



TRAINING PLAN

Subject	
Truck Co. Operations – Conventional Forcible Entry	
Instructors	
<u>A</u>	<u>B</u>
<u>C</u>	
Logistics	
<u>Time Required</u> 2 hrs.	<u>Equipment Needed</u> Irons (Halligan, 8lb Flathead Axe) Forcible Entry Door Prop or Simulator

DESCRIPTION

Objectives:

1. Review the fundamental tools & techniques for performing Conventional Forcible Entry.
2. Demonstrate Conventional Forcible Entry Techniques for an Inward-Swinging Door.
3. Demonstrate Conventional Forcible Entry Techniques for an Outward-Swinging Door.

Description / Outline:

I. PROCEDURE: *Gap—Set—Force*

A. **GAP** THE DOOR – Create or increase the purchase point to set the tool.

B. **SET** THE TOOL – Ensure sufficient placement of the tool in the door/frame assembly

1. On outward swinging doors the ADZ may be used.
2. On inward swinging doors the FORKS (Bevel to the Door) will be used.

C. **FORCE** THE DOOR – apply a forceful motion to create leverage and open the door.

II. WORKING AS A TWO FIREFIGHTER ENTRY TEAM:

A. Roles and Responsibilities

1. The Halligan Firefighter
 - a. Responsible for directing the operation.
 - b. Is focused on the working end of the tool.
 - i. Must work to “Set” the tool in the Door Assembly
 - ii. May have to move or reposition the tool.
 - c. Calls the strikes.
 - i. Example: “HIT...HIT...HIT...STOP”
2. The Axe/Striking Tool Firefighter
 - a. Is focused on the striking end of the Halligan
 - b. Strikes the tool only when directed by the Halligan Firefighter.
 - c. Should be comfortable striking from either side in a variety of different positions.

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