

Participate in combat operations preparation

Overview

This standard is for people working in public service. It is designed to make sure that people preparing to participate in combat operations have the knowledge, understanding and skills to carry out their duties. It is also designed to ensure that people carry out their combat operation preparation duties in accordance with organisational procedures.

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Performance criteria

You must be able to:

1. follow organisational procedures at all times
2. maintain your own personal safety and the safety of others at all times
3. carry out all necessary combat operations preparation
4. carry out battle drills associated with the task and in accordance with organisational procedures
5. act promptly on orders and information received
6. keep communications unambiguous and in line with combat operation protocols
7. respond appropriately to changing circumstances
8. achieve the objectives of the task and your role as specified
9. carry out post action activities in line with organisational procedures

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Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

1. organisational procedures for participating in combat operations
 - 1.1 in open country
 - 1.2 in built up areas
 - 1.3 in differing environments
2. the safe use of equipment and pyrotechnics
3. the phases of operations
4. the sequence of orders as they affect you
5. organisational structures and asset deployment
6. the battle drills associated with the task
7. the objectives of the task
8. your role and level of responsibility
9. the importance of clear communications
10. how to interpret and respond to the tactical situation within your area of responsibility

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Scope/range related to performance criteria	<p>Different conditions which affect how you apply your knowledge, and in which you must demonstrate competence are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">1 Operations:<ul style="list-style-type: none">1.1 in open country1.2 in built up areas2 Phases of operation:<ul style="list-style-type: none">2.1 offensive2.2 defensive3 Environments:<ul style="list-style-type: none">3.1 chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear (CBRN)3.2 conventional
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