

EMERGENCY/FIRE DRILL CHECKLIST

DRILL INFORMATION

Name of Building/Facility _____

Building/Facility Address _____

Location of Drill (Specific floor/wing/etc) _____ Date of Drill ____ / ____ /20__

Time Drill Initiated ____:____ AM/PM Time All Occupants Vacated ____:____ AM/PM Elapsed Time _____ Min.

Drill Monitor Name: _____ Title/Position _____

Weather: TEMP: Cold / Warm / Hot WINDS: Calm / Breezy / Windy PRECIP: Sunny / Cloudy / Rain / Snow / Sleet

PRE DRILL ASSESSMENT

Evacuation routes posted Yes No
 Evacuation signs are in good condition Yes No
 Exits are clearly marked Yes No
 Exit signs are properly illuminated Yes No
 Exit doors operating properly Yes No
 Egress routes free of obstructions Yes No
 Egress routes properly lighted Yes No

UTILITIES

Electrical appliances were turned off Yes No N/A
 Lights were turned off Yes No N/A
 HVAC units were shut down Yes No N/A

PLAN

Evacuation performed according to plan Yes No
 Occupants met at designated meeting places according to the plan Yes No
 Designated meeting place(s) located at safe distances from building Yes No
 Fire drill/incident response team(s) responded according to plan Yes No
 Fire drill/incident response team(s) carried out assigned duties Yes No
 Fire department "mock" notified according to plan Yes No

COMMUNICATION

Method of Drill Activation:
 Alarm Activation PA System
 In-House Word of Mouth Other: _____

Drill preannounced YesNo
 Fire department present for drill Yes No
 Alarm monitoring company notified Yes No
 Security notified Yes No N/A

FIRE CONTAINMENT

Doors and windows closed Yes No
 Rooms checked prior to closing doors Yes No
 Doors left unlocked Yes No
 Fire extinguisher taken to location of fire Yes No
 Door hold-open devices operated appropriately Yes No N/A

FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS

Fire alarm clearly heard in all areas Yes No Alarm
 monitoring company received alarm Yes No
 Electro-magnetic locks operated appropriately Yes No N/A
 Public address system clearly heard in all areas Yes No N/A
 Elevators recalled to correct floor Yes No N/A

EVACUATION

All occupants participated and evacuated Yes No
 Restrooms were checked for occupants Yes No
 Evacuation was orderly Yes No
 Visitors escorted and accounted for Yes No
 Special needs persons accommodated Yes No
 Elevators were used during evacuation Yes No
 Overall response of occupants
 Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

Any item receiving a "No" or "Unsatisfactory" is an item that the facility should work on to correct.

Noise level of evacuation
 Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

Number of occupants evacuated
 Visitors: _____ Staff: _____ Tenants: _____ TOTAL: _____

FIRE AND EMERGENCY EVACUATION DRILL OBJECTIVES

- Evaluate the effectiveness of the occupants abilities to evacuate a building
- Evaluate the effectiveness and adequateness of the fire and life safety evacuation plan
- Evaluate occupants ability to recognize the fire/evacuation alarm
- Determine whether the occupant takes appropriate actions upon hearing/seeing the evacuation/fire alarm
- Determine that the occupant begins the evacuation process in an acceptable manner and/or per plan
- Evaluate the occupants ability to provide assistance to visitors or individuals who are experiencing difficulty
- Evaluate the occupants ability to recognize and take appropriate actions when a means of egress is unsafe
- Ensure occupants report in at designated meeting places

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2. Date and time of the drill
3. Notification method used
4. Staff members on duty and participating
5. Number of occupants evacuated
6. Special conditions simulated
7. Problems encountered
8. Time required to accomplish complete evacuation

DRILL TIMES

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