



Unit 5 - Answers

Light Search & Rescue Operations

Quiz 2

1. "Cribbing" refers to a technique used to:
c) Stabilize a heavy object that must be raised in order to extract a trapped victim
2. The first goal of search and rescue is:
a) Maintain the safety of the rescuers
3. CERT search and rescue teams must never:
c) Enter heavily damaged structures
4. How does assessment of structural damage during sizeup affect search and rescue operations?
d) The CERT mission changes, depending on whether the damage is light, moderate, or heavy
5. Which of the following describes what CERT members should do periodically as they search for victims inside a damaged building?
b) Stop all movement and listen for sounds of trapped victims
6. When leveraging a heavy object to remove a victim, remember to:
d) Stabilize the object with cribbing as you go
7. You and two other CERT members begin searching a local library. You make a single slash next to the doorway of the first room you enter. What information do you write in what will become the left quadrant of this search marking?
c) Your agency or group ID
8. In terms of search and rescue, a "void" refers to:
a) An area where victims may be trapped



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9. While stopping frequently to listen, you hear a faint cry for help from the corner of the room. You walk over to find a young boy who has glass shards in his leg and is unable to walk. Keeping in mind that you are searching the room with only two other CERT members, which of the following is not a recommended way of moving the boy?
- a) Blanket carry
10. Upon completing your search and rescue in the library, you enter a house where the second floor has collapsed, creating a lean-to void. How should you proceed?
- a) Leave the premises immediately and mark the structure as unsound.