



# TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

18 January 2019

Announcement#: 19-41F & 19-42F

## **Top Floor Fires**

*Presented by Battalion Chief Daniel Sheridan, FDNY*

Announcement #19-41F - February 13<sup>th</sup> from 19:00 to 21:00 hours

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Announcement #19-42F - February 26<sup>th</sup> from 13:00 to 15:00 hours

**Description:** Top floor Fires certainly create significant and unique challenges and can even be down-right intimidating. However, by applying proper strategies and tactics, you can get the jump on the top floor fires before they take control of the building. This critical classroom conversation covers each of the phases you may expect to encounter in a top floor fire and methods to stretch to the fire floor faster and more efficiently. Together we'll review real work scenarios and discuss forcible entry, locating the fire, getting ahead of the fire in adjoin spaces; proper roof ventilation, laddering and pulling ceilings; and using a cockloft nozzle – or improvising if one is not available.

**Target audience:** Firefighters

**Prerequisites:** None

**Registration:** Pre-registration is mandatory. **WALK-INS ARE NOT PERMITTED.** To register go to <https://training.westchestergov.com/training/login.do>. Each student must present a NYS Training Authorization Letter on the first day of class. Class size is limited to Seventy (70) students.

**Venue:** Westchester County DES Training Center, 4 Dana Rd. – Grasslands Campus, Valhalla, New York. All students are to park in the lot adjacent to the [Support Services Building located at 35 Walker Road](#). (There is a stairway linking the parking lot directly to the training campus.) For questions or concerns regarding weather or course cancellation call (914) 231 – 1615.