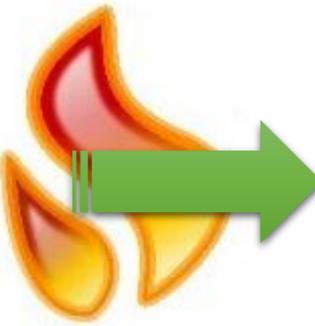


Removal of contaminated PPE and SCBA

 <p>Go away from fire and smoke. Beat dust and particles out of your PPE.</p>	 <p>Find a smoke-free spot. Get on your knees.</p>	 <p>Remove Helmet (5-Point Mask). Caution! Parts of the equipment may still be hot!</p>	 <p>Remove gloves. Do not touch the equipment with your bare hands.</p>
 <p>Use disposable gloves.</p>	 <p>Open the SCBA harness completely.</p>	 <p>Remove the SCBA. May someone supports you... Pay attention to the regulator.</p>	 <p>Put the SCBA on the ground.</p>
 <p>Remove your jacket.</p>	 <p>Put forward your fire protection hood.</p>	 <p>Grab your mask at the front and pull it off.</p>	 <p>Now get away from the contaminated equipment.</p>

REMARKS:

- The procedure described makes sense if the equipment is reused. Maybe for a second attack. If the equipment is no longer needed, we recommend to pack everything in garbage bags or the like before the regulator and the mask are removed. Arrange professional cleaning of your personal protective equipment.
- For further handling or if you put on the contaminated equipment again, disposable gloves and disposable filter masks should be used.
- For mask-helmet combinations proceed accordingly. Mask and helmet are removed in the end.
- Contaminated protective equipment should not be washed in private households. Preferably use professional laundries or separate washing machines in the fire station.
- Start with personal rough cleaning on site (wash your hands, ...). Store a corresponding hygiene-set on your fire truck.
- Take a shower as soon as possible and put on clean clothes.



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