STATE OF FL DOH PST 6th EDITION WORKBOOK SECTION 7 QUIZ-KEY

The below is intended to compliment or be used in conjunction with the FL DOH PST 6th Edition Workbook dated 2024. FL APCO Training Committee recommends the workbook be thoroughly read in preparation for the state examination. The below is meant to aid, not to substitute or supersede the information found in the workbook.

1. ICS is a standardized approach to incident management developed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to ensure consistent and effective response across all levels of government, private sector, and non-profit organizations **Workbook Pg. 127**

        True or **False**

2. Strengthened interoperability and enhanced response capabilities negatively impacts inter-agency cooperation. **Workbook Pg. 130**

        True or **False**

3. Information gathering and resource dispatching are roles of the PST within ICS. **Workbook Pg. 129**

        True or False

4. Forming joint communication teams, establishing clear communication protocols, prioritizing joint training and planning are strategies for establishing effective inter-agency cooperation **Workbook Pg. 130**

        True or False

5. Define NIMS **Workbook Pg. 127**

National Incident Management System

6. List three key ICS positions. **Workbook Pg. 127& 128**

Any 3 of the following:

Incident Commander (IC),   Logistics Chief (LC)

Operations Chief (OC),   Public Information Officer (PIO)

Planning Chief (PC),   Branch Chiefs

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7. Define Chain of command. <mark>Workbook Pg. 125</mark>

Established hierarchy of authority and responsibility within the ECC or any command structure

8. Structure is important for the following reasons except <mark>Workbook Pg. 125</mark>

       A. Improved Decision-Making   B. Clarity of Roles and Responsibilities

       C. Reduced Stress and Workload   **D. Streamlined response and recovery**

9. The following are challenges and considerations of inter-agency cooperation except <mark>Workbook Pg. 130</mark>

       A. Communication Barriers   B. Training and Familiarity

       C. Jurisdictional Issues   **D. Faster response time**

10. Which two of the following are benefits of a strong Chain of Command? <mark>Workbook Pg. 125 &126</mark>

       A. Improved Incident Management   **B. A & C**

       C. Increased Morale and Teamwork   D. Standardized terminology

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