

Facility Fire Brigades

Certification Application Form



1. SSN Number: _____ State DFS-ID Number: _____ (If previously issued – e.g., 111111) Name: _____ Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____	For Official Use Only	
	Received 1: _____	_____
	Returned: _____	_____
	Received 2: _____	_____
	Date Issued: _____	_____
By: _____		

2. Titles:
- Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member
 - Advanced Exterior Industrial Fire Brigade Member
 - Interior Structural Industrial Fire Brigade Member
 - Industrial Fire Brigade Leader
 - Industrial Fire Brigade Support Member

3. Facility Fire Brigades Certification Titles and their Credentialing Requirements

Please check above the appropriate box(s) corresponding to the Hazardous Materials Level to be issued. You may apply for multiple certification levels using this ONE application.

Submittal Instructions: Please provide the following documentation with your application: 1) Photocopy of your birth certificate or driver's license; 2) instructional program completion certificates; and proof that you successfully passed the State final exams associated with the certification level requested. Copies of State certification certificates should be included with the documentation to prove certifications issued. Please note that certification will not be issued unless documentation has been received and validated.

Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member Credentialing Criteria: Be at least 18 years of age; Successfully complete the NJ adopted Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member educational program, and pass the State exams that evaluate the Job Performance Requirements (JPR's) and components of requisite knowledge and skills contained in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, specific to the designated title JPR's.

Advanced Exterior Industrial Fire Brigade Member Credentialing Criteria: Be at least 18 years of age; Possess NJ Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member certification issued by the NJ Division of Fire Safety; Successfully complete the NJ adopted Advanced Exterior Industrial Fire Brigade Member educational program, and pass the State exams that evaluate the Job Performance Requirements (JPR's) and components of requisite knowledge and skills contained in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, compliant to the designated title JPR's.

Interior Structural Industrial Fire Brigade Member Credentialing Criteria: Be at least 18 years of age; Possess both the Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member and Advanced Exterior Industrial Fire Brigade Member certifications issued by the NJ Division of Fire Safety; Successfully complete the NJ State adopted Interior Structural Industrial Fire Brigade Member educational program, and pass the State exams that evaluate the Job Performance Requirements (JPR's) and components of requisite knowledge and skills contained in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, compliant to the designated title JPR's.

Industrial Fire Brigade Leader Credentialing Criteria: Be at least 18 years of age; Possess NJ Incipient Industrial Fire Brigade Member, Advanced Exterior Industrial Fire Brigade Member, and Interior Structural Industrial Fire Brigade Member certifications issued by the NJ Division of Fire Safety; Successfully complete the NJ State Industrial Fire Brigade Leader educational program, and pass the NJ State Industrial Fire Brigade Leader exams that evaluate the Job Performance Requirements (JPR's) and components of requisite knowledge and skills contained in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, compliant to the designated title JPR's.

Industrial Fire Brigade Support Member Credentialing Criteria: Be at least 18 years of age; Successfully complete the NJ State adopted Industrial Fire Brigade Support Member educational program, and pass the State exams that evaluate the Job Performance Requirements (JPR's) and components of requisite knowledge and skills contained in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, compliant to the designated title JPR's.

4. I do hereby certify that the documentation submitted with this application is accurate and is true. I am aware that if any of the documentation is willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Facility Fire Brigades Certification Application Form Instructions

Please type or print clearly on the application form.
Certification will not be issued unless documentation is received and validated.

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1. Enter your Social Security Number (SSN) and six digit Firefighter Identification Number (FFID) if previously issued to you. Provide your name. The collection of the SSN is **mandatory**, and is collected under authority of N.J.S.A. 54:50-24 et seq. and Administrative Rule N.J.A.C. 5:3-1.2. The mandatory provision requires the collection of your SSN which enables both the Division of Fire Safety within the Department of Community Affairs and the Division of Taxation within the Department of Treasury to conduct more efficiently, the necessary background check before issuance, denial, renewal, suspension or revocation of a certification.
2. Facility Fire Brigades Certification Titles. Indicate by checking the box associated with the Title(s) to be certified. You may use this form to apply for multiple titles at once.
3. Facility Fire Brigades Certification Titles Credentialing Requirements. Explained on the first page.

Please note that it shall be the responsibility of the employer to maintain the necessary documentation as set forth in the most current edition of the NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards, that the individual certified through N.J.A.C. 5:73-9 has met the job performance requirements associated with the certification title.

Equivalence Determination Criteria Explained:

The equivalency determination is intended to be applied to out-of-state instructional programs accredited by ProBoard or IFSAC, or applied to a program of instruction deemed "equivalent" to the State adopted instructional program and which meets the current NFPA 1081 and NFPA 600 standards JPR's at time of application submittal for the designated title. The program submitted for review should be consistent with the New Jersey adopted program instructional objectives and hours associated with its delivery.

Submittal Instructions: Please provide the following documentation with your application: 1) Photocopy of your birth certificate or driver's license; 2) instructional program completion certificates; and proof that you successfully passed the State final testing requirements identified for the Facility Fire Brigade title(s) requested. Please note that certification will not be issued unless documentation has been received and validated.

4. The application form must be signed and dated.

Forward the application form and supportive documentation to:

**Attn: Facility Fire Brigades Certification
Office of Training and Certification
Division of Fire Safety
P.O. Box 809
Trenton, NJ 08625-0809**

Office Staff Contact Information

Questions about Firefighter certification requirements and procedures should be directed to the staff of the Office of Training and Certification at **(609) 777-3552** from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.