



BALTIMORE COUNTY FIRE RESCUE ACADEMY BASIC FIREFIGHTER SKILLS



HYDRANT HOOK UP SKILLS CARD (Skill Card 4 of 8)

Last name _____ C# _____ Attempt _____ Date _____

Time begins when candidate first touches the humat. Time ends upon the hydrant being fully opened and the candidate letting go of the hydrant wrench. The maximum time for this skill is 5 minutes.

Full PPE and SCBA will be required when performing this skill, all skills will be performed in a safe and effective manner.

Any skills not performed requires documentation from the evaluator.

Instructors or field personnel are only to intervene when safety issues arise.

Candidates are not to ask questions or for assistance once time begins.

If the maximum time limit has been reached before the skill is completed, the skill will be terminated and a not performed is checked with supporting documentation.

SKILL	PERFORMED	Evaluator Comments
Candidate safely wrapped LDH around hydrant ensuring humat overlaps hose.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate signals FADO to drive away. (Visual or Verbal)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate stands a minimum of 6' away from the hydrant, in a position opposite the engine's direction of travel.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate visually checks for debris, & verbally confirms. Checks all caps for tightness.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate connects the humat along with a ball valve.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate waited for signal from FADO to charge LDH. (Visual or Verbal)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate opens the hydrant slowly and safely to allow water to flow through the butterfly valve exiting the front of the humat.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate closes butterfly handle slowly to charge LDH hose.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate opened the hydrant completely.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Candidate completed skill wearing complete PPE and SCBA	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
10 Total possible points, 8 are required to pass. <u>Grey items must be performed.</u>	Total Points	

Candidate _____ Evaluator _____