerial apparatus operations. Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Pumping and Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 3rd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I, or member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977 and legally licensed to drive emergency apparatus. Candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's license with a "Q" Endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/

Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002, Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48

Course Fee: \$320.00

#### Aerial Strategy and Tactics

This course will cover, in detail, general aerial safety issues, rescue priorities, ventilation operations, elevated master streams and general aerial use in both emergency and non-emergency situations. Topics include: basic tactical options for aerial use and limitations, apparatus placement, stabilization systems, and elevation. Students will review the major responsibilities of an aerial apparatus operator including; positioning , spotting, and staging apparatus for incident operations.

Hands-on exercises will reinforce recommended safe practices in the areas of raising, rotating and extending an aerial device, ladder tip placement for various situations and operating aerial master streams.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$100.00

#### **Basic Pump Operation**

This course examines the components and controls used in the operation of a fire pump. The internal parts of a fire pump are examined with the goal of having the student fully understand how the fire pump moves water. Pump panel controls are discussed in relation to the specific function and use of each device. The process and specific functions involved in drafting and hydrant operations are explained in detail. Students will practice setting up for pumping operations. Participants will learn how to determine and overcome friction loss, how to calculate theoretical pump pressure and how to apply easy-to-use "rule of thumb" principles of relay pumping, operating handlines, supplying sprinklers and standpipe systems. On the training ground each

student will apply practical applications while flowing water at prescribed pressures.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$100.00

#### Pump Operator

This course is designed to prepare the student for the practical skills and written examinations for Pump Operator certification. Class work will include: safe driving techniques, preventive maintenance, pump operations, hydraulic calculations, water supply and apparatus systems. The course begins inside the classroom and ends outside with pumping apparatus. The main emphasis is on "hands-on" exercises using various types of pumps, hose sizes and nozzles. This course alone is not designed to produce expert pump operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their departments to build and maintain proficiency in pump apparatus operations.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 3rd Edition; or IFSTA Pumping and Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 3rd Edition. With either Handbook the IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/ Operator Handbook Study Guide is required.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Certified Firefighter I or a member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977. Candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's License with a "Q" endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002,

#### Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Class Hours: 48

#### Course Fee: \$320.00

#### **Q** Endorsement

The Q Endorsement course is designed to prepare the potential fire apparatus operator for the testing requirements established by the State of Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles. This training course will consist of classroom and extensive practical sessions conducted throughout the length of the course culminating with practical testing administered by a designee of the Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles on the final day of the class. Students should make arrangements to practice pre-trip and driving skills at their own firehouse during non-class hours to be more successful with driving test.

Topics covered in the classroom portion of the course include: testing requirements; inspection methods; speed and braking distances; night driving; driving and alcohol; emergencies; accidents; and air brakes. Topics covered in the practical portion of the course include: pre-trip inspection; static course; and over the road skills.

Training Prerequisites: Applicants must possess a valid operator's license. Proof must be submitted with application.

Class Hours: 32

Course Fee: \$275.00

#### **Tanker Shuttle Operations**

This course is designed to make the student aware of the importance of pre-planning water sources and operations for rural water supply tanker transfers prior to the need arising. This course covers the following components: safe tanker operations, driving, filling and dumping; compare and contrast tanker design and efficiency; recognizing proper water sources; evaluating and developing proper dump sites; and organizing mutual aid for tanker task force concepts.

These components are met through the following course goals and objectives: identify apparatus requirements for a water shuttle; identify the requirements for setting up a shuttle operation; describe fill and dump site operations for a water shuttle; describe how to evaluate tanker performance; and demonstrate tanker operation in practical evolutions. On the final day of class, students will

incorporate information given and resources provided to supply a continuous 750 gallon per minute flow rate of water for a minimum of two hours. Successful application of the course information may lead to the enhancement of the ISO rating for your community. Completion of this course allows for students to apply for "Tanker Operator" Certification if currently certified as a Pump Operator.

Full protective clothing (no SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Prerequisites: Certified Pump Operator. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

The Department of Energy & Environmental Protection, Division of Forestry, has special grant funds available to pay for a limited number of the Tanker Shuttle Operations classes. Tanker Shuttle classes will be offered at no charge each year until these grant funds are exhausted. Funding Questions can be directed to: Helene Hochholzer, Forest Protection Supervisor, Division of Forestry, at helene.hochholzer@ct.gov

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$110.00

#### EMS PROGRAMS

#### Emergency Medical Responder Recertification

Nationally registered EMRs are required to renew their certification every 2 years. They can do this by either taking the written exam or by completing continuing education. If EMRs are not nationally registered, they still will follow a 2-year cycle as of January 2020 and the term "refresher" will no longer be used. In place of "refresher" classes, EMS providers will complete three categories of Continuing Medical Education, the NCCP (National Continued Competency Program), the LCCP (Local/State Continued Competency Program) and ICCP (Individual Continued Competency Program). The EMR NCCP requires 16 CME hours to recertify for a 2-year cycle. NCCP is a continuing education system approved by NREMT and soon to be adopted by

Connecticut DPH (Department of Health) for the ongoing education of EMS providers. The NCCP for EMR providers will incorporate the national, local and individual components in this class. Our instructors are also POST certified. Upon completion, students will receive a certificate of hours that can be uploaded to the NREMR dashboard once students create an account.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$175.00

#### Emergency Medical Technician Recertification

With OEMS continuing to explore the NREMT certification model, the term "EMT Refresher" will be replaced this calendar year with the EMT NCCP (Emergency Medical Technician National Continued Competency Program) and will follow the NREMT guidelines by having three categories of learning. There is a National Competency module consisting of 20 hours, a Local/State Competency module consisting of 10 hours and an Individual Competency module consisting of 10 hours. The state of Connecticut written exam is expected to be eliminated and students, whether nationally certified or not, will follow the NREMT guidelines for logging their CME (Continuing Medical Education) hours and classes and will follow a 40-hour, 2-year cycle. Basic Life Support BLS CPR will continue to be included. Our instructors are also POST certified. For more detailed specifics on the breakdown of National/State/ Individual content, topics can be found on the NREMT.org website under EMT Recertification Information.

Class Hours: 40

Course Fee: \$275.00

#### Stop The Bleed

This program is designed for lay rescuers and civilians with little or no medical experience and is a collaborative effort by several organizations including The Hartford Consensus, The American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma, The National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians and The Committee on Tactical Combat Casualty Care. The focus of this 3-hour program is three-fold:

-Knowing the immediate response to bleeding

-Recognizing life-threatening bleeding

-Practicing different techniques for stopping bleeding The course involves didactic and practical learning including use of direct pressure and tourniquets to stop bleeding and different hemostatic agents used to stop bleeding At the completion of the course, students will be issued a Stop the Bleed certificate.

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#### Class Hours: 3

Course Fee: Free

Additional EMS training is available upon request including EMR-Initial classes, CPR/First Aide, FF Rehab and Stop the Bleed. We can tailor our classes to fit your needs.

#### **FIRE OFFICER PROGRAMS**

#### Fire Officer I and II

This course combines both Fire Officer I and II into one comprehensive program for both aspiring and senior officers. Emergency and routine duties will be discussed, along with human resource management, community and government relations, and public education. Students will also cover group behavior issues, employee evaluations, report preparation, pre-fire planning, and inspections. Emergency service delivery skills for both company officers and multiple company supervisors are also covered at length, including exercises in the fire command simulator.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, and ICS 200. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices 3rd Edition.

Certification Exam Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977 and Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

Class Hours: 144

Fire Marshal Credit: 63

Course Fee: No Charge, Funding is provided by the FEMA/NFA State Fire Training Grant.

