



Office of Training  
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# New Jersey Division of Fire Safety

## BASIC PRACTICAL SKILLS EXAMINATION REPORT

Skill sheet #

Certification title

**HM  
OPS-04**

**Hazardous Materials Operational Level  
Responder Technical Decontamination**

### Applicant Information

Candidate name

DFS ID #

Course #

### Evaluation

**Standard:**

**NFPA 470 - 2022 Edition:  
9.4.1**

**Skill Drill 10-1**

**Task**

Perform technical decontamination on a responder.

**Conditions and Outcome**

The candidate shall be provided with full personal protective equipment (PPE), a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA), and a shower. This skill can be performed by pre-assembling the shower followed by a demonstration to the students. The candidate demonstration how to safely decontaminate a responder and their gear and equipment.

Number	Task Steps	First Test		Retest #1		Retest #2	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
1	The contaminated responder drops any tools or equipment into a container or onto a designated tarp.						
2	The decontamination team member performs gross decontamination on the contaminated responder, if necessary.						
3	For technical decontamination, the decontamination team member washes and rinses the contaminated responder one to three times. The wash-rinse cycle is determined largely by the nature of the contaminant. Each rinse should start at the responder's head, working down to his or her feet. Remember, the goal is to render the PPE safe to remove.						
4	The decontamination team member removes the outer hazardous materials protective clothing from the contaminated responder.						
5	The responder removes his or her personal clothing and any respiratory protection, and proceeds to the rehabilitation area for medical monitoring, rehydration, and personal decontamination.						
<b>Final Test Result for Entire Task</b>							

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