

Preliminary Summary Report of an Incident Within an Incident,  
Near Miss Event, Serious Accident, or Significant Injury



# BLUE SHEET

## Unified Fire Authority Blue Sheet

### Near Miss / Leg Through Floor

2/26/2025 at approx. 1552

West Jordan

MA107

### SYNOPSIS

The following information is a preliminary summary of an incident where a firefighter put their leg through the floor up to their upper thigh during fire suppression activities. There were no injuries during this incident.

### NARRATIVE

MA107 was the first arriver to a house fire in West Jordan. Upon arrival of Ladder 76, 76C firefighter was attached to MA107 on fire attack. As MA107 made entry into the house, the initial firefighter from MA107 had the nozzle and the crew was sounding the floor, making entry about five to seven feet before encountering high heat and heavy, banked down smoke. The crew backed up and there was a transition of a Halligan tool and a nozzle from one crew member of MA107 to the other.

MA107 and 76CFF resumed fire attack and the individual on the nozzle started working their way interior scooting on a knee and pushing their left leg forward, stating they started to feel a spongy floor. As they were working inside roughly ten feet in, the firefighter on the nozzle had their left, forward leg drop through the floor up to their upper thigh. At that point, the radio traffic indicated that they dropped through the floor and were transitioning and pulling out of the structure. After they withdrew from the structure, several other attempts occurred at fire attack before the IC transitioned to a defensive posture.

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## **RECOMMENDATIONS FOR REVIEW**

The crew followed their training and sound firefighting efforts. Although this situation resulted in a close call / near miss with no injury, there are a few SOGs that are recommended for crews to review. Additional recommends are to have crews discuss near misses with their chain-of-command at the time of occurrence or whenever is realistically possible.

[UFA SOG 450-01 Personnel Accountability System](#)

[UFA SOG 450-34 Valley Mayday SOG](#)

There is no anticipated Green Sheet following this incident.