Fire Officer I

Fire Officer I is a comprehensive course designed to strengthen the new or aspiring fire officer's supervisory and leadership skills. Emergency and routine duties of the company officer will be discussed. Oriented to the level of Lieutenant, topics covered in this course include: human resource management,

community and government relations, public education, safety, inspection and investigation and emergency service delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of the course.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. NIMS 700, ICS 100, ICS 200.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices, 3rd Edition.

Certification Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977 and Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

Class Hours: 96 Course Fee: \$440.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 33

#### Fire Officer II

This course is designed for those fire officers or aspiring officers that need the skills to supervise multiple companies. Generally, this level involves the management of company supervisors involved in the operational aspects of a fire station. Oriented to the level of Captain, topics covered in this course include: group behavior, employee evaluation, communication skills, report preparation, pre-fire and operational planning, inspections, command of hazardous materials incidents, safety and emergency services delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of this course.

Training Prerequisites: Fire Officer I.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett: Fire Officer, Principles and Practices, 3rd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I and Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Class Hours: 80 Course Fee: \$385.00 Fire Officer III

Organizational Administration is a non-traditional course offered to individuals currently holding or aspiring to the rank of shift commander or chief officer. It is designed to enhance the skills of the chief officer by providing a group of peers with a progressive learning environment. This semi-independent study course includes a balance of regularly scheduled peer group discussion sessions and the development of individual projects. Areas covered in the discussions and projects will focus heavily on human resource management, community relations, administration, inspection and investigation, emergency services delivery and safety. Candidates will be required to identify a mentor of their choosing that will provide support and guidance.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer II. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Required Text: The reference books used for this course will be the current edition of the IFSTA Chief Officer 3rd Edition, other texts may be recommended in class.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer II.

Certification will be achieved through a project based assessment method, and written examination.

Class Hours: 56 Course Fee: \$410.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 45

#### Fire Service Instructor I

This course is designed to meet the first level of Fire Service Instructor as identified in the NFPA 1041 standard. Topics covered during the course include: adult learning and communication, understanding performance objectives, evaluation, and methods of instruction. Students will present from a prepared lesson plan. Study and support materials are online. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Homework assignments and formative assessments will be completed and submitted online.

Successful completion of this course will prepare the student to take the Fire Service Instructor I Practical Skills and Written Certification Examinations.

#### Maximum class size: 18

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA, Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$430.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 32

#### Fire Service Instructor II

Designed for the Fire Service Instructor I, Fire Service Instructor II is a comprehensive course designed to meet the requirements of NFPA 1041. Topics covered include: managing instructional resources, development of instructional materials, supervising other instructors, and evaluation. Students will complete a project and deliver a 20 minute presentation. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Homework assignments will be completed and submitted online. Study and support materials are online. Formative assessment will be completed and submitted online.

Maximum class size: 18

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with application.

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition

Class Hours: 40

Course Fee: \$330.00

#### Fire Service Instructor III

This course is designed to meet the third level of instructor as identified in NFPA 1041. Topics include administration, records, policies, supervising instructors, analysis, evaluation and program development. This course is designed for Training Chiefs, and other positions who have responsibility for setting up overall Training programs in their departments.

The course is blended learning, with only one class meeting. Access to a computer with internet is mandatory to complete the course. After all class assignments are completed the student will be able to schedule a written certification exam with the certification division.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition Certification testing time: requires additional dates for the written exam.

Class Hours: 4

Course Fee: \$65.00

## Health and Safety Officer

This course examines the Health and Safety Officer's role with the identification, evaluation and implementation of policies and procedures that affect the health and safety aspects for emergency responders. Through the use of case studies, small group workshops and instructor facilitation of safety concepts, participants will gain a thorough understanding of risk management; wellness issues; incident safety functions; regulatory requirements and their impact on increasing the survivability of fire department personnel. This course is designed for individuals who have department level health and safety responsibilities. Attendees should have a working knowledge of ICS, applicable NFPA and OSHA requirements, and responsibility for setting policy for their department on such issues.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Health and Safety Officer, 2nd Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Direct Entry

Class Hours: 24

Course Fee: \$140.00

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#### Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression

The goal of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to perform the duties of the Incident Safety Officer (ISO) during incident operations and training evolutions.

This course is designed for fire and emergency medical services (EMS) responders who may be designated by the Incident Commander (IC) as an ISO while working within an Incident Command System (ICS). These assignments may occur during firefighting, EMS, special operations type incidents, and training evolutions.

This course is an incident-specific, scenario-oriented course designed to teach students what an ISO needs to know at an incident. The course uses instructor-led discussion, multimedia activities, and small group discussions to convey instructional points.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: Jones & Bartlett, Fire Department Incident Safety Officer, 3rd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I, or have been a Fire Officer with a department on or before July 1, 1986. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 24

Course Fee: \$140.00

# NFA Direct Delivery - Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership Ethically

This two-day course provides students with the ability to recognize ethical dilemmas in the context of their environments, apply a decision model to resolve these dilemmas, render ethical decisions, and defend under scrutiny the resulting decisions that were made in an effort to resolve these dilemmas. This course will become the fourth offering within the Executive Skill Series. Selection criteria: The target audience for all of the Executive Skill Series courses, including this course, is fire and emergency services personnel in positions of authority who have an opportunity to exercise leadership. An eligible student must be minimally assigned to a supervisory level position (for example, a Company Officer).

Prerequisites: None Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$65.00

#### NFA Direct Delivery – New Fire Chief: Administrative Issues

The goal of this course is to provide students the managerial, administrative and leadership skills and awareness necessary for new or recently appointed or elected Chiefs to effectively meet their obligations of the position. Selection criteria: The primary target audience is new or recently appointed or elected fire chiefs in volunteer, combination or career departments, as well as Emergency Medical Services (EMS). The secondary audience is department leaders who may become fire chiefs and local government administrators and elected officials who are involved in the administration of a fire department or EMS service.

Prerequisites: None Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$65.00

Strategy and Tactics: Bread and Butter Calls

This two-day course takes the experienced firefighter through the basics of fireground decision-making. These are the "room and contents", everyday calls that any fire department should be able to control even with limited resources. This course teaches the student to formulate an overall strategy, and to then employ the appropriate tactics to support that strategy using time-tested models. In-class scenarios will take place throughout the course to give students opportunities to work a simulated fire incident.

#### Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$85.00

#### Strategy and Tactics: Everyday Emergencies

This two-day course takes the firefighter and company officer through the everyday calls that make up the majority of fire service responses. These are the most common calls where the responder deals with the citizens and public the most. These calls are often referred to as "nuisance" calls by first responders but to the occupant or those affected by it, the incident could be a crisis. Common calls involve utility issues: gas, electric, water; carbon monoxide detector activations; oil burners and heating units; auto accidents and fires; elevator emergencies; dumpster fires; auto fires; and automatic alarm activations.

#### Strategy and Tactics: Fundamentals

This two-day course introduces the officer candidate to the philosophy and tools required for leadership decision making during emergencies. Subjects covered will be a review of the National Incident Management System (NIMS), Incident Priorities and Decision Making, the basics of fire behavior and building construction, "size-up", evaluation and assessment. Also covered are the differences between "strategy and tactics" using such tools as Layman's Tactical Model and RECEO VS, Terpak's COAL TWAS WEALTHS or Norman's version COAL WAS WEALTH and offensive versus defensive operations.

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$85.00

#### **FIREFIGHTING PROGRAMS**

#### **Building Construction**

This course details the components of building construction that relate to fire and life safety and how understanding the building types and construction principles will improve fire suppression and fireground safety. The emphasis of this course is on firefighter safety. The elements of construction and design of structures are shown to be key factors when inspecting buildings, pre-planning fire operations, and operating at emergencies.

