First Responder Operations - Pro Board® (FRO-PB): This course provides the same core training as the 16-hour CSTI FRO course, but also provides certification by Pro Board® to the Hazardous Materials Awareness/Operations: Mission Specific: PPE, Product Control level. After completion, each participant is automatically entered into the Pro Board® certification registry.

This course trains first responders at the operations level to respond in a defensive manner to releases or potential releases of hazardous substances as part of an initial response. It includes the training and testing of job performance requirements (JPRs) identified in the National Fire Protection Association’s (NFPA’s) professional qualification standard 1072. This 32-hour course combines lecture, group activities, exercises and a written exam administered through the CSTI learning management system.

This program meets OSHA requirements and NFPA recommendations for training at the First Responder Operations level. It also meets the California Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) requirement for Hazardous Materials Awareness/Operations: Mission Specific: PPE, Product Control, which is required as part of their certification for Firefighter 1.

Course Length: 32 hours
Course Code: FRO-PB
CA Approval: CA-017-RESP
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