

RECEIVING STAGING & STORAGE (RSS), TACTICAL COMMUNICATIONS LEADER

TYPE	TYPE 1	NO TYPE 2
DESCRIPTION	The Receiving, Staging, and Storage (RSS) Tactical Communications Team Leader establishes and maintains internal and external RSS communications technology, including radios, phones, and computers	Not Applicable
CATEGORY	CRITERIA	CRITERIA
EDUCATION	Not Specified NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
TRAINING	Completion of the following: 1. IS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS-100 2. IS-200: Incident Command System for Single Resource and Initial Action Incidents 3. ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents 4. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction 5. IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction 6. Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ)-provided RSS orientation 7. AHJ-provided training for the RSS Tactical Communications Team Leader position NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
EXPERIENCE	1. Participation in at least one incident or full-scale RSS/SNS exercise serving as RSS Tactical Communications Team Leader 2. Two years of experience working with different types of handheld radios, radio base stations, and repeaters 3. Two years of experience installing and maintaining Information Technology (IT) systems NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS	1. Performs duties under moderate circumstances characterized by working consecutive 12-hour days under physical and emotional stress for sustained periods of time 2. Is able to work while wearing appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) 3. Maintains immunizations in accordance with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) immunization recommendations NOTES: PPE is mission specific and may vary by work environment; it includes protective footwear, protective clothing for skin exposure, eye and ear protection, respirators, gloves, and masks.	Not Applicable

Superseded



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CURRENCY	1. Functions in this position during an operational incident, exercise, drill, or simulation at least once every three years 2. Keeps immunizations up to date and commensurate with mission assignment 3. Background checks as applicable law permits or requires	Not Applicable
	NOTES: Provider must carry out and use any background checks as applicable law specifies. This may include a background check completed within the past 12 months; a sex-offender registry check; and a local, state, and national criminal history.	
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	Not Specified	Not Applicable
	NOTES: Not Specified	

Superseded



ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS OR DESIGNATIONS

1. (X) Can be ordered as an individual asset
2. (X) Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed team (Receiving, Staging, and Storage Task Force)
3. () Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed unit
4. Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as security, lodging, transportation, and meals, prior to deployment
5. This position typically works 12 hours per shift, is self-sustainable for 72 hours, and is deployable for up to 14 days

REFERENCES

1. FEMA, NIMS 508: Receiving, Staging, and Storage Task Force
2. FEMA, NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System, November 2017
3. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Immunization Recommendations for Disaster Responders

NOTES

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated component and capability.

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