



## Just in Time Training

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Just In Time training or JIT, is used to refresh a selected group or crew, of **qualified personnel**, on a topic shortly before they conduct those types of activities. For the fire service these include seasonal, time of year, and equipment return to service topics. A JIT should be a brief overview on the topic for those who are already properly trained in that area. The JIT will be a short discussion on the topic, critical points are covered and a drill that refreshes the motor skills required to perform the actions. A quality JIT will provide key terms, department operating methods, internal lessons learned, and possible past occurrences.

*Example: November JIT – Ice Rescue Seasonal Activities*

All qualified department personnel shall review the Ice Water Rescue Equipment list, storage locations, department response policy for these types of incidents, and the lessons learned from last years rescue on Clear Lake. See attached documents and perform the quick drills. The expectation is that all qualified personnel will perform these activities on shift. The station Captain will ensure completion.

- Rescue 1 Ice rescue equipment list
- Rescue 1 Ice rescue equipment inspection criteria
- XYZ FD Policy 100-99 *Responding to Ice Rescue emergencies*
- XYZ Internal Lessons Learned *Ice Rescue of 2 persons on Clear Lake 2011*
- XYZ Throw bag drill
- XYZ Ice Commander Suit dress out drill

Keep it short, concise, yet include all critical information. If the scope of training required is larger, then a regular training shall be conducted.



**Death in the line of duty...**

**NIOSH**  
Fire Fighter Fatality Investigation  
and Prevention Program

A summary of a NIOSH fire fighter fatality investigation

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### **Fire Fighter-Paramedic Suffers Sudden Cardiac Death During Ice Rescue Training – New Hampshire**

A JIT can also be a refresher quick drill and a review on a relevant LODD report to re-enforce the “What’s in it for me?” factor.