

## Acceptable Documentation for Pro Board Certification Requirements

- ✓ A Pro Board or IFSAC certificate
- ✓ Printout from Pro Board, DoD, TCFP or similar lookup system
- ✓ A certificate from the designated state training entity within the state
  - Examples of these certificates would be: Mississippi Certified Firefighter or Firefighter II, Maine State Training
- ✓ All certificates must include the following:
  - Name of entity issuing certification
  - Seal, stamp or logo (if applicable)
  - NFPA Standard & Level
  - Candidates Name
  - Certification number (if applicable)
  - Issuance Date

**Note:** if the certificate does not include the standard information, the issuing entity can provide written documentation verifying the appropriate standard.

If there is a training duration listed on the certificate, it should be in accordance with the typical length for that discipline. If a certificate is below the typical duration, the candidate may be required to provide additional information for verification purposes.

- Example of typical duration of training would be: HM Awareness = 8 hours, HM Ops = 16 hours, HM Tech = 40 hours

- ✓ **NFPA 472/1072 Haz Mat Documentation Information**
  - A Pro Board, IFSAC, or State certification referencing NFPA 472/1072 standard and level. Please see above requirements for what certificate should include.
  - Certificates of completion for all NFPA 472 levels. Please see above requirements for what certificate should include.
  - Certificates of completion for NFPA 1072 Awareness/Operations level only. Please see above requirements for what certificate should include.

NFPA 472 can be considered an acceptable prerequisite where NFPA 1072 is referenced in other NFPA standards. This allows agencies to acknowledge the previous hazardous materials standard so that candidates who obtained NFPA 472 training or certification can continue their progression without starting over. The NFPA 472 certificates must fall within 2002 – 2013 edition years.

NFPA 1072 can be considered an acceptable prerequisite where NFPA 472 is referenced in other NFPA standards.

Prior to the 2008 edition of the NFPA 472 standard, Operations included the mission-specific competencies. Any prerequisites starting with the 2008 edition must show proof of the mission-specific competencies.

**Note:** All TEEX HazMat training follows the NFPA 472/1072 standards.