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Open the Roof

Hours: 4

Prerequisite: Interior Firefighter*

MCFA # 5002

Manual: None Auxiliary equipment: notebook, pen/pencil

Certificate: MCFA Limit: 30 students

Vertical ventilation can be the most challenging task on the fire scene. It can also be the most dangerous! Countless numbers of firefighters have lost their lives during such operations. This course will address staffing, roof composition/construction and equipment needs for ensuring safe and effective vertical ventilation.

Strategy and Tactics Part I Course