

- a. The proper use of protective equipment and the limitations;
 - b. Cleaning and disinfecting;
 - c. Storing in a convenient, clean and sanitary location;
 - d. Inspection during cleaning and replacement of worn or deteriorated parts.
 - e. Those in areas where the wearer, with failure of protective equipment, could be incapacitated will have least one additional person present. Communications (visual or voice) shall be maintained between both or all individuals present. Planning shall be such that one individual will be unaffected by any likely incident.
 - f. Fitting instructions, including demonstrations and practice in how the gas mask should be worn, how to adjust it, and how to determine if it fits properly;
 - g. Gas Masks shall not be worn when conditions prevent a good face seal. Such conditions may be the growth of beard, sideburns, and a skullcap that projects under the face-piece or temple pieces on glasses. Wearing soft contact lenses is allowed if the person has demonstrated successful long-term soft contact lens use. Wearing of hard contact lenses or glasses is prohibited.
4. A Mace Securities International (MSI) Certified Instructor will conduct gas mask training for the S.E.R.T. members. The S.E.R.T. MSI Master Certified Instructor will train the trainers. All training will be in accordance with the MSI curriculum.
- C. MAINTENANCE, TEST/INSPECTION AND REPAIR
1. All Gas masks shall be inspected monthly, consistent with the manufacturer's recommendations.
 3. Only individuals trained and certified by the S.E.R.T. MSI Certified Master Instructor will inspect gas masks (attachment 1)

REFERENCES:

Standards for the Administration of Correctional Agencies
Second Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Correctional Institutions
Fourth Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Community Residential Services
Third Edition Standards

Standards for Adult Probation and Parole Field Services
Fourth Edition Standards

Other

U.S. Dept. of Labor Occupational Health and Safety Admin. 29 CFR 1910.134, 29 CFR 1910.120, 42 CFR 84

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Attachments

