

"Training tools for an increasingly complex and dangerous job"



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About the Series

When an incident occurs, it may be necessary to carry out an investigation. A good investigation will determine what happened and why, and becomes a learning tool to improve performance and save resources.

Investigations is a four-part series of videos/DVDs designed for supervisors, safety officers, and other fire and plant personnel who may - as a part of their job - be called upon to carry out investigations of incidents in which there is property damage and/or injury. Produced in association with the International Fire Service Training Association, the series will help facilities and personnel comply with federal regulations and national standards, including NFPA 1500, Fire Department Occupational Safety & Health Program and OSHA's Process Safety Management of Highly Hazardous Chemicals standard.

Each title is accompanied by a booklet written by Ludwig Benner which provides a description of the knowledge, methods and tools used to conduct an investigation.

About "Introduction to Investigations"

Part One of the series, "Introduction to Investigations," outlines a systematic

approach to the investigative process, showing how to interview witnesses, examine the scene, gather and maintain evidence, write reports and conduct follow-up activities. This tape provides information that is fundamental to all types of investigations, and is the foundation of the other three tapes. 28 minutes.

About "Accident Investigation"

Part Two is "Accident Investigation." This tape explains how to carry out investigations of mechanical accidents including injuries resulting from equipment use or misuse, occupational illness, line of duty death, or accidents involving motor vehicles. The program will show how to determine conditions before the accident as well as any unusual circumstances. It also shows how to obtain professional assistance, how to file reports, and how to use findings to create



a safer work environment. 20 min.

About "HazMat Investigation"

Part Three of the series tells how to carry out investigations of hazardous materials leaks, spills and explosions. It teaches how to recognize the presence of hazardous materials at an incident scene, and discusses failure of containment systems. It also explains the need for scene security and personnel protective clothing and equipment. Other topics covered include use of instrumentation, obtaining assistance, and reporting requirements. 20 min.

About "Fire Investigation"

The final program in the series tells how fires commonly begin and explains how fire may be expected to behave. It discusses the ways fire fighting tactics may affect the fire and destroy evidence, and provides methods for determining the point of origin and cause of a fire, including how to identify accidental fires versus arson. Other topics covered include gathering evidence and reporting. 28 min.

About the Technical Committee

Emergency Film Group programs are created with the assistance of authorities in the subject field. Technical committee members for Investigations include:

Ludwig Benner, President of Ludwig Benner & Associates, a firm specializing in investigation.

Ed Comeau, Writer-tech.com . Ed is a technical writer and publisher of *Campus Firewatch*, a newsletter that focuses on campus fire safety.

Jan Dunbar, Battalion Chief, Sacramento (CA) Fire Dept. (ret.) He has served as Chairman of the California State Fire Marshal's committee to develop a hazardous materials specialist course

Scott Kerwood, Chief, Sni Valley (MO) Fire Protection District

**Price Information for
INVESTIGATIONS Series
(4 DVDs or VHS plus 4 Booklets)**
DVD-\$945 VHS-\$945
Rental (4 titles, ten days) - \$195
Preview (four titles, five days) - \$ 50
**Titles are also available individually for
purchase @ \$295 ea. (DVD or VHS)**
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About the filmmakers

Gordon Massingham, director. For over 25 years one of the world's leading creators of emergency response training. Winner of more than 130 national and international awards.

Jane Christopher, producer and editor. Well known to emergency response audiences for programs, Jane has received several awards for filmmaking excellence.

J.B. Lamont, senior editor. J.B. is manager of the Avid non-linear editing suite at EFG. His work has been seen on NBC, ESPN, and many cable outlets.

About the Emergency Film Group

Emergency Film Group, a division of the Detrick Lawrence Corp., was established to distribute quality training films for emergency response and right to know education. Firmly committed to accuracy, EFG uses the best qualified advisors and production crews to ensure that programs are not only exciting to watch, but are also accurate in every detail.

EFG's worldwide list of customers range from the largest petrochemical companies, to government agencies, to small town fire departments. Every film comes with EFG's 30-day money-back guarantee if the customer is not satisfied.

For a free color catalog describing all programs available from the Emergency Film Group, please call the toll-free number below.

*Program descriptions available on-line at
<http://www.efilmgroup.com>*

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Air Monitoring Series

- Contamination Assessment
- Direct Reading Instruments

Confined Space Emergency Series

- Understanding Confined Spaces
- Confined Space and the First Responder
- Confined Space Technical Rescue

Container Emergencies Series

- Cylinders
- Intermodal Containers
- Petroleum Storage Tanks

Hazardous Materials: Managing the Incident Series

- 1 - Site Management & Control
- 2 - Identifying the Problem
- 3 - Hazard & Risk Evaluation
- 4 - Protective Clothing & Equipment
- 5 - Information Management & Resource Coordination
- 6 - Implementing Response Objectives
- 7 - Decontamination
- 8 - Terminating the Incident

HazChem Series

- Introduction to Hazardous Chemicals
- Anhydrous Ammonia
- Benzene, Toluene & Xylene
- Chlorine
- Hazardous Waste
- Hydrogen Sulfide
- Inorganic Oxidizers
- Pesticides
- Propane, Butane & Propylene
- Sodium Hydroxide & Potassium Hydroxide
- Sulfuric Acid & Hydrochloric Acid

HazMat Operations

- 1 - Reconnaissance
- 2 - HazMat Containers
- 3 - Forecasting Events
- 4 - Organizing the Response
- 5 - Tactics

Industrial Incident Management Series

- Taking Control
- Incident Command in the Field
- The Emergency Operations Center

Investigations Series

- Introduction to Investigation
- Accident Investigation
- HazMat Investigation
- Fire Investigation

Oil Spill Response Series

- Initial Response
- Countermeasures on Land
- Countermeasures on Water
- Waste Management
- ICS & Unified Command

WMD Response Library

- Detecting Weapons of Mass Destruction
- Response to Anthrax Threats
- Terrorism: 1st Response
- Terrorism: Biological Weapons
- Terrorism: Chemical Weapons
- Terrorism: Explosive & Incendiary Weapons
- Terrorism: Radiological Weapons

Other Programs:

- AIDS, Hepatitis & the Emergency Responder
- Bomb Threat
- Chemical Protective Clothing
- CO: Response to Carbon Monoxide Incidents
- Decon Team
- First Responder Awareness
- Foam
- Fun With Chemistry
- HazMat Command
- HazMat Emergency
- HazMat/WMD Awareness
- Heat! Working in Hot Environments
- Mass Decon
- Medical Operations at HazMat Emergencies
- NIMS: Introduction to the National Incident Management System
- Organization for HazMat Incidents
- Protective Actions: Evacuation/Shelter in Place
- Rapid Intervention Teams
- Technical Rescue: Awareness
- Terrorism: Medical Response
- Terrorism: Roll Call Edition
- Trench Rescue
- Trucking Hazardous Materials