This two-day course will also describe the benefits of cross-disciplinary cooperation among fire protection and design professionals. The course will explain the elements of building construction as they apply to construction codes. It will help to understand the elements of building construction as they apply to firefighter safety, how to anticipate fire behavior based on structural elements of, and thermal effects. The course will also explain how design elements and emerging building methods and materials affect fire behavior and structural performance.

Fire Marshal Credit: 12

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$65.00 Fire Behavior and Flashover Simulation

Fire Behavior and Flashover Simulation begins with a classroom presentation followed by a simulation of a pending flashover in the Connecticut Fire Academy flashover simulator. The flashover simulator offers firefighters the opportunity to observe fire behavior and the signs of an impending flashover in a controlled setting. This training is an experience of a lifetime that could save your life. Students should bring a bottle of water or sport drink to re-hydrate throughout the training.

Participants are required to bring full protective clothing, including SCBA with one spare cylinder. Long pants are required to participate in the flashover live burns. Shorts alone are not acceptable.

The Connecticut Fire Academy will not be responsible for damages to PPE.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

A separate flashover permission slip is required at the time of registration.

Class Hours: 8 Course Fee: \$120.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 4

#### Fireground Survival

This course on firefighter survival and rapid intervention training uses scenarios based on actual incidents to identify problems encountered, and offers solutions for members in life threatening situations. Self-rescue procedures, such as low profile ladder egress and personal rope bail-out procedures will give participants options if caught in deteriorating situations. The course will also cover removing members in distress and teach skills to safely do so. Methods of searching for missing firefighters in an open area will also be covered. Class is labor intensive, full protective clothing including SCBA with spare cylinder is required.

Training Prerequisite: Firefighter I

Class Hours: 24

Course Fee: \$165.00

Class Hours: 16

### Recruit Firefighter

The Recruit Firefighter program is a 70 day, 14-week, residential course that focuses on developing the knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for a new firefighter to perform entry-level tasks under direct supervision. The training program consists of both theory and practical skills development, and is delivered on an incremental basis to promote the maximum retention of job knowledge, skill competency, and safe practices. The recruit will establish a strong will for teamwork, company morale, self-discipline, orderliness, precision, and conduct necessary to be a firefighter. At the conclusion of this course, the recruit firefighter will be tested to the Firefighter I and Firefighter II and Hazardous Materials – First Responder Awareness, Operational and WMD standard.

Course Curriculum: The course covers a broad range of topics that today's firefighter faces on a daily basis, and includes a complete curriculum to encompass Firefighter I and II based on the NFPA 1001 — Firefighter Professional Qualifications and NFPA 472 — Standard of Competence for Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction. In addition, Recruits will experience and train on Health, Wellness, and Fitness, Cultural Diversity, Employee Assistance Programming, Response and Size-up/Fireground Decision Making, Thermal Imaging for the Fire Service, Basic Pump Operations, Basic Aerial Operations, Introduction to Fire Investigation, Elevator Rescue, Confined Space Rescue, Handling Utility Emergencies, Courage to be Safe, Fireground Survival, Rapid Intervention Teams, Rescue Awareness (NFPA 1670) and Rescue Core (NFPA 1006).

Residency Requirement: Recruits will reside at the Connecticut Fire Academy during the weekdays throughout the course.

Enrollment: Students who have a current Fire Service employment offer will be given preference, and any other students will be served on a "space-available" basis. If the capped enrollment has been reached, those students whose applications would have exceeded the class size limitation will be given preference in the next scheduled class. There are two (2) classes held per year, one each in the spring and fall.

VA Approval: The Recruit Firefighter training program at the Connecticut Fire Academy has been approved for veteran education benefits.

PPE Requirement: Full NFPA 1971 compliant Personal Protective Equipment and SCBA with 2 spare cylinders.

Training Prerequisites: Training prerequisites and a complete program description are available on the Connecticut Fire Academy web site approximately one month prior to the scheduled start of the recruit class.

#### Additional Prerequisites:

- 1. Must have a valid CPAT card within two (2) years prior to the scheduled Recruit Class start date.
- 2. Proof of meeting the respective Fire Department's medical and physical fitness requirements.

Class Hours: 70 Days — nearly 700 hours of comprehensive training. Course Fee: \$6,685.00 Course fee includes tuition, student manuals, lodging, breakfast and lunch.

#### HAZARDOUS MATERIALS PROGRAMS

Hazardous Materials courses provided by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control are delivered with assistance from the State Emergency Response Commission and the United States Department of Transportation, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration.

The Connecticut Fire Academy can provide Hazardous Materials training courses upon request. We can also customize training to meet specific department needs.

#### **PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

#### BullEx Smart Stove Prop

The BullEx Smart Stove Prop is a simulator designed to teach various audiences the proper actions to take for a fire in the oven or on the stovetop. The simulator uses a non-toxic smoke and a fire extinguisher prop that uses lasers to determine if the student is using it properly to extinguish the fire. The simulator is reusable for multiple evolutions of training. Although oven and stovetop fires and extinguisher use are the main lessons of the prop other public education messages can be outlined as well. For example; Notifying the Fire Department, proper reaction to smoke detectors, proper storage of combustibles in the stove area and other basic fire safety messages are easy to adapt to the use of the unit.

To reserve the prop, contact Alan Zygmunt, Program Manager at

(860) 264–9222 or at alan.zygmunt@ct.gov . Be sure to include the date and time of your event as well as contact information. Allow at least 30 days' notice to ensure that the prop will be available for use.

Fee: No Charge

#### Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I

This is an entry-level course that will prepare anyone who performs public education duties to present existing programs to all audiences. The course addresses fire prevention activities, the major causes of unintentional injury, characteristics of learning, evaluation of lesson plans, presentation methods, effective usage of audiovisual aids, dealing with the media and recordkeeping. This course meets the requirements of NFPA 1035, "Professional Qualifications for Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I". Reference material is required for the class.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Life Safety Educator 3rd Edition.

Other required materials: Berenstein Bears Visit the Firehouse, Fire Fighter by DK reader, Flat Stanley and the Firehouse, Going to the Firehouse. Certification testing time: Requires an additional date for the certification written exam. Class Hours: 32 Fire Marshal Credit: 24 Course Fee: \$275.00

#### Public Information Officer

This two-day course is designed to instruct participants in the basic methods for establishing and maintaining a positive relationship with the news media. Fire department activities; including public fire education programs, manmade and natural disasters and emergencies, developing policies and training for dealing with the news media are essential. Discussion topics will cover: public disclosure laws; media relations; and news releases. Participants will learn the basics of preparing news releases, setting up press conferences, and the responsibilities of the Public Information Officer (PIO) at the scene of an emergency. Students will participate in a discussion with reporters from media sources.

Training Prerequisites: None

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Required Text: Jones and Bartlett Media Relations for Public Safety Professionals by Leo M. Brown.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$165.00

Fire Marshal Credit: 8

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#### Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist

(formally known as Juvenile Firesetter Intervention Specialist I) The goal of the course is to provide the skills and tools necessary to become a Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist. The class will address the NFPA 1035 Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist including: Introduction; Primary Prevention; Identification and Intake; Who Sets Fires and Why?, Interviewing and Intervention Strategies. Students will be introduced to NPFA 1035 Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist Professional Standard. The individual will learn to conduct an interview with a firesetter and their family using prepared forms and guidelines. They will also learn who, based on recommended practice, may determine the need for referral for counseling and/or implement educational intervention strategies to mitigate effects of firesetting behavior.

This course is designed for individuals that have responsibilities related to Youth Firesetting Intervention, interviewing, and prevention. The target audience includes practitioners who interact with children who are involved in firesetting and/or arson behavior and their families. In addition to the fire service, professionals from a myriad of fields including Mental Health, Law Enforcement, Education, Counseling Services, and Social Services can benefit from the training.

