

Job description for Seminole County, FL Firefighter/Paramedics

Responds to fire, rescue and emergency medical alarms in an assigned area as a member of a fire company. Enters burning buildings and removes and rescues persons from danger. Administers Basic Life Support and emergency medical assistance to injured or afflicted persons. Connects hose or apparatus to hydrants or pumps, joins hose sections, connects nozzles, and operates nozzles in spraying water on fire. Ventilates burning buildings. Operates hand fire extinguisher and similar equipment. Raises, climbs, and lowers ladders. Performs salvage operations. Drives emergency fire apparatus in responding to fire and rescue alarms. Operates pumps to maintain adequate water volume and pressure. Engages in pre-fire planning and inspection of commercial establishments in assigned areas.

Participates in instruction sessions in subjects of fire fighting methods, equipment operation, emergency medical care, and/or geographical information. May participate as member of special team (dive, extrication team, hazardous materials team, etc.) Performs maintenance cleaning tasks in and about assigned station. Performs related duties, such as inventory assessment and map book preparation. May assume full charge of an assigned station/company in the absence of the Lieutenant, and performs all necessary duties and responsibilities of the Lieutenant's position as assigned.

Performs other duties as assigned, including, but not limited to, reassignments or rotations.