Fire Safety Quiz

What have you learned?

1. Does your occupancy exceed the minimum number of portable fire extinguishers required by code?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

2. Does your occupancy have exit signs and emergency lighting on all floors?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

3. Does your occupancy exceed the minimum number of fire/smoke alarms required by code?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

4. Have the occupants of your building been educated about proper evacuation procedures and locations of all exit ways?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

5. Have you designated a member of building personnel to monitor maintenance of all fire protection equipment?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

6. Do you know when the last time the pressure gauges on all your fire extinguishers were checked?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

7. Has the fire suppression system been inspected and found adequate for the current fire hazards?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

8. Does your building have a fire protection standpipe station on each level?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

9. Have key building personnel identified a trained on-site emergency first responder?
   - Yes
   - No
   - Don’t Know

10. Have you conducted general fire product training with building occupants and personnel?
    - Yes
    - No
    - Don’t Know

11. Do you have a rack hose installed according to code?
    - Yes
    - No
    - Don’t Know

If you answered Yes to nine or more of the questions —
Congratulations! Your answers indicate that your occupancy is properly equipped with a balanced fire protection plan — your first line of defense against fire to save lives and protect property.

If you answered Yes to eight or less of the questions —
Unfortunately, it appears that you do not currently have a balanced fire protection plan in place. Please visit www.femalifesafety.org and click on “Balanced Fire Protection Plan” to learn more about designing a proper balanced fire protection plan to save lives and protect property.

Remember: According to the NFPA, a successful balanced fire protection plan should be designed so that safety to life does not depend solely on any single safeguard. Additional fire protection methods are required and must work together to create a complete and balanced approach to fire protection.