

Section 4.5 Certification – NFPA 1002, Standard for Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator Professional Qualifications – Chapter 5, Apparatus Equipped with Fire Pump**Approval Date: January 1, 2014** **Sunset Date: December 1, 2024**

Purpose:	To have a standard policy on certification procedures for NFPA 1002, Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator.		
	The candidate must complete the three driver/operator modules, pump operations, hydraulics, and driver/operator (or equivalent) before presenting themselves for certification testing.		
COURSE			
Pump Operations		As per FSD requirements	
Hydraulics		As per FSD requirements	
Driver/Operator**		As per FSD requirements	
** Note: Candidates who have successfully completed the VFIS Emergency Vehicle Driver Training Program will not be required to complete this module.			

STANDARD, ACCREDITATION AND TESTING

NFPA Standard	1002, Driver Operator/Pumper	Edition	2017
Chapter	4 and 5	Next Edition	TBD
Accredited	Yes	Update Due	TBD
Prerequisite Certification	NFPA 1001, Standard for Firefighter Professional Qualifications, Firefighter I		
Prerequisite Requirements	Valid Driver's License with air brake endorsement		

WRITTEN EXAM INFORMATION

Questions Per Test	50	Time Allowed	60 minutes
Minimum Score	70%	Graded By	FSD
Test Developed By	FSD	Validation Date	2019
Type of Questions	Multiple Choice	# of Questions in the written test bank	311
Required Materials	As per FSD Policy Manual		

SKILLS EXAM INFORMATION

# of Skills in Bank	29	# of Skills Tested	5
Minimum Score	Candidate must pass all elements of the assigned skill		
Required Materials	As per FSD Policy Manual		
Selected Skills	Skills will be randomly selected		

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Reference Material	IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/Operator, 3 rd Edition
Retest Policy	As per FSD Policy Manual, Section 3.7.3
# of Proctors & Evaluators	A minimum of one proctor for written exam and a minimum of one evaluator for each skill station.