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# UNIT VII: TAKING PROTECTIVE ACTION DURING A TERRORIST INCIDENT

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### PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET

#### PART I: PROTECTIVE ACTIONS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS

1. Which first responders carry personal protective equipment to all calls?

- Fire (\_\_\_ %)
- Law enforcement (\_\_\_ %)
- Public works (\_\_\_ %)
- EMS (\_\_\_ %)
- Other (List and provide percentages):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Which first responders have completed HazMat training? At what level?

- |  |                                    |                                     |                                      |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fire (___ %)                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Awareness | <input type="checkbox"/> Technician | <input type="checkbox"/> Operational |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Law enforcement (___ %)               | <input type="checkbox"/> Awareness | <input type="checkbox"/> Technician | <input type="checkbox"/> Operational |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public works (___%)                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Awareness | <input type="checkbox"/> Technician | <input type="checkbox"/> Operational |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EMS (___ %)                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Awareness | <input type="checkbox"/> Technician | <input type="checkbox"/> Operational |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (List and provide percentages): |                                    |                                     |                                      |

_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Awareness	<input type="checkbox"/> Technician	<input type="checkbox"/> Operational
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3. Has your jurisdiction promulgated policy mandating the use of PPE?  Yes  No

**PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET (CONTINUED)**

**PART I: PROTECTIVE ACTIONS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS (CONTINUED)**

4. Have all response agencies developed and implemented procedures regarding PPE?

Fire	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Law Enforcement	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Public Works	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
EMS	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Other (List):						
_____	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
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_____	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	_____	Date	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know

5. Have all response agencies completed exercises that test safety procedures?

Fire	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Law Enforcement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Public Works	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
EMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Other (List):						
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know

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### PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET (CONTINUED)

#### PART I: PROTECTIVE ACTIONS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS (CONTINUED)

6. Is on-site discipline enforced with regard to safety issues?

Fire	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Law Enforcement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Public Works	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
EMS	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Other (List):	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know

7. What additional strategies might be implemented to increase responder safety?

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**PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET (CONTINUED)**

**PART II: PUBLIC SAFETY**

1. Has your jurisdiction instituted a public awareness/education campaign that includes:

- Awareness of surroundings?  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Basic survival strategies?  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Basic terminology?  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Where to turn for emergency information?  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Basic self-protection measures?  Yes  No  Don't Know

2. What techniques has your jurisdiction used to make the public aware?

- The media  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Town meetings  Yes  No  Don't Know
- School presentations  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Flyers or mailings  Yes  No  Don't Know
- Other (List):  Yes  No  Don't Know
- \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Don't Know
- \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Don't Know
- \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Don't Know
- \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Don't Know
- \_\_\_\_\_  Yes  No  Don't Know

3. Has your jurisdiction included the media in the appropriate planning sessions?

- Yes  No  Don't Know
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**PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET (CONTINUED)**

**PART II: PUBLIC SAFETY (CONTINUED)**

4. Has your jurisdiction prepared templates for:

News releases?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
EAS broadcasts?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Warnings about emergency protective measures?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Public service announcements?	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
Other (List):	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know
_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know

5. Does your jurisdiction operate from a JIC during emergencies?

Yes     No     Don't Know

6. Does your jurisdiction have designated media contacts?

Yes     No     Don't Know

7. Does everyone know who they are?

Yes     No     Don't Know

8. Do the media contacts know the limits of their authority to speak for the jurisdiction?

Yes     No     Don't Know

9. Have you arranged to have experts available in the JIC?

Yes     No     Don't Know

**PROTECTIVE ACTIONS WORKSHEET (CONTINUED)**

**PART II: PUBLIC SAFETY (CONTINUED)**

10. Has your jurisdiction developed policies to discourage onlookers?

Yes     No     Don't Know

11. Has your jurisdiction disseminated information to the public about:

The danger at the scene?                       Yes     No     Don't Know

The impediment onlookers cause?             Yes     No     Don't Know

12. What other strategies can you think of that would help the public prepare for or protect themselves following a terrorist incident?

**YOU SHOULD FOLLOW UP ON ALL "NO" OR "DON'T KNOW" RESPONSES WHEN YOU RETURN HOME!**

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