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**DVDs**

**D391** **Building Fire Safety Systems** (DVD, 20 minutes, 2002)
This DVD and guide show personnel responsible for building safety how to interact with safety systems such as smoke detectors, fire alarm systems, automatic sprinklers and other automatic fire suppression systems. It also explains front-line safety responsibilities, discusses how to handle an emergency and how to assist fire department personnel. (National Fire Protection Association)

**D622** **Sprinkler Systems** (DVD, 27 minutes, 2007)
Describes the effectiveness of sprinkler systems in saving life and property. Describes how sprinklers work and presents different types of sprinkler systems, components of sprinkler systems and the locations and appearance of control and operating valves. Describes considerations for responding to fires in protected buildings. (Action Training Systems)

**D585** **Sprinkler Systems** (DVD, 31 minutes, 2008)
Covers the various types of sprinkler systems common in today’s structures as well as the advantages and issues of their use; the importance of proper size-up of a building’s sprinkler system; and how to best utilize the sprinkler system to maximize its effectiveness during a fire. (PennWell)
New Audiovisual Materials

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D739  The Fine Line: A 16mm Avalanche Education Film  (DVD, 60 minutes, 2008)
Some of the greatest snow sports athletes join the world’s leading avalanche professionals for this event in avalanche education. This DVD unites the cutting edge of winter action sports with youth education about using the back country responsibly. It features massive avalanches, epic riding, year long time-lapses, true stories, and cable-cam cinematography and combines these with safety training. This engaging, educational and inspiring DVD promotes avalanche awareness by blending progressive skiing, snowboarding, sledding and ice-climbing with a message of warning.  (Rocky Mountain Sherpas)

D709  Ground Work: Basics of Bail Hearings  (DVD, 28 minutes, 2008)
The purpose of this program is to teach police officers how to conduct bail hearings before a judicial justice of the peace, particularly over the phone. After you arrest someone on a warrant or a new offence, you must assess the risks of releasing him or her. If you determine that the prisoner should not be released or should be released with conditions, then you need a judge or judicial justice to make that order.  (RCMP Pacific Region Training Multimedia Services)

D594 or V3258  How to Conquer Subordinate Counseling  (DVD or video, 60 minutes, 2008)
Properly administering discipline is a responsibility and a challenge that all supervisors must face. Ignoring this responsibility will bring liability on the organization and on yourself. Supervisors are being sued for not properly overseeing and disciplining employees. Organizations are being held responsible for their managers’ lack of discipline as well. This program shows how to fairly and consistently enforce policy as a supervisor.  (TWL Knowledge Group and Fire & Emergency Training Network)

D532  Into the Fire  (DVD, 72 minutes, 2006)
This program features firefighters from across the United States who tell about their work and dedication and the challenges of tightening budgets, inadequate lifesaving equipment and protective gear, while facing increasing demands, including natural disasters, wildfires, and terrorist attacks.  (Fireman’s Fund Insurance Company)

D590  It's about Respect: Recognizing Harassment in a Diverse Workplace  (DVD, 21 minutes, 2004)
This program discusses the creation of a respectful, more harmonious and productive workplace. It uses dramatizations to define harassment and illustrate various types and forms of workplace harassment. It discusses the financial and hard-to-measure costs of harassment. This program presents guidelines to prevent harassment and respond if you witness or experience harassment yourself.  (Distributed to BC post-secondary institutions by AEMAC)

D738  The Meaning of Life  (DVD, 82 minutes, 2008)
This documentary looks at a very unusual prison, and at a fascinating model for rehabilitating prisoners -- a collaboration between the Chehalis Nation of British Columbia and the Correctional Service of Canada. Filmed over the course of two years at Kwikwēxwelhp (formerly known as the Elbow Lake Correctional Facility), this film examines a different way to look at the concepts underlying punishment and rehabilitation and the idea that the current prison system can be significantly changed by including community in the process. The disc also includes 148 minutes of educational features, including supplementary interviews and reflections from inmates, elders and experts.  (Face to Face Media)
New Audiovisual Materials (Cont’d)


Part one (of three) covers the difference between seasonal flu and pandemic flu, how new flu viruses develop, and how flu viruses are spread. It gives health-care workers an understanding of the history and virology of pandemic influenza. It describes how influenza viruses invade and attack normal body cells as well as how vaccines work and why they have to change every year. (Medcom Trainex)

D564 or Real Leadership Is Not for Wimps (DVD or video, 60 minutes, 2008)

V3255 This program covers the important aspects of being a real leader, not just a positional one. Topics discussed include how to get people to want to follow you, cultural myths about leadership, higher accountability, the difference between management and leadership, why people resist certain leaders, and how to positively influence others. (TWL Knowledge Group and Fire & Emergency Training Network)

D625 Rehabilitation in the Fire Service: Part 2 (DVD, 30 minutes, 2002)

This program continues the discussion of the rehabilitation sector started in part one (D624). Establishing the rehab sector is more than just sticking someone in an orange vest. This program looks at some of the historical aspects of rehab. It explores what it is and why we need it. Finally, it looks at the various functions of rehab and its relationship to the incident management system. (TWL Knowledge Group and Fire & Emergency Training Network)


A historical examination of the systematic, forced removal of First Nations children from their parents for the purpose of placing them in residential schools in Canada and the United States. Examines the devastating consequences of this practice for individuals, families, and communities. Also looks at traditional healing methods as a path toward recovery from this painful experience. (Native Voices at the University of Washington)


Real events and actual footage are featured in this study of risk management. Through a range of examples where the management of risk, or lack thereof, has affected the outcome, this program demonstrates the seven specific steps essential to the risk management process: communicate and consult; establish the context; identify risks; analyze risks; evaluate risks; treat risks; and monitor and review. (Owen-Stewart Performance Resources)

D540 or Ventilation: The Forgotten Tactic (DVD or video, 30 minutes, 2008)

V3251 Firefighters often arrive to a fire in a ventilation-controlled phase. How they deal with this condition will determine how the fire situation changes. When the fire is ventilated properly, extreme fire behavior will be mitigated. If the fire is not ventilated properly, extreme fire behavior can occur, resulting in injury or death to firefighters. This program discusses why proper ventilation is more important than ever on the fireground. It covers the dangers of ventilation-controlled fires; describes how proper ventilation tactics can mitigate the hazards of a ventilation-controlled fire; and covers the steps to perform proper ventilation. (TWL Knowledge Group and Fire & Emergency Training Network)
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In *Change Your Brain, Change Your Life: The Breakthrough Program for Conquering Anxiety, Depression, Obsessiveness, Anger, and Impulsiveness* Daniel G. Amen discusses how anxiety, depression, anger, obsessiveness, or impulsiveness could be related to how specific structures in the brain work. He covers "brain prescriptions" to help heal your brain and change your life, such as breathing techniques to calm inner turmoil, nutrients to calm rage, and writing exercises to stop obsessive worrying. The 11 discs of this program run for approximately 13 hours. (Random House Audio) (RC 455.4 B5 A429 2008)

**From Buddy to Boss: Effective Fire Service** will help you master your leadership and management skills and successfully make the transition to boss. In this full reading of the book by Chase Sergent, you learn how to accept and survive politics, deal with the fringe employees, and keep your cool -- tricks of the trade that usually take years to acquire. The two discs of this set run for approximately 17 hours. (PennWell Corp.) (TH 9158 S27 2008)

**The Coaching Manual: The Definitive Guide to the Process, Principles, and Skills of Personal Coaching** is an abridged version of the book by Julie Starr. This two-hour program is packed full of information that will develop your coaching skills and provide you with expert guidance on both what to do and how to do it. (Red Audio) (BF 637 P36 C634 2008a)

Mainly about resolving conflicts and influencing people, *Crucial Confrontations* covers every conceivable aspect of talking with others. People hear facts and stories and turn them into shared knowledge when they're not attacked or overpowered -- in other words, when they feel safe. This program explains many types of communication errors and describes the best ways to achieve mutual purpose. This four-and-a-half hour reading of the book shares ideas about how to move toward healthy solutions in a variety of business and personal realms. (McGraw-Hill Audio) (BF 637 C45 C9553 2005)

*Delegate: The Key to Successful Management* is a two-hour audio program that covers every aspect of the delegation process including 16 basic delegation principles, how to choose the right person for the job, and the differences between delegation and abdication. There is even advice on what to do when you are on the receiving end of the delegation. (Harold Taylor Time Consultants Inc.) (HD 50 T293 2004)

In a program designed for dispatchers, Sue Pivetta presents training games and exercises for learning the skill of call taking. *Games & Exercises: Call Taking* covers the following skills: speedwriting; split ear training with information coming from various sources; manual dexterity; and phonetic practice with a series of famous and not so famous names spelled phonetically. The accompanying disc contains worksheet masters in pdf form. (Professional Pride) (HV 7936 C8 G364 2007)

**The Heart of Change: Real-Life Stories of How People Change their Organizations** is based on interviews with people in over one hundred organizations involved in large-scale change. This five-and-a-half hour reading of the book by John P. Kotter and Dan S. Cohen offers real-life success and failure stories and introduces the "see-feel-change" dynamic for changing feelings, rather than just the thought process. (Macmillan Audio) (HD 58.8 K645 2008)

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