



RAT-SAR Training Position Task Book (PTB)



Name:		PTB Start Date:	
Address:		Contact #:	

This Position Task Book (PTB) is part of a competency-based qualification system used by RAT-SAR to qualify responders for Land Search and Rescue. Individuals who successfully complete all components of this PTB will be eligible for full membership in RAT-SAR. Once a task book is started, it must be present at all courses and presented to the instructor for sign-off after the completion of each course.

PREREQUISITES:

- **All courses have a prerequisite of FEMA IS-100 and IS-700.
- **All courses have a prerequisite of a current CPR/BLS certification.
- The SarTopo/CalTopo course has a suggested prerequisite of Land Navigation.
- The Initial Response course has a suggested prerequisite of Land Navigation, Intro to Search and Rescue, and SarTopo / CalTopo.

****ACCEPTABLE EQUIVALENTS:**

- Intro to Search and Rescue: Current NASAR SARTECH III, II or I, or other ASTM F2209-20 compliant course or NFPA 1006 compliant course (minimum NFPA 1006-2021 11.1 and 11.2).
- Basic Rescuer: ASTM F2752-19 or NFPA 1006 Rope Rescue compliant course (minimum NFPA 1006-2021 5.1 and 5.2).
- TEEEX Swiftwater: NFPA 1006 Swiftwater Rescue compliant course (NFPA 1006-2021 18.1 or higher).

Land Navigation		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

Basic Rescuer		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

Intro to Search and Rescue		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

SarTopo / CalTopo		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

Initial Response / Helicopter Protocols		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

TEEX Swiftwater Awareness		Date Completed:	
Evaluator (print):		Evaluator (signature):	

** Instructor will require a certificate of completion from the student to verify prerequisites, or to receive credit for an acceptable equivalent course. Upon reviewing a certificate of completion of an acceptable equivalent, the instructor shall sign off on that particular course in the individual's Position Task Book. If an equivalent class certificate is presented, instructor should print and sign in appropriate boxes and write EQUIVALENT to the side of the signature box.