

IX. TEST QUESTIONS

1. Personnel accountability systems are addressed in:
 - A. NFPA 1001.
 - B. NFPA 1561.
 - C. NFPA 1500.
 - D. All of the above.

2. Statement A: There are many recognized personnel accountability systems utilized in the fire service.

Statement B: Personnel accountability systems interfere with firefighters efforts to extinguish the fire.

- A. Statement A is correct. Statement B is correct.
 - B. Statement A is correct. Statement B is incorrect.
 - C. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is correct.
 - D. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is incorrect.

3. A personnel accountability system should be:
 - A. Documented through a standard operating procedure or policy.
 - B. Practiced only on large-scale emergencies involving mutual aid.
 - C. Both A and B are correct.
 - D. None of the above.

4. An example of a "manual" type of accountability system is:
 - A. Clipboard and paper.
 - B. Passport system.
 - C. Tag system.
 - D. All of the above.

5. A misconception about personnel accountability system is:
 - A. The process slows fire attack.
 - B. The process should not be used for routine incidents.
 - C. Both A and B are correct.
 - D. None of the above.

6. Personnel accountability systems should be combined with _____ to achieve maximum firefighter safety.
 - A. An Incident Management System
 - B. A mandatory personal protective equipment policy
 - C. Radio equipment and procedures
 - D. All of the above.

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7. Statement A: A personnel accountability system policy should identify components of the system.

Statement B: A personnel accountability policy should state the process and who is responsible for usage and enforcement.

- A. Statement A is correct. Statement B is correct.
 - B. Statement A is correct. Statement B is incorrect.
 - C. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is correct.
 - D. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is incorrect.
8. Benefits of a personnel accountability system are:
- A. Maintenance of company integrity and minimization of freelancing.
 - B. A general location of a company can be quickly recognized.
 - C. A rapid census of responders can be completed.
 - D. All of the above
9. Objectives for a personnel accountability should include:
- A. Integration with an Incident Management System (IMS).
 - B. Easy to use, process can be taught and enforced.
 - C. Both A and B are correct.
 - D. None of the above.
10. Statement A: Personnel accountability systems would not have contributed to a different result in incidents with firefighter casualties.

Statement B: Personnel accountability systems are relatively inexpensive, easy to learn and easily enforceable.

- A. Statement A is correct. Statement B is correct.
- B. Statement A is correct. Statement B is incorrect.
- C. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is correct.
- D. Statement A is incorrect. Statement B is incorrect.