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Life Safety Educator, 3rd Edition

Certification Prerequisite: Direct Entry

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for certification written exam.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$100.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 16

# **RESCUE PROGRAMS**

NOTE: The programs listed in the calendar as Rescue Technician are currently being updated to the latest NFPA 1006 standards. Therefore the class description, contact hours, and course fee are subject to change. When available, updates will be posted on the CFPC website.

#### Advanced Vehicle Extrication

This two-day program is designed to provide the experienced student with realistic scenarios involving different problematic extrications. The objectives of this course are to provide the student an environment to implement an incident management system at motor vehicle incidents, along with contemporary extrication and stabilization techniques. Vehicles will be in compromising positions providing students with challenging scenarios. Full protective clothing or jumpsuit, gloves, helmet and eye protection (no SCBA) is required.

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$330.00

#### **Cold Water Rescue**

This course is designed for first responders operating at the scene of a cold water or ice rescue. Topics covered include: pre-planning, risk assessment, ice types and how they form, hypothermia, cold water drowning, incident size-up, water rescue equipment, and rescue operations. Participants will perform simulated water and ice (if available) rescues using cold water entry suits and associated equipment.

Training Prerequisites: None

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$90.00



This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 7, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition and OSHA 1910.146. Students will learn to preplan, evaluate atmospheres, use protective equipment related to confined spaces, and implement and terminate an incident management system for a confined space. Students will exercise their previous knowledge for victim management and rope rescue techniques to remove a victim from a confined space. PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application. Certification Examination Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core.

Required Text: CMC Confined Space and Entry Rescue Manual Revised 2nd edition

Course Hours: 56 (6 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$ 525.00

#### Rescue Technician – Core

This course is designed to meet the job performance requirements in Chapter 5 of NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician. Students will learn the basics of site operations, size-up, resource management, hazard/risk assessment, and incident management as it relates to the rescue environment. Students will also learn the skills required to use rope rescue equipment to manage victims, anchor-rope systems, and build and operate lowering and hauling systems in a low angle environment. Students will be trained to inspect and maintain ropes and related rescue equipment.

This program is a prerequisite for all technical rescue certification courses. PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Training Prerequisite: Firefighter I, Hazardous Material Operational and minimum FMR

Required Texts: IFSTA Fire Service Search and Rescue 8th Edition, and Technical Rescue Operations Field Guide 4th Edition.

Class Hours: 48

Course Fee: \$465.00

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#### Rescue Technician – Rope I and II

This seven-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 6, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition. The training will focus on rescue situations in the high-angle environment, where students will identify and construct anchoring systems, rappel and belay lines, lowering and hauling mechanical advantage systems, and tensioned highlines.

PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts. Required Text: Jones and Bartlett, High Angle Rope Rescue Techniques – 4th Edition

Training Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core.

Class Hours: 64 (7 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$600.00

### Rescue Technician – Trench I and II

This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 8, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition and OSHA 1926. This course will train the students to perform technician level trench rescue where they will evaluate trenches, soil conditions and will shore unprotected straight and intersecting trenches with a focus on pneumatic shoring. Students will also develop action plans to manage and remove a victim from a trench accident.

PPE required: work gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: Jones & Bartlett, Trench Rescue Principles and Practices to NFPA 1006 & 1670, 3rd edition. Optional Text: Trench Rescue Operational Field Guide Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician Core

Class Hours: 56 (6 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$550.00

### Rescue Technician – Vehicle I and II

This five-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 10, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition. Through classroom and practical sessions the student will plan for vehicle incidents; conduct a size-up; establish scene safety zones; control hazards; perform required stabilization; create access and egress points; disentangle victims; remove the packaged victims; and terminate the incident.

PPE required: Full fire fighter PPE (No SCBA) or coveralls with ankle high footwear, extrication gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear. No Shorts.

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician – Core

Required Text: IFSTA Principles of Vehicle Extrication 4th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician – Core

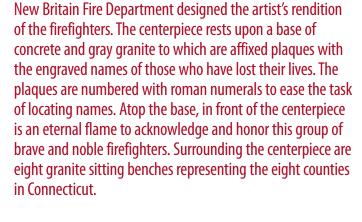
Class Hours: 48 (5 class days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$550.00

#### **CONNECTICUT FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL**

Located on the grounds of the Connecticut Fire Academy in Windsor Locks, stands the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial dedicated to Connecticut Firefighters who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

The Memorial was first envisioned in 1992 with the establishment of a Memorial Committee by the Connecticut State Firefighters Association. A ground breaking was held on June 12, 2001. The Memorial is the first of its kind in the state honoring Connecticut Firefighters who gave the ultimate sacrifice with more than 300 names engraved in the granite panels that surround the Memorial.

The design of the Memorial was conceived by the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial Committee incorporating a plaza-like setting, featuring a brick patio in the form of the Maltese Cross, the universal symbol of the fire service. The centerpiece of the Memorial is a six foot by twelve foot polished impala black granite stone bearing the likeness of four firefighters fighting a blaze; Lieutenant Paul Walsh of the



On September 25, 2011, the Memorial site saw the addition of a steel artifact from the World Trade Center. The nearly twelve foot tall beam weighing 1200 pounds is a lasting memorial to the 343 FDNY firefighters, other first responders and civilians who perished as a result of the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

The 2020 CSFA Fallen Firefighters Memorial Ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, September 27, 2020. Please attend and honor Connecticut's Bravest!

The Memorial Site is accessible 24 hours a day for the public to pay tribute to Connecticut's Bravest.

To make a donation to the Connecticut Fallen Firefighter Memorial or to purchase a walkway brick, go to www.ct.gov/cfpc and click on Fallen Firefighter Memorial in the center of the page.



#### CPAT (All testing done at CPAT Center Meriden, CT)

#### **Orientation & Physical Conditioning**

The Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) consists of eight separate events. CPAT is a sequence of events requiring you to progress along a predetermined path from event to event in a continuous manner. The events include: Stair Climb, Hose Drag, Equipment Carry, Ladder Raise and Extension, Forcible Entry, Maze Search, Victim Drag and Ceiling Breach and Pull. This test was developed to allow fire departments to obtain pools of trainable candidates who are physically able to perform essential job tasks on the fire scene. This is a pass/fail test based on a validated maximum total time of 10 minutes and 20 seconds.

During the events, you wear a 50-pound vest to simulate the weight of a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and firefighter protective clothing, a helmet and gloves. An additional 25 pounds, using two 12.5- pound weights which simulate a high-rise pack (hose bundle), is added to your shoulders for the stair climb event only. Throughout all events, you must wear long pants, footwear with no open heel or toe, a provided hard hat with chinstrap, and provided work gloves. Watches and loose or restrictive jewelry are not permitted. All props are designed to obtain the necessary information regarding your physical ability. The tools and equipment were chosen to provide the highest level of consistency, safety and validity in measuring your physical abilities. The events and distances between events are always the same.

The events are placed in a sequence that best simulates fire scene events while allowing an 85-foot walk between events. To ensure the highest level of safety and to prevent exhaustion, no running is allowed between events. This walk intentionally allows you approximately 20 seconds to recover and regroup before each event.

The history of Candidate Physical Ability Testing in Connecticut has shown beyond a doubt that preparation is the key to success. CPAT is extremely demanding. CPAT tests your strength, agility, balance and ability to follow directions while under physical and emotional stress. Many have made the error in believing they can pass without proper preparation. The Connecticut Fire Academy is required to offer detailed Orientations and two Practice Tests prior to the administration of CPAT. The orientations include a review of all materials within the Candidate Guide booklet. More importantly, the orientations give the candidate the opportunity to perform a self-evaluation by physically reviewing and using the same equipment used in the testing process. The Practice Tests allow candidates to run the test course under timed conditions. If the Practice Test is conducted under "CPAT Conditions" and the candidate passes, it will be counted as passing CPAT. Attending the orientations and practice tests is highly recommended.

To allow for the required eight week CPAT preparatory period as well as the time to process the CPAT applications, a deadline has been established for registering for both the spring and fall testing cycles. Applications received after the published deadline will not be accepted and you will not be able to test during that CPAT testing cycle. Those who have been accepted into the CPAT testing process will receive a confirmation email that lists the dates and times for their orientations, practice tests and the CPAT test. If you do not receive this Email during the two weeks following the application deadline, it is your responsibility to contact the Connecticut Fire Academy within 14 days of the application deadline to verify you are registered and that we have your correct contact information. Inquiries made after the 14 day time period will not be acted on and you will not be allowed to participate in that CPAT testing cycle. Please refer to our website at www.ct.gov/cfpc for a listing of the CPAT application deadlines and for the link to apply, only online applications will be accepted. It is also highly recommended that you download and review the Candidate Preparation Guide and the Candidate Orientation Guide.

The CPAT testing fee is \$175.00 for in-state candidates and \$200.00 for out-of-state candidates, of which \$50 is a non-refundable processing fee. Registered candidates who wish to withdraw from the CPAT testing process must do so via email to Jackie Kilby-Richards at jacklyn.kilby-richards@ct.gov. To request a refund of the CPAT testing fee (minus the \$50 processing fee), also send an Email request to Jackie Kilby-Richards. This communication must be received at the Connecticut Fire Academy at least one day prior to the candidate's first scheduled orientation. Requests for refunds received on or after the candidate's first orientation date will not be considered.

#### CPAT Cancellations by the Connecticut Fire Academy

CPAT may be cancelled due to a number of conditions affecting testing. The main reason for cancellation is adverse weather. The weather can be very unpredictable, do not rely on your local weather reports, as the conditions may be different at the test site. It is highly recommended that you call 877-528-3473 (in state), (860) 627-6363 (out of state) extension 415 prior to traveling to the testing site. There will be a prerecorded message stating that the test is either running or has been cancelled. Unfortunately, the test can be cancelled at the last minute. If you are traveling a long distance we encourage you to call extension 415 several times during your travel.

If the CPAT test is cancelled you will receive an Email stating so and you will be notified of the rescheduled CPAT test date. Except for test cancellations as indicated above your assigned practice tests and CPAT test will not be rescheduled for any reason. You will not be able to change your dates after you have registered.

# Watch the CFA List Serve for information about special sessions that may be offered during the summer.

#### 2020 CPAT SCHEDULE

The Connecticut Fire Academy offers a spring and fall testing cycle. It is important to understand that all orientations, practice tests, and CPAT tests are based on two application deadlines. Applications must be completed by the application deadline to be registered for that testing cycle. The 2020 application deadlines are March 29, 2020 for the spring testing cycle and August 2, 2020 for the fall testing cycle.

Candidates will receive their assignments via email after a successful registration. Any questions with the registration process should be directed to CPAT@ct.gov.

# Watch the CFA website for future information regarding online registration for CPAT.

# The CPAT Center - 2014 North Broad Street in Meriden CT, 06450. **DO NOT go to the Connecticut Fire Academy in Windsor Locks.**

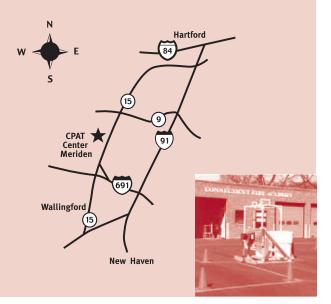








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#### NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS STANDARDS

The State of Connecticut Commission on Fire Prevention and Control is pleased to offer Fire Service Certification to the members of Connecticut's fire service. Certification is an excellent means by which an individual may measure his/her knowledge, skills, and abilities against a national standard.

As indicated below, the Commission currently offers 40 levels of certification. The National Fire Protection Association Professional Qualifications Standard against which the examination is based is noted below. The Commission has adopted the most current edition of the noted Standards as the Standards for Certification.

The certification examination process for each level consists of a written and a practical skills examination. The levels of Firefighter I and Firefighter II also require verification of live fire suppression activities.

All of the Commission's Certification levels have been accredited by the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress.

This summary is designed to provide an overview of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control's Certification Process. For more detailed information, including the specific examination requirements for each level, please contact the Certification Division at 860-627-6363.

Candidates must meet all prerequisites prior to applying for examination

#### INDEMNIFICATION OF INSTRUCTORS

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Section 7-323q of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective October 1, 2010):

The state shall save harmless and indemnify any person certified as a fire service instructor by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control under section 7-323l from financial loss and expense, including legal fees and costs, if any, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of alleged negligence or other act resulting in personal injury or property damage, which acts are not wanton, reckless or malicious, provided such person, at the time of the acts resulting in such injury or damage, was acting in the discharge of such person's duties (1) as an employee or member of a municipal, state or tribal nation fire department to provide fire service training and instruction for the other members or employees of such municipal, state or tribal nation fire department, (2) as a fire service instructor employed by said commission to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of said commission, or (3) as a fire service instructor employed by a regional fire school to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of such school.

As of October 2019									
NFPA Standard	Certification Title	Prerequisite							
1001 2013 Edition	Firefighter I	Member of a Connecticut Fire Department							
1001 2013 Edition	Firefighter II	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977							
1002 2017 Edition	Pump Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977 and CDL, Q Endorsement or proof of Q Training							
1002 2017 Edition	Aerial Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1977 and CDL, Q Endorsement or proof of Q Training							
1002 2017 Edition	Tanker Operator	Certified Pump Operator							
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Structural Collapse I / II	Direct Entry (USAR) with Connecticut Rescue Technician Core							

1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Rope I / II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Trench I / II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Vehicle I / II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Confined Space I / II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1021 2014 Edition	Fire Officer I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977 and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2014 Edition	Fire Officer II	Fire Officer I and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2014 Edition	Fire Officer III	Fire Officer II
1021 2014 Edition	Fire Officer IV	Fire Officer III
1031 2014 Edition	Fire Inspector I	OEDM sponsor
1033 2014 Edition	Fire Investigator	OEDM sponsor
1035 2015 Edition	Fire and Life Safety Educator I	Direct Entry
1035 2015 Edition	Fire and Life Safety Educator II	Fire and Life Safety Educator I
1035 2015 Edition	Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist	Direct Entry
1035 2015 Edition	Youth Firesetter Program Manager	Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist
1041 2012 Edition	Fire Service Instructor I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977
1041 2012 Edition	Fire Service Instructor II	Fire Service Instructor I
1041 2012 Edition	Fire Service Instructor III	Fire Service Instructor II
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Awareness/WMD	29 CFR 1910.134
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Operations/WMD	29 CFR 1910.134
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Technician	29 CFR 1910.134 or Firefighter I and Haz-Mat Awareness and Operations
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Incident Commander	Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations
1091 2015 Edition	Traffic Control Incident Management	Direct Entry
1521 2015 Edition	Health and Safety Officer	Direct Entry
1521 2015 Edition	Incident Safety Officer- Fire Suppression	Fire Officer I or Fire Officer in fire department on or before July 1, 1986 with continuous service
472 2018 Edition	Hazardous Materials Safety Officer	Hazardous Materials Technician

#### Future Level of Certification

The Training Division of the State of Connecticut Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection/Commission on Fire Prevention and Control has streamlined the process by which individuals may participate in certain training programs by eliminating as training prerequisites certification examination requirements. The responsibility for ensuring that individuals are qualified to participate in a certification examination now shifts from the Training Registrar to the individual certification candidate. Candidates for Certification are now personally required to ensure that they have met all prerequisites prior to submitting an examination application and are required to submit any required documentation prior to the examination. Failure to do so will result in rejection of the examination application. After 12 months of completing a class candidates must restart the Certification process if they have not yet taken and/or passed all testing requirements for that course.

Additionally, State of Connecticut Regulations require that all candidates for certification be 18 years of age at the time of the examination and that candidates for certification be a member of a fire department with the exception of Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I, Youth Firesetter, Intervention Specialist I and Health and Safety Officer, which allow direct entry into those levels.

#### **CERTIFICATION DIVISION**

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR CANDIDATES WITH LEARNING/READING DISABILITIES PARTICIPATING IN WRITTEN CERTIFICATION EXAMINATIONS FOR FIREFIGHTER I ONLY

#### I. General Policy

A. In accordance with Section 7-323I-95 (d) of the Regulation of the State of Connecticut, all examinations and/or components of examinations shall be structured and administered in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. The Certification Division will make reasonable accommodations to the known learning/ reading disabilities of candidates to the extent feasible. Accommodating the individual handicapped candidate's needs while maintaining the integrity of the certification testing process will be of primary consideration.

#### II. Reasonable Accommodations

Reasonable accommodations to be made in test administration are specified below in Section V. One or a combination of accommodations may be necessary for individual candidates according to their needs and the requirements of the test material to be presented to them. The Director of Certification may allow other accommodations on a case-by-case basis.

#### III. Documentation

Each candidate requesting accommodations that effect actual test conditions will be required to furnish documentation supporting the accommodation(s) requested. Documentation must be sent to the Director of Certification. The proper individual examination application form and testing fees must accompany the above documentation. All documentation submitted shall remain confidential.

#### **IV. Testing Location**

Administration of examinations for individuals with accommodation will be at the offices of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control in Windsor Locks.

#### V. Accommodation Options

The following are the accommodation options which may be afforded to the candidate. Other accommodations may be made available to the candidate based upon the individual needs. The Commission may or may not be fiscally responsible for accommodations made.

A. Additional time

B. Individual monitor or special attention to assure the candidate has understood instructions

C. Oral examination

#### IV. Exception

The expectation for a first responder will be to read and write in American English at Hazardous Materials incidents. Therefore, no accommodations can be made during any hazardous materials Awareness, Operational or Technician Level cognitive or psychomotor Certification examination.

#### CT Certification on the Web

Please refer to the Certification Division Page of the CFPC website at http://www.ct.gov/ cfpc for up-to-date certification examination information, certification rules and regulations, examination schedules, and downloadable examination applications for all currently offered examinations.

#### National Fire Service Certification

The Commission is proud to offer National Fire Service Certification as an accredited agency under the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for selected levels.

All individuals who successfully attain state certification will be automatically registered for national certification with the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualification and/or the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for the levels accredited by either of those bodies.

## **COMMON CERTIFICATION QUESTIONS:**

#### 1. If I take an online course, can I take the certification exam?

Answer: Online courses currently offered by outside agencies are designed to complement traditional classroom instruction and may not be equivalent to the training offered by the Connecticut Fire Academy. The Commission does not currently recognize any online course of instruction as a self-contained training program for the purposes of certification. Individuals considering online courses should contact the Director of Certification **before** enrolling in an online course.

#### 2. Can I challenge a certification exam?

Answer: Individuals can challenge exams by completing required certification documentation, if they meet one of the following criteria:

- 1- Pro Board or IFSAC certification at the level from another state.
- 2- Previous training and education that satisfies current NFPA Standard JPRs.
- 3- Documented education, training, and experience that satisfy current NFPA Standard JPRs.

#### 3. Can I transfer my certifications from another state?

Answer: Certifications do not "transfer." The Commission recognizes certifications with Pro Board or IFSAC seal numbers for reciprocity. Reciprocity enters you in the Connecticut system at an advanced level to meet the prerequisites for the next level(s).

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COURSE TITLE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	COURSE NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE	FIRE MARSHAL CREDITS
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	APR 7, 8	MOHEGAN FIRE CO - UNCASVILLE	\$330.00	20156	16	NONE	N/A	
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	JUN 6, 7	WOLCOTT	\$330.00	20157				
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	SEP 19, 20	DODGINGTOWN FD - NEWTOWN	\$330.00	21000				
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	NOV 17, 18	THOMPSONVILLE FD - ENFIELD	\$330.00	21001				
AERIAL OPERATOR	APR 4, 5, 18, 19, 25, 26, MAY 9 WCE	OLD LYME	\$320.00	20158	48	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	
AERIAL OPERATOR	MAY 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 26 WCE	NORWICH	\$320.00	20159				
AERIAL OPERATOR	SEP 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 22 WCE	DANBURY	\$320.00	21002				
AERIAL OPERATOR	NOV 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, DEC 5 WCE	BERLIN	\$320.00	21003				
AERIAL STRATEGY AND TACTICS	SEP 19, 20	BALTIC	\$100.00	21004	16	NONE	N/A	
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	APR 18, 19	WOLCOTT	\$100.00	20160	16	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A	
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	JAN 22, 23	BRANFORD	\$65.00	20161	16		N/A	12
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	MAY 16, 17	EAST THOMPSON FD - THOMPSON	\$65.00	20162				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 1, 2	BALTIC	\$90.00	20163	16	NONE	N/A	
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 5, 6	NORWICH	\$90.00	20164				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 18, 19	BRANFORD	\$90.00	20165				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 22, 23	WOLCOTT	\$90.00	20166				
COLD WATER RESCUE	MAR 7, 8	NORFOLK	\$90.00	20167				
CONNECTICUT FIRE OFFICER WEEKEND	MAR 20-22	CFA	\$150.00	TBD	16			
EMR NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMR REFRESHER)	JAN 6 (6-10 PM), 7 (6-10 PM), 11 (DAY 8:30-4:30)	CFA	\$175.00	20168	16	EMR	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH TESTING	
EMR NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMR REFRESHER)	APR 6, 7	CFA	\$175.00	20169				
EMR NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMR REFRESHER)	SEP 14, 15	CFA	\$175.00	21005				
EMR NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMR REFRESHER)	OCT 10, 11	CFA	\$175.00	21006				
EMT NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMT REFRESHER)	JAN 21, 22	CFA	\$275.00	20170	16	EMT	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH TESTING	

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EMT NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMT REFRESHER)	APR 20, 21	CFA	\$275.00	20171				
EMT NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMT REFRESHER)	SEP 16 (6-10 PM), 17 (6-10 PM), 19 (DAY)	CFA	\$275.00	21007				
EMT NCCP CME'S (FORMERLY EMT REFRESHER)	NOV 2, 9	CFA	\$275.00	21008				
FIRE BEHAVIOR AND FLASHOVER SIMULATION	MAR 28	CFA	\$120.00	20172	8	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A	4
FIRE BEHAVIOR AND FLASHOVER SIMULATION	OCT 24	CFA	\$120.00	21009				
FIRE OFFICER I	JAN 11,12, 18, 19, 25, 26, FEB 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16 PCE, 29 WCE	ECFS - WILLIMANTIC	\$440.00	20173	96	INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	33
FIRE OFFICER I	MAR 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22, 28, 29, APR 4, 5, 18, 19 PCE, MAY 2 WCE	FARMINGTON	\$440.00	20174				
FIRE OFFICER I	APR 28, 30, MAY 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28, JUN 2, 4 PCE, 16 WCE	MASHANTUCKET	\$440.00	20175				
FIRE OFFICER I	SEP 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, OCT 1, 6, 8, 13, 15 PCE, 27 WCE	STAMFORD	\$440.00	21010				
FIRE OFFICER I	SEP 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27, OCT 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, 18 PCE, NOV 7 WCE	MADISON	\$440.00	21011				
FIRE OFFICER II	JAN 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, 30, FEB 4, 6, 11, 13 PCE, 25 WCE	DANBURY	\$385.00	20176	80	FIRE OFFICER I	FIRE OFFICER I AND FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	45
FIRE OFFICER II	APR 4, 5, 11, 18, 19, 25, 26, MAY 2, 3, 9 PCE, 30 WCE	BOZRAH	\$385.00	20177				
FIRE OFFICER II	OCT 14, 19, 21, 26, 28, NOV 2, 4, 9, 16, 18 PCE, 30 WCE	WESTPORT	\$385.00	21012				
FIRE OFFICER III	AUG 26, SEP 9, 23, OCT 7, 21, NOV 4 PCE, 18 WCE	EAST HARTFORD	\$410.00	21013	56	FIRE OFFICER II	FIRE OFFICER II	45
FIRE OFFICER I-II	MAR 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30, APR 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22 PCE, MAY 6 WCE	MILFORD	N/C	20178	144	INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	63
FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE FAIR	OCT 17	CFA						
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	JAN 11, 18, 25, FEB 1, 8, 15 PCE, 29 WCE	NEW HARTFORD FIRE	\$430.00	20227	48	FIREFIGHTER II	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	32
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FEB 4, 11, 18, 25, MAR 3, 10 PCE, 24 WCE	MIDDLETOWN FD	\$430.00	20179				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	MAR 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, APR 5, PCE, 19 WCE	SHELTON FD	\$430.00	20180				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	APR 22, 29, MAY 6, 13, 20, 27 PCE, JUN 10 WCE	EAST HAVEN FD	\$430.00	20181				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	SEP 3, 10, 17, 24, OCT 1, 8 PCE, 29 WCE	STAMFORD FD	\$430.00	21014				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	SEP 12, 19, 26, OCT 3, 10, 17 PCE, 31 WCE	SOUTHBURY FD	\$430.00	21015				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	OCT 17, 24, 31, NOV 7, 14, 21 PCE, DEC 5 WCE	EASTERN CT REGIONAL FS	\$430.00	21016				

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FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	MAR 19, APR 2, 16, 30, MAY 14 PCE, 28 WCE	DANBURY FD	\$330.00	20182	40	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	AUG 29, SEP 12, 26, OCT 10, 24 PCE, NOV 7 WCE	ESSEX FIRE ENGINE CO 1	\$330.00	21017				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR III	MAY 30	LITCHFIELD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL	\$65.00	20183	4	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	
FIREGROUND SURVIVAL	MAR 10, 11, 18	NEW HAVEN FD	\$165.00	20184	24	FIREFIGHTER I	N/A	
FIREGROUND SURVIVAL	SEP 12, 13, 19	EAST THOMPSON FD	\$165.00	21018				
HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFICER	MAR 24, 25, 26, APR 7 WCE	WATERBURY FD	\$140.00	20185	24	NONE		
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER: FIRE SUPPRESSION	FEB 18, 19, 20, MAR 3 WCE	NEW HAVEN FD	\$140.00	20186	24	NONE	FIRE OFFICER I OR FIRE OFFICER IN FIRE DEPARTMENT ON OR BEFORE JULY, 1, 1986 WITH CONTINUOUS SERVICE.	
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER: FIRE SUPPRESSION	FEB 29, MAR 1, 7, 21 WCE	NIANTIC FD	\$140.00	20187				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER: FIRE SUPPRESSION	MAY 16, 17, 30, JUN 13 WCE	LITCHFIELD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL	\$140.00	20188				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER: FIRE SUPPRESSION	JUN 8, 9, 10, 22 WCE	THOMPSONVILLE FD	\$140.00	20189				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER: FIRE SUPPRESSION	OCT 31, NOV 1, 7 21 WCE	WOLCOTT VFD	\$140.00	21019				
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE	JUL 13-18	CFA	\$850.00	21020	6 DAYS	AFFILIATED WITH FIRE DEPARTMENT		
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE ADVANCED SKILLS AND CONCEPTS	AUG 3-8	CFA	\$850.00	21021				
JUNE FIRE SCHOOL	JUN 1-6	CFA	VARIES	TBD		REQUIRMENTS PER CLASS		
NFA DIRECT DELIVERY - EXECUTIVE SKILLS SERIES: EXERCISING LEADERSHIP ETHICALLY	MAY 14, 15	CFA	\$65.00	20190	16	NONE	N/A	12
NFA DIRECT DELIVERY - NEW FIRE CHIEF: ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES	JAN 11, 12	CFA	\$65.00	20191		NONE	N/A	
PUBLIC FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	JAN 21, 22, 29, FEB 5	WALLINGFORD FD	\$275.00	20192	32	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	24
PUBLIC FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	SEP 26, 27, OCT 3, 10	THOMPSONVILLE FD	\$275.00	21022				
PUBLIC FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR'S CONFERENCE	AUG 20	CFA	\$30.00	21023	8	NONE		5
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	MAR 21, 22	ATTAWAUGAN FD	\$165.00	20193	16	NONE	N/A	8
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	NOV 4, 5	BRIDGEPORT FD	\$165.00	21024				
PUMP OPERATOR	MAR 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, APR 7 WCE	HARTFORD FD	\$320.00	20194	48	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	
PUMP OPERATOR	APR 25, 26, MAY 2, 3, 9, 16, 30 WCE	ATTAWAUGAN FD	\$320.00	20195				
PUMP OPERATOR	SEP 19, 20, 26, 27, OCT 3, 4, 17 WCE	CLINTON FD	\$320.00	21025				
PUMP OPERATOR	OCT 20, 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, NOV 10 WCE	BRANFORD FD	\$320.00	21026				
Q ENDORSEMENT	MAY 2, 9, 16, 30	CFA	\$275.00	20196	32	CT DRIVERS LICENSE	STATE OF CONNECTICUT DMV TESTING	

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RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER CLASS # 65	FEB 10 - MAY 20	CFA	\$6,685.00	20197	644	NONE	NONE	
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER CLASS # 66	AUG 24 - DEC 4	CFA	\$6,685.00	21027				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CONFINED SPACE I / II	MAR 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 13 PCE, 24 WCE	DANBURY FD	\$525.00	20198	56	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE AND CURRENT EMR	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CONFINED SPACE I / II	MAY 19, 20, 21, 26, 27, 28, 29 PCE, JUN 10 WCE	GUILFORD FD	\$525.00	20199				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CONFINED SPACE I / II	AUG 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 20 PCE, SEP 1 WCE	NAUGATUCK FD	\$525.00	21028				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	MAR 24, 25, 26, 31, APR 1, 2	FAIRFIELD FD	\$465.00	20200	48	FIREFIGHTER I, EMR AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL		
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	APR 4, 5, 18, 19, 25, 26	NEWINGTON FD	\$465.00	20201				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	MAY 2, 3, 16, 17, 30, 31	BETHANY FD	\$465.00	20202				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	JUN 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11	EAST HAVEN FD	\$465.00	20203				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	AUG 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16	LEDYARD FIRE CO.	\$465.00	21029				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	OCT 17, 18, 24, 25, 31, NOV 1	LITCHFIELD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL	\$465.00	21030				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - ROPE I / II	APR 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22 PCE, MAY 5 WCE	NORTH THOMPSONVILLE FD	\$600.00	20204	64	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - ROPE I / II	SEP 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27, OCT 3, 4 PCE, 17 WCE	MOOSUP FD	\$600.00	21031				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN: TRENCH I / II	MAY 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 15 PCE, 26 WCE	NAUGATUCK FD	\$550.00	20205	56	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN: VEHICLE RESCUE I / II	MAY 2, 3, 9, 16, 17, 30 PCE, JUN 13 WCE	LEDYARD FIRE CO.	\$550.00	20206	48	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN: VEHICLE RESCUE I / II	JUN 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25 PCE, JUL 7 WCE	TORRINGTON FD	\$550.00	20207				
RIT COMMAND AND CONTROL	JAN 22	NEW HAVEN FD	\$45.00	20208	8	NONE	N/A	
RIT COMMAND AND CONTROL	MAR 14	LITCHFIELD COUNTY FIRE SCHOOL	\$45.00	20209				
RIT COMMAND AND CONTROL	APR 25	WOLCOTT VFD	\$45.00	20210				
RIT COMMAND AND CONTROL	OCT 17	CLINTON FD	\$45.00	21032				
RIT COMMAND AND CONTROL	NOV 14	ATTAWAUGAN FD	\$45.00	21033				
STOP THE BLEED	JAN 8 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	20211	3	NONE	N/A	
STOP THE BLEED	JAN 9 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	20212				
STOP THE BLEED	FEB 18 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	20213				
STOP THE BLEED	FEB 25 (1-4 PM)	CFA	N/C	20214				
STOP THE BLEED	MAR 2 (9 AM-12 PM)	CFA	N/C	20215				
STOP THE BLEED	APR 1 (9 AM-12 PM)	CFA	N/C	20216				
STOP THE BLEED	MAY 1 (9 AM-12 PM)	CFA	N/C	20217				

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STOP THE BLEED	MAY 5 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	20218				
STOP THE BLEED	JUN 1 (2-5 PM)	CFA	N/C	20219				
STOP THE BLEED	JUN 1 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	20220				
STOP THE BLEED	SEP 3 (6-9 PM)	CFA	N/C	21034				
STOP THE BLEED	SEP 4 (9 AM-12 PM)	CFA	N/C	21035				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: BREAD AND BUTTER CALLS	JAN 25, 26	WINDSOR VOL FD	\$85.00	20221	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS: BREAD AND BUTTER CALLS	APR 14, 15	EAST HAVEN FD	\$85.00	20222				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: BREAD AND BUTTER CALLS	OCT 24, 25	GOSHEN FD	\$85.00	21036				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: BREAD AND BUTTER CALLS	NOV 14, 15	SOMERS FD	\$85.00	21037				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES	MAY 19, 20	NEW HAVEN FD	\$85.00	20223	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS: EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES	NOV 2 (6:30-10:30 PM), 4 (6:30-10:30 PM), 8 (DAY)	NOROTON FD	\$85.00	21038				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES	NOV 21, 22	EAST THOMPSON FD	\$85.00	21039				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: FUNDAMENTALS	FEB 8, 9	LEDYARD FIRE CO.	\$85.00	20224	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS: FUNDAMENTALS	SEP 26, 27	EAST GRANBY VFD	\$85.00	21040				
STRATEGY & TACTICS: FUNDAMENTALS	0CT 6, 7	TORRINGTON FD	\$85.00	21041				
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	MAR 14, 15	DODINGTOWN VFD	\$110.00	20225	16	FIREFIGHTER I	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE AND PUMP OPERATOR	
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	NOV 7, 8	MOHEGAN FIRE CO.	\$110.00	21042				
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	MAR 11, 12	CFA	\$100.00	20226	16	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	16
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	SEP 23, 24	SOUTHINGTON FD	\$100.00	21043				



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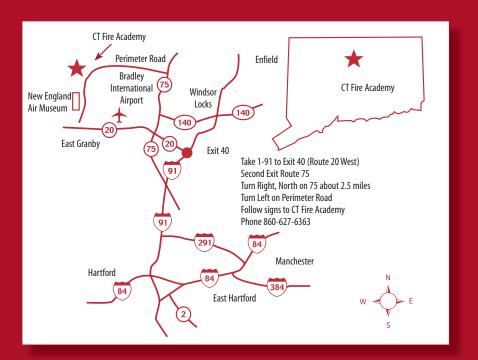
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Monday, Wednesday through Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Visa, Mastercard and Discover Accepted

## DIRECTIONS TO CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

34 PERIMETER ROAD, WINDSOR LOCKS, CT 06096-1069 Main Phone Number (860) 627-6363 • In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473

I-91 North or South to exit 40 (Route 20, Bradley Connector). Follow Route 20 West 1.7 miles to the exit for Route 75. Take a right off the exit onto Route 75 North and follow 2.5 miles. Take a left onto Perimeter Road (see sign for the CT Fire Academy and the New England Air Museum). Continue 1.4 miles to the Academy, which will be on your right. Parking is available at the rear of the building.



#### WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

For weather cancellation information call the Connecticut Fire Academy

Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 am 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450.

Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3, WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class.

CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 415.

# DISASTER TRAINING CENTER •

The NEDTC is a joint collaboration bringing the states top training and response agencies together using state of the art facilities and equipment to provide challenging rescue scenarios for both the basic and advanced disaster response personnel.

Located at Camp Hartell, in Windsor Locks, Connecticut, the NEDTC will offer disaster medical response training, with the ability to work from a mobile field hospital, and search and rescue training on a rubble pile. Advanced trench and train derailment training props will be used to help response personnel meet national standards.

Additional information about the NEDTC can be found at www.nedtc.us



Increasingly, students and instructors are bringing laptop computers to the Connecticut Fire Academy (CFA) especially for officer and instructor classes. The Commission on Fire Prevention and Control (CFPC) offers limited wireless hotspot access to the Internet in some areas of the CFA. This public service is currently available in the following locations: dorm rooms, auditorium, multipurpose room, and the classroom wing.

Users alone are responsible for security and maintenance of your equipment. The Academy cannot provide you with computer software, hardware, or technical support to include disks, printers, scanners, etc. CFPC/CFA staff is not permitted to support user connectivity issues or user computer issues of any type.

#### LODGING AT THE CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY

Students requiring lodging for a confirmed training program or event at the Connecticut Fire Academy may reserve a room by calling (860) 627-6363 Ext. 421 during normal business hours (8:30 am – 4:30 p.m.) Monday through Friday. Lodging availability is at the discretion of the agency based upon evening staffing resources. Reservations are generally available on a first-come, first-served basis with a minimum 72 hour advanced reservation. Each Dormitory room is equipped with a private bath; bed linens and towels are provided however guests are welcome to bring their own pillow and linens/sleeping bag to make their stay more comfortable. Free wireless internet is provided throughout the facility and a student lounge with television, commercial refrigerator and microwave is available to all guests. Shared commercial laundry equipment is available for resident use as well. In addition, there is a fully equipped work-out facility open 24-hours.

#### LODGING - SINGLE OCCUPANCY DAILY RATE

\*Governmental/Municipal (In-state) \$20.00 \*Private Business/Industry/Out-of-State \$30.00 \*Full payment is required at check-in by check or credit card.

- \*A 24 hour notice is required for any lodging cancellations in order to receive a refund, please contact Kara Ouellette at 860-264-9231
- Guest check-in times are:
- Weekdays anytime before 4:00 p.m. or after 6:00 p.m.
  Weekends as noted upon confirmation of your reservation.

#### **CFA MARKETING PRIVACY ADVISORY**

By participating in Connecticut Fire Academy classes and activities (i.e. CPAT, Face piece fit testing, pump operator) you are automatically giving permission for the use of your picture, video recording and/or audio recording to be used in marketing or future training by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control/Connecticut Fire Academy.

As the State of Connecticut is a nonprofit organization, you will not receive any monetary compensation now or in the future. The State of Connecticut, Commission on Fire Prevention and Control/Connecticut Fire Academy has the right to use these pictures, video and/or audio recordings of the presentations in any form of, publication, marketing, and broadcast media (video, print or electronic) and any other activity that supports a qualified, diverse, inclusive and safety-conscious Fire/EMS workforce.

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