



Rapid Intervention Series

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Issue #006

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Disoriented Firefighter

Background: A MAYDAY call has come across the radio from within a medium sized commercial fire that engine 2 was working inside as part of a primary search team. The firefighter calling MAYDAY states that he is lost from the hose line and is not sure where he is at. You estimate that engine 2 was on-air and working in the interior for about 10 minutes when MAYDAY was called. Discuss this incident with your RIT group and select the best alternative for your team within your SOG's.

One story commercial with basement. Smoke conditions moderate on first floor. Ordinary construction.



<u>Scenario #1</u>	<u>Scenario #2</u>	<u>Scenario #3</u>
RIT can enter at location where engine 2 made their entry from and begin a search along the line they were working off. Instruct ff to activate his PASS and await your response to him.	Maintain contact with the disoriented firefighter and direct him to a window or doorway. Instruct him to break window and await your deployment to that area.	Contact the officer of engine 2 and determine their approximate location. Make quick entry at nearest point bringing additional air and tools to the rescue area.
<u>Pros</u>	<u>Pros</u>	<u>Pros</u>
<u>Cons</u>	<u>Cons</u>	<u>Cons</u>
<u>Your Analysis of This RIT Rescue Scenario</u>	<u>Your Analysis of This RIT Rescue Scenario</u>	<u>Your Analysis of This RIT Rescue Scenario</u>

***You may blend these choices also.
Consider these or other options.***