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**Fire Service Mission and Regulations Exam**

**Multiple Choice:**

1. Which of the following is not one of the three fire service risk management tactical priorities?
   1. Incident stabilization
   2. Property conservation
   3. Salvage and overhaul
   4. Life safety
2. Firefighter Lopez says that orders are solely based on policy. Firefighter Smith disagrees, and says that orders may also be based upon written procedures. Which firefighter is correct?
3. Firefighter Lopez
4. Firefighter Smith
5. Neither are correct
6. Both are correct
7. Which of the following is not based on policies or procedures but is expected to be followed, especially in an emergency situation?
   1. Order
   2. Policy
   3. Procedure
   4. Directive
8. Compliance is required in which of the following?
9. Orders
10. Suggestions
11. Requests
12. Directives
13. All of the above
14. A routine task or a response to a specific situation is carried out by using a what?
15. Standard Operating Guideline
16. Standard Operating Procedure
17. General Operating Guidelines
18. All of the above
19. Which of the following statements regarding Standard Operating Procedures (SOP’s) is false?
20. SOP’s provide a standard response that is based on an Incident Action Plan
21. SOP’s are established without considering the fire service mission and fire-ground tactical priorities
22. Many fire organizations carry out personnel and administrative functions through the use of SOP’s
23. All of the above
24. A reference for a fire department’s policies and procedures would be the department’s what?
25. Administrative Procedures Manual
26. Operations Manual
27. Rules and Regulations Manual
28. Station Manual
29. Which list has the correct fire service tactical priorities in the proper order?
30. Rescue, Salvage and Overhaul, Fire Control
31. Fire Attack, Containment, Search and Rescue
32. Life Safety, Incident Stabilization, Property Conservation
33. Life Safety, Salvage and Overhaul, Incident Stabilization
34. Which of the following statements about SOP’s is true?
35. Safety is always the priority when writing SOP’s.
36. SOP’s help reduce confusion at a fire scene.
37. SOP’s reduce duplication of effort among firefighters, and help establish and maintain coordination among fire crews.
38. All of the above
39. Which manual would likely include information regarding infection control procedures?
    1. Medical Procedures Manual
    2. Safety Manual
    3. Operations Manual
    4. Administrative Procedures Manual

**Short Answer Questions:**

1. What is the difference between a policy and procedure?
2. What are directives, and in what particular circumstances are they expected to be followed?
3. What is the purpose of a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)?
4. When writing an SOP, what are the tactical priorities that must be kept in mind?
5. Many fire organizations carry out personnel and administrative tasks through the use of SOP’s that address regulation on several areas. What are three of those areas?
6. List three organizations that fire service personnel may interact with?
7. What procedure manual is a reference source for policies, procedures, regulations, and information used to provide a uniformed approach to a fire department’s management policy?
8. As a reference source for personnel rules and regulations, including discipline, grooming and dress, and ethics policies, are there any other areas that Rules and Regulations Manuals can address?
9. In what occupancies do a fire department’s inspection forms and procedures for company firefighters and fire marshal personnel apply to?
10. In your opinion, is there any circumstance in which the life of a fire victim would outweigh the life of a firefighter when you consider the risk management policy that many departments have adopted?