

## Final Exam for: IS-100.hcb: Introduction to the Incident Command System (ICS 100) for Healthcare/Hospitals

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- Members of the Command Staff are referred to as:
  - Chiefs
  - Directors
  - Deputies
  - Officers
  
- When communicating, ICS requires that responders DO NOT use:
  - Agency or radio codes
  - Common terminology
  - Clear text
  - Plain English
  
- Command is:
  - The ability to control information exchange within and across organizations involved in an incident.
  - Assumed by the individual who is the highest ranking person on the scene regardless of experience or training level.
  - Based on the number of individuals or resources that one supervisor can manage effectively during an incident.
  - Directing, ordering, or controlling by virtue of explicit statutory, regulatory, or delegated authority.
  
- In ICS, the term 'resources' refers to all of the following items, EXCEPT FOR:
  - Personnel
  - Supplies
  - Funding
  - Equipment
  
- Which action is INCONSISTENT with ICS chain of command principles?
  - Requests for additional resources are being communicated from the Task Force Leader to the Operations Section Chief.
  - After the Planning Section Chief assembles the Incident Action Plan, it must be approved by the Incident Commander.
  - Members from one strike team warn the members of a second strike team about hazardous road conditions ahead.
  - The on-scene Public Information Officer is being assigned tasks by both the agency executive's press secretary and the Incident Commander.

- Which of the following Sections is responsible for contract negotiation and monitoring?
  - Planning Section
  - Logistics Section
  - Finance/Administration Section
  - Operations Section
  
- TRUE OR FALSE: The analysis and sharing of information and intelligence are an important component of ICS.
  - True
  - False
  
- You are working to track the status of all resources assigned to the incident. What Section are you in?
  - Logistics Section
  - Finance/Administration Section
  - Planning Section
  - Operations Section
  
- All of the following are Command Staff positions, EXCEPT FOR:
  - Safety Officer
  - Public Information Officer
  - HazMat Officer
  - Liaison Officer
  
- TRUE OR FALSE: All incidents require some form of recordkeeping. Requirements vary depending upon the agencies involved and the nature of the incident.
  - True
  - False
  
- Select the FALSE statement below.
  - During an incident, the Liaison Officer is responsible for ensuring flow of communication within the ICS organization.
  - Integrating communications can be as simple as making sure you have current phone numbers of all key players.
  - Prior to an incident, response partners should work together to ensure that communication equipment, procedures, and systems can operate together.
  - A common communications plan is essential for ensuring that personnel can communicate with one another during an incident.
  
- ICS facilitates the ability to communicate by using:
  - Common terminology.
  - NIMS lexicon.
  - Acronyms.
  - ICS-specific codes.

- Interoperability means:
  - Personnel from different jurisdictions can all perform the same tasks using the same protocols.
  - A single plan is used to direct the tactical assignments with the Operations Section.
  - Communication equipment, procedures, and systems can operate together during a response.
  - Surrounding jurisdictions all purchase the same type of communications hardware and software.
  
- When completing ICS records or documents, you should follow all of the below guidelines, EXCEPT FOR:
  - Create your own unique reporting formats.
  - Enter the date and time on all forms and records.
  - Print or type all entries.
  - Fill in all blanks by using N/A as appropriate.
  
- When communicating, ICS requires the use of:
  - Radio codes
  - Technical language
  - Agency-specific codes
  - Plain English
  
- The analysis and sharing of information and intelligence is an important component of ICS. All of the following are examples of operational information sources, EXCEPT FOR:
  - Weather forecasts
  - Unsubstantiated media reports
  - Surveillance of disease outbreak
  - Risk assessments
  
- The Incident Commander depends on the Logistics Section Chief to:
  - Develop the Incident Action Plan.
  - Provide facilities, services, and material support for the incident.
  - Interface with representatives from assisting and coordinating agencies.
  - Direct tactical activities to achieve the incident objectives.
  
- What does unity of command mean?
  - Responders receive assignments only from a superior within their home agency.
  - Personnel report to only one ICS supervisor.
  - Tactical direction is provided by the agency executive.
  - There is only one Incident Commander per incident.

- Select the FALSE statement below.
  - Chain of command restricts personnel to communicating or sharing information outside their organizational units.
  - Chain of command requires that all task assignments and direction come from the individual's supervisor at the incident scene.
  - Chain of command avoids confusion by requiring that orders flow from supervisors.
  - Chain of command allows an Incident Commander to direct and control the actions of all personnel under his or her supervision.
  
- Which Section is responsible for developing plans for maintaining incident documentation?
  - Planning Section
  - Finance/Administration Section
  - Logistics Section
  - Operations Section
  
- The Incident Command System (ICS) is:
  - A military system used in domestic incidents to ensure command and control of Federal resources.
  - Most applicable to the management of complex incidents that extend over many hours or days.
  - A relatively new approach created based on the lessons learned from the 9/11 terrorist attacks.
  - A standardized approach to incident management that is applicable for use in all hazards.
  
- Select the FALSE statement below.
  - Agency executives may assign additional resources that have not yet been requested by the Incident Commander.
  - Resource management should include procedures for recovering and demobilizing resources.
  - Supervisors are responsible for recording and reporting changes in resource status.
  - The Incident Commander may request assistance from the Emergency Operations Center to acquire needed resources.
  
- The Incident Command System (ICS) is a viable application in all of the following situations, EXCEPT:
  - The oversight of a jurisdiction's annual budget.
  - A hazardous materials release after a train derailment.
  - A hostage situation at a local financial institution.
  - The planning and operation of a local festival.
  
- The Logistics Section Chief is responsible for all of the following activities, EXCEPT FOR:
  - Setting up and maintaining incident facilities.
  - Directing tactical activities to achieve the incident objectives.
  - Setting up food services.
  - Providing communication planning and resources.

- Select the FALSE statement below about completing ICS records or forms.
  - Fill in all blanks. Use N/A as appropriate.
  - Avoid using military 24-hour time.
  - Enter date and time on all forms and records. Use local time.
  - Print or type all entries.