



# Training - Use, Care and Maintenance

## *Basic Training for Structural and Proximity Ensembles*

Many departments utilize this basic level training course along with the introduction and implementation of a department wide Selection, Care & Maintenance (SCAM) Program. More often than not, departments and corporate brigades alike realize the value of utilizing an Independent third party for the purposes of educating their fire fighters and staff on personal protective ensembles (PPE) for safety and serviceable life of the garments, while reducing the overall department liability and PPE maintenance costs. Departments realize that PPE is an investment in safety of their own and as such, the content of the basic training program is developed and intended for the end user of the PPE.

The scope of the basic training is to familiarize the participant on the proper user level maintenance required for PPE, along with the appropriate performance expectations and limitations for which the garment was constructed. A fundamental understanding of the working components within a protective ensemble is heavily stressed. Training is hands-on and extremely engaging for the participant.

The training objective is to satisfy the training requirements set forth in the department or organization SCAM Program, the requirements of the manufacturer, OSHA Standards, State Bureau of Workers' Compensation Specific Safety Requirements and the NFPA 1851 selection, care and maintenance standards.

### **Basic Training Content Highlights**

- 4 Hours—Non-CEU
- Use of Ensemble
- Routine Cleaning
- Routine Inspection
- Special Incident Procedures

### **Presentation of Training**

- Classroom or Fire Hall Lecture
- Demonstration along with Hands-on Examples
- Exam (optional based around department needs)

Content of the training is based around the fundamental understanding of the protective ensemble. Training may be customized to meet the goals and objectives of the department or organization.

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