



**MANCHACA FIRE/RESCUE
PROBATIONARY FIREFIGHTER SKILLS EVALUATION**

DONNING SCBA USING THE COAT or OVER THE HEAD METHOD

Objective:

The probationary firefighter shall don the SCBA using either the coat or over the head method.

Instructions:

With the SCBA lying on the ground (back plate up), the PFF shall don the SCBA using either the coat or the over the head method. Time will begin on the instruction to start. The skill will end when the PFF states that they have completed off of the identified steps.

Preparation and Equipment:

SCBA Device with Cylinder

PASS Device

SCBA Facepiece

Structural PPE



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Candidate: _____ Date: _____

Examiner: _____ Test: PASS: _____ Retest: PASS: _____
 FAIL: _____ FAIL: _____
 TIME: _____ TIME: _____

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DONNING SCBA USING THE COAT or OVER THE HEAD METHOD				
1. Begins skill with PPE properly donned				
2. Checks cylinder gauge and verbalizes PSI				
3. Turns on cylinder valve and listens for alarm				
4. Properly positions SCBA on his/her back using either the coat method or the over the head method				
5. Fastens and adjusts straps				
6. Dons facepiece and checks for proper seal				
7. Protective ensemble is properly donned, no skin exposed, and collar fastened with helmet shin strap secured under the chin				
8. Breathes from the SCBA				
9. Confirms and verbalizes that the PASS device is on				
10. Performs skill in a safe and proficient manner within 60 seconds				
11. When instructed by the evaluator, properly doffs the SCBA and returns to a ready state.				