



Virginia Office of EMS

EMS Officer I Program

Homework Assignment – Module 2 - Chapter 7 – Leading the EMS Team

1. Your position as an EMS Officer gives you the authority to accomplish certain tasks and objectives in the agency. This power makes you an _____:
 - a. Supervisor
 - b. Leader
 - c. Teacher
 - d. Lead worker

2. Your leadership attributes are based on your _____:
 - a. Beliefs, values, ethics, character, knowledge, skills and abilities
 - b. Beliefs, values, integrity, knowledge and skills
 - c. Beliefs, values, ethics, character, knowledge and skills
 - d. Beliefs, experience, character, knowledge and skills

3. To be effective an EMS Officer must be both a leader and a follower.

TRUE FALSE

4. Give an example of an Autocratic Leadership Style.

5. Give an example of a Democratic Leadership Style.



6. List the 5 power types identified in the 1959 study of Social Power by French and Raven.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____

7. List 4 of the 7 elements of an effective radio report.

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____
- f. _____
- g. _____

8. The first-arriving EMS Officer must demonstrate the ability to take control of the situation and provide specific direction to arriving units as well as allowing units that are operating to carry out their tasks. To do so, requires mastery of the autocratic style of leadership.

TRUE

FALSE

9. Pride, group identity, