

TN Fire Training Online Course

Course Subject: Rules of Air Management

Length of Course: 3 hours

Course Objective: Air management is the ongoing assessment of air consumption by individual firefighters and/or teams that are breathing air from a Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA). Firefighters in a hazardous atmosphere must continually check their pressure gauges to know how much air they have left in their bottle.

Outline: Watch Video: The Dangers of Breathing Smoke, *Out of Air*
Why we need Air Management
NFPA1404 guidelines
READY Checks
Factors that affect air supply duration
Rules of Air Management
Situational Awareness

Course Location: www.tnfiretraining.com

Test: Given at end of course

Certificate of completion issued upon successfully passing final test with a score equal or greater than 70%.

NFPA Correlation:

NFPA® 1001, 5.3.9, 5.3.1, 5.3.5,

References:

- www.FireEngineeringUniversity.com, Is Your Department Complying with NFPA 1404 Air Management Policy
BY STEVE BERNOCCO, MIKE GAGLIANO, CASEY PHILLIPS, and PHIL JOSE
- The Fire Smoke Coalition, 'Out of Air' Training Video on Air Management, 05/16/2011 By Mike Gagliano