



9-2: Maintain Hand Tools and Equipment

Candidate Information
Candidate Name and SFT ID Number:
Circle One: First Attempt / Second Attempt / Third Attempt
General Information
NFPA Standard: 1140 (2022), JPR 4.4.3 / CTS Guide: 9-2 / Course Plan: Fire Fighter 1C, Topic 2-6
Testing Criteria: Random / Methodology Type: Process, Psychomotor
Performance Outcome: Clean, check, sharpen (if applicable), and place equipment in a ready state or report otherwise.
Candidate Directions: You will inspect, clean, and sharpen a tool and place in a ready state, reporting any defects to a supervisor. The test will begin when I say, "start." The test will end when you say, "done." Do you understand the directions?

Variables (circle one)
Tools and Equipment: Brush Hook / Shovel / Single or Double-bit Ax / Pulaski / McLeod / Rhino tool / Combi tool / Wire Broom

Performance Measures (checkmark = complete / X = incomplete)	Pass	Fail
1. Wears and uses appropriate PPE/SCBA/equipment at all times during evaluation		
2. Inspects and describes selected item to ensure tool is in safe working condition		
3. Reports any tools considered unserviceable to supervisor		
4. Uses file handle and guard		
5. Secures tools for sharpening		
6. Maintains clearance around work area		
7. Uses flat palm against file		
8. Sharpens tool per AHJ or manufacturer guidelines		



Evaluation Results
The candidate must complete all steps (100%) to receive a passing score.
Overall Evaluation: Pass / Fail (circle one)
Student Signature / Date:
Evaluator Signature / Date:
Print Evaluator Name:
Comments: