



## Unit 8 - Answers Terrorism & CERT

1. If CERTs suspect a terrorist incident, they should:
  - b) Move away from the area immediately
2. CERTs can limit their exposure to the harmful effects of terrorist weapons by:
  - c) Evacuating at least 1000-1500 feet away, uphill and upwind
3. There are three factors that can significantly affect safety at a terrorist incident. They are, time, distance, and \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Shielding
4. CERT members respond to an incident in which a truck that's carrying a known hazardous material has overturned on a highway. What should the team do?
  - a) Consider the hazardous material a STOP sign
5. CERT members responding to an incident suspect that they have been contaminated by exposure to a chemical agent. They follow the basic self-decontamination procedures to reduce their risk of injury and limit their exposure to the chemical. What should they do next?
  - d) Stay out of contaminated area and wait for professional responders to conduct formal decontamination
6. The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 704 Diamond placard:
  - b) Indicates that hazardous materials are stored in the building
7. A CERT member finds herself near a possible terrorist incident and sees what she suspects is an explosive device. What should she do?
  - a) Leave the area and report information to 911 using a land line



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8. You are having a business lunch downtown when you hear a loud explosion. You follow others outside to find what caused the noise. In the distance you can see heavy smoke rising from the electrical plant, the very same electrical plant used to power your town and several major cities in the area and that you saw on the news last night cited as a potential target for a recently uncovered terrorist plot. All around you, people are speculating that the plot was successful. What should you do?
- b) Locate your family and evacuate to safety
9. You remember from the news report that the potential plot was uncovered when an electrical plant security guard noticed the same black van parked outside for over a week. Worried that someone was watching the building, he alerted local authorities. Which of the eight signs of a terrorist attack did the security guard notice?
- a) Surveillance
10. A friend runs over to you, a little frantic, and asks why you are not headed to the disaster site to help. After all, he says, you are a trained CERT member. How do you respond to your friend?
- d) "You're right. I am a CERT member, but CERT members must not respond to a potential terrorist incident."