



## D.3 Lifesaving Systems Life Preserver Survival Vest

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Performance  
Qualification  
Standard**

Crewmember: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In some weather conditions, the chemical pill may deteriorate in less than 30 days. Commanding Officers/Officers in Charge should consider training their crews to deflate, rearm and stow the bladder after inadvertent inflations. In addition, inadvertent inflations can cause a user to become temporarily disoriented. Training should include donning the vest and inflating to ensure users are aware of how rapidly the bladder expands.

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

INITIAL

State the PFDs flotation characteristics. \_\_\_\_\_

Locate and explain the following items:

Personal Marker Light \_\_\_\_\_

Survival Knife \_\_\_\_\_

MK 124 MOD O \_\_\_\_\_

Strobe Light \_\_\_\_\_

MK 79 MOD 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Signal Mirror \_\_\_\_\_

Whistle \_\_\_\_\_

Oral Inflator \_\_\_\_\_

Manual Inflator \_\_\_\_\_

CO2 Cylinder \_\_\_\_\_

Inflator Pill \_\_\_\_\_

Don the vest and adjust waist belt as needed. \_\_\_\_\_

Explain the 3 different methods of inflation. \_\_\_\_\_

Demonstrate the procedures for re-arming the inflation assembly for manual use after inflation. \_\_\_\_\_

Explain the 3 indications of an armed and charged inflation assembly. \_\_\_\_\_

Grasp and draw all equipment from the law enforcement equipment belt while the bladder is fully inflated. \_\_\_\_\_