



New Jersey Task Force One Training Facility

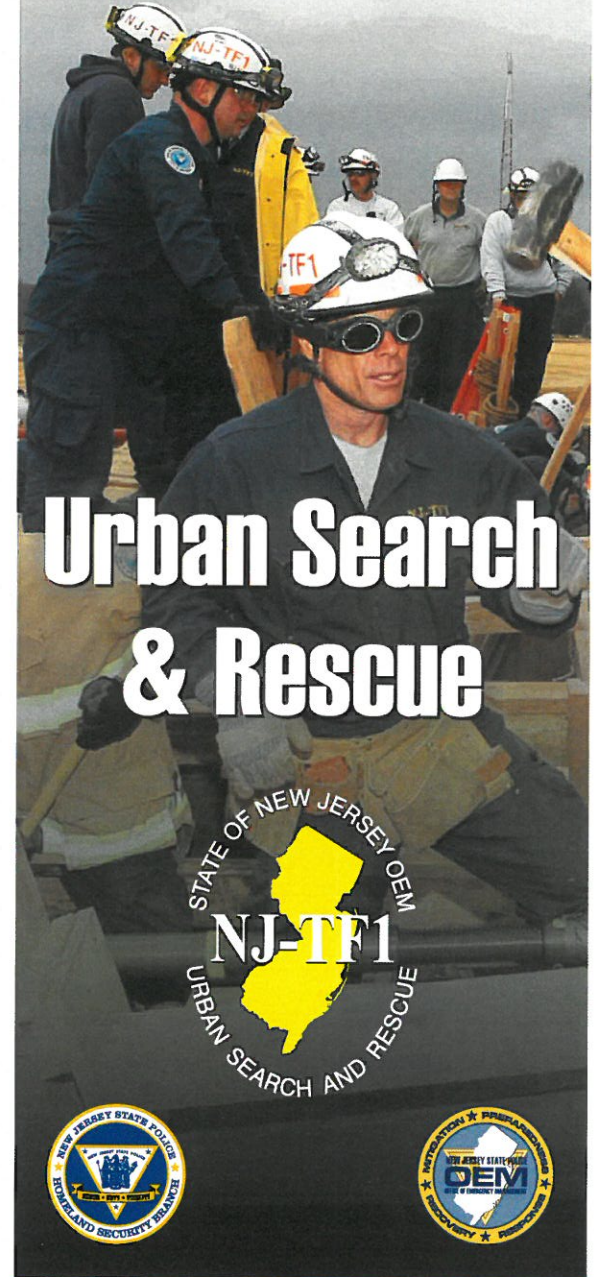


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NEW JERSEY Task Force One



Urban Search & Rescue



We are the State of New Jersey's Urban Search and Rescue Team and operate under the auspices of the New Jersey State Police & Office of Emergency Management. We are comprised of technical search & rescue specialists from the public and private sectors. All training conforms to FEMA US&R System and NFPA 1670 and 1006 standards.



How To Contact Us

To request *NJ-TF1* during an emergency, call the Regional Operations Intelligence Center (ROIC) at
609-963-6900

For additional information or any other inquiries call the administrative offices at
732-657-7001

Our History...

NJ-TF1 was established in 1996 to address a Technical Rescue void in our State's emergency response plan. The team currently resides within the Division of State Police, Homeland Security Branch, Emergency Management Section, Emergency Response Bureau, USAR Unit.



Since its inception, *NJ-TF1* has responded to many structural collapse incidents and natural disaster events. Some include the NYC World Trade Center attacks, the Atlantic City parking garage collapse, the '04 Warren County flood/swift water rescue events, the Eatontown commercial building gas explosion, Hurricane Katrina, the Southampton trench rescue, the Passaic County floods, the Hackensack collapse, and Hurricane Irene. In addition to operational deployments, *NJ-TF1* participated in the TOPOFF 3 Exercise in New London, CT. *NJ-TF1* has also been requested to provide Technical Rescue equipment and assistance during the 2000 Republican National Convention in Phila., PA and the Democratic National Convention in NY, NY. The team is divided into six distinct components, Search, Rescue, Planning, Logistics, HazMat and Medical. All components train regularly in their respective discipline at the *NJ-TF1* Training Facility in Lakehurst, NJ.

What We Provide

- **Incident Advance Team** to assist the Incident Commander in assessment and technical support.
- **100,000** pounds of state-of-the-art search and rescue equipment.
- **Self-Sufficiency** for the first 72 hours with base camp, supplies and communications in order not to impact local resources.
- **Deployment** up to 10 days with a 80 member task force.
- **Modular or full deployment** depending on IC's needs.
- **Over 210 members** with expertise in the following disciplines:
 - Structural Collapse
 - Confined Space / Trench Rescue
 - High Angle / Rope Rescue
 - Flood / Swift Water Rescue
 - K9 & Technical Search
 - Haz Mat
 - Structural Engineering
 - Technical Information
 - Heavy Rigging
 - Logistics & Communications
 - Incident Accountability & Planning
 - Medical Triage & Treatment

