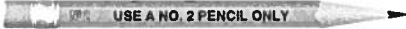




Post 911 LEADS Survey

Marking Instructions



- Use number 2 pencil only.
- Make dark marks that fill the circle completely.

Incorrect Marks



- Erase cleanly any mark you wish to change.
- Make no stray marks.

Correct Mark



The following questions were developed to seek information about the impact of the events surrounding September 11, 2001 on you, your community, and your EMS service.

Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

- After seeing the impact of the events in New York City on September 11, 2001, I wanted to be part of the Emergency Medical Service (EMS) initial response team.
 - Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Disagree
 - Not applicable - I was part of the initial response team
- After seeing the impact of the events in New York City on September 11, 2001, I wanted to be part of the EMS recovery team.
 - Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Disagree
 - Not applicable - I was part of the recovery team
- How have the events of September 11, 2001 changed your community's perception of Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs)?
 - How has the public's overall respect for EMTs changed?
 - Increased greatly
 - Increased
 - Remained the same
 - Decreased
 - Decreased greatly
 - How has the public's knowledge of EMTs' role in providing health care changed?
 - Increased greatly
 - Increased
 - Remained the same
 - Decreased
 - Decreased greatly
 - How has the public's perception of the importance of EMS changed?
 - Increased greatly
 - Increased
 - Remained the same
 - Decreased
 - Decreased greatly
- Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.
 - As a result of the events of September 11, 2001, people think that being an EMT is a dangerous job.
 - Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Neither agree nor disagree
 - Disagree
 - Strongly disagree
 - As a result of the events of September 11, 2001, people are nicer to EMTs.
 - Strongly agree
 - Agree
 - Neither agree nor disagree
 - Disagree
 - Strongly disagree
- As a result of the events of September 11, 2001, how have the following activities in your life been affected?

| | Improved | Slightly Improved | No Change | Slightly Worsened | Worsened |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| a. Sleeping habits | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| b. Interactions with EMS co-workers | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
- Please indicate whether each of the following statements are true or false:

| | True | False | Don't Know |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| a. I know how to contact the emergency management agency in my area by telephone | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| b. I know how to contact the emergency management agency in my area by radio | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| c. My ambulance has the NAERG (North American Emergency Response Guide) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| d. I have been trained in the use of APR (Air Purifying Respirator) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
- Since September 11, 2001, have you received training in the recognition of biological, chemical, and nuclear hazards?
 - Yes
 - No

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8. Since September 11, 2001, have you received training in the use of personal protective equipment to protect against exposure to biological, chemical, and nuclear materials?
 Yes No
9. Since September 11, 2001, have you received training in the *treatment and management* of patients involved in the following situations?
- | | Yes | No |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| a. Biological, chemical and nuclear hazard exposure | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| b. Incendiary/explosives exposure | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| c. Structural collapse | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
10. Since September 11, 2001, how many hours of training did you receive in (a) the recognition of biological, chemical and nuclear hazardous materials, (b) the use of protective equipment to protect against these hazardous materials, and (c) the treatment and management of patients exposed to these hazardous materials?
 None 1 – 4 hours 9 – 16 hours 33 or more hours
 Less than 1 hour 5 – 8 hours 17 – 32 hours
11. Since September 11, 2001, have you received training in the use of the Incident Command System/Incident Management System?
 Yes No Don't know
12. In the event of a Mass Casualty Incident, do you have access to a mass casualty incident kit which contains at least 100 triage tags and identification vests for EMS leadership?
 Yes No Don't know
13. Do you have access to extra supplies of patient care equipment (such as extra backboards and extra trauma kits) to supplement your supplies when responding to a mass casualty incident?
 Yes No Don't know
14. In the past 12 months, have you participated in multi-agency disaster drills which included scenarios involving exposure to biological, chemical, or nuclear hazards?
 Yes No
15. In the past 12 months, have you participated in multi-agency disaster drills which included scenarios involving explosive materials or structural collapse?
 Yes No
16. Does the emergency response plan developed by your EMS agency have a procedure for identifying emergency service providers at the emergency scene (for example, photo identification cards)?
 Yes No Don't know
17. Does your primary EMS agency have chemical protective suits for use at the scene of a hazardous materials emergency?
 Yes No Don't know
18. Since September 11, 2001, have you been trained in the use of the Mark 1 "antidote" kit?
 Yes No Don't know
19. Does your primary EMS agency maintain a supply of antibiotics for treatment of EMS personnel in the event of terrorist attacks involving biological agents?
 Yes No Don't know
20. Does your primary EMS agency have patient care protocols specifically for exposure to biological, chemical, or nuclear hazards?
 Yes No Don't know
21. Does your primary EMS agency have patient care protocols specifically for explosive exposures or structural collapse?
 Yes No Don't know