

Standpipes-Multi-Family Bldgs.



Discussion Questions

What multi-family buildings's in your district are equipped with standpipes?

What buildings do not have standpipes?

-How will you get hose into this building?

-How would you determine the amount of hose you will need?

Can a high-rise pack be used in these buildings?

Apparatus Operator Discussion

- Calculate the pump discharge pressure for an apartment building in your district that has a standpipe and the crew is going to use the high-rise pack on the highest floor.
- Describe your operation step-by-step:
 1. Do you lead-out to hydrant
 2. Do you connect to standpipe before securing water
 3. Does another engine bring you water
 4. Can you use tank water to start the attack
 5. Does this change if there is no standpipe in the building?

