Drill Ground Activity 5: Assess a Downed Fire Fighter (PAC CAN)

Description	This drill ground activity provides students with an opportunity to practice working as a member of a team to perform a PAC assessment and deliver a CAN report to the exterior of the structure.
Timeframe	45 minutes
Students	Groups of up to 10 students Can be completed by one student
Materials	• Appropriate training structure • Simulated downed firefighter with SCBA • Full turn out PPE • SCBA
Site Preparation	• Ensure that site is free of all hazards.
Instructor Directions	1. Review the operation of the evolution and the desired outcome with participants. 2. Review safety considerations with participants. 3. Show participants the starting and ending points of the course. 4. Increase the complexity of scenarios as appropriate (no air, on air, decreased visibility, no visibility, etc.). 5. Ensure all participants are wearing full PPE. 6. Perform a final safety check prior to performing the evolution.

Student Directions	
1. Locate downed fire fighter. 2. RIC leader: Monitor fire and structural conditions.	
3. Deactivate downed fire fighter's PASS device and identify fire fighter.	

4. Assess downed firefighter for breathing andSCBA pressure. • Begin at SCBA mask and work back toward second stage regulator and cylinder gauge.	
5. Assess downed fire fighter. • Significant injuries, any entrapment issues, etc.	
6. Report assessment findings to RIC leader.	
7. RIC leader: Deliver CAN (conditions, actions, needs) report to Incident Command.	