FIRE FIGHTER PROTECTIVE GEAR CHECKLIST
ROUTINE INSPECTION

NAME _____ DATE _____

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Items to be checked	√	√	**Comments and concerns**
Coats and trousers			
Excessive Soiling			
Contamination hazardous materials/ biological agents			
Rips, tears, and cuts			
Damaged/missing hardware and closure systems			
Thermal damage - charring, burn holes, and melting			
Damaged or missing reflective trim			
Hoods			
Excessive Soiling			
Contamination hazardous materials/ biological agents			
Rips, tears, and cuts			
Thermal damage - charring, burn holes, and melting			
Loss of face opening adjustment			
Helmets			
Excessive Soiling			
Contamination hazardous materials/ biological agents			
Physical damage to the shell			
Cracks, crazing, dents, and abrasions			
Thermal damage - bubbling, soft spots, warping			
Discoloration			
Physical damage to the ear flaps			
Rips, tears, and cuts			
Thermal damage - charring, burn holes, melting			
Damaged / missing suspension/ retention systems			
Damaged/missing components faceshield/goggle			
Crazing, scratches faceshield/goggle lens			
Discoloration			
Damaged or missing reflective trim			
Gloves			
Excessive Soiling			
Contamination hazardous materials/ biological agents			
Rips, tears, and cuts			
Thermal damage charing, burn holes, melting			
Inverted liner			
Shrinkage			
Loss of elasticity/flexibility			
Footwear			
Excessive Soiling			
Contamination hazardous materials/ biological agents			
Cuts, tears, and punctures			
Thermal damage charing, burn holes, melting			
Exposed/deformed steel toe, steel midsole, and shank			
Loss of water resistance			
Closure system component damage and functionality			