



KENTUCKY COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM  
 COMMISSION ON FIRE PROTECTION PERSONNEL STANDARDS AND EDUCATION  
**FIREFIGHTER 1 COMPETENCY EVALUATION**



**Objective(s):** 5.3.9  **Primary Task:** Bring Unconscious Victim Down Ladder Candidate # \_\_\_\_\_  
 2002 NFPA 1001 Standard

**Skill No. 5-47 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS**

***INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR***

1. The candidate shall be provided with a 24 foot extension ladder already raised in place and heeled.
2. The candidate shall have a "victim" on the ladder ready to be brought down..
3. The candidate shall be given the instructions below before beginning the exercise.
4. Circle the **Method #** used by the firefighter to score.

***INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE***

**1. "The candidate, provided an extension ladder in place, raised and heeled, shall demonstrate procedures for bringing an unconscious victim down the ladder from a height of at least 10 feet, using one of three approved methods."**

*Minimum PPE: Full PPE without SCBA.*

***PERFORMANCE***

**YES NO**

1. Checks for proper climbing angle.		
2. Ensures ladder is heeled and secure and locks are fully engaged.		
3. Ascends the ladder to the victim.		
<b>Method 1</b>		
4. Places the victim on a knee and facing the ladder, and places the victims legs outside the beams, or		
<b>Method 2</b>		
4. Places the victim on the knee and facing the firefighter, or		
<b>Method 3</b>		
4. Places the victim facing the firefighter with the victims legs at the knees draped over the firefighter's shoulders.		
5. Keeps hands on beams and around the victim.		
6. Descends the ladder, rung by rung, while sliding the hands down the beams.		

Reference: IFSTA Essentials 4th Edition, Chapter 9

**TOTALS**

**Critical Step-** Failure on this step mandates failure on task !

**CRITICAL TASK**

CANDIDATE MUST COMPLETE STEPS TOTAL TO PASS SKILL.  **5**

**REMEMBER, YOU ARE AN EVALUATOR, NOT A TRAINER OF THE CANDIDATES DO NOT COACH, GRADE ONLY OBSERVED BEHAVIOR.**

TEST DATE \_\_\_\_\_ LOCATION: \_\_\_\_\_

EVALUATOR NAME (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

EVALUATOR SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_