TAKE 5 FOR SAFETY

5-MINUTE SAFETY DRILL

Risk Management: It's Your Call

Date:_____

Student:_____

Dept:_____

Station:_____

Training Code:_____

NOTES:

CHALLENGE

The methamphetamine epidemic in the United States, which began in the West is having a devastating effect on our country. In every state labs are showing up in in the most unlikely places. No neighborhood is exempt or protected from this problem.

Meth labs pose a significant danger in the community as they contain highly flammable and explosive materials. The residual effects are also toxic. You have been called to this scene where a fire has resulted in an explosion. This was formerly the location of a "meth" lab. It's your call!

DISCUSSION

- How prepared is the department to handle fighting a fire involving illegal drugs?
- What issues concern you about evacuation of residents?
- Does the department have the appropriate decontamination protocols established?
- What security concerns do you have as the safety officer regarding potential traps installed by the occupant?
- How often have you had to deal with a situations such as this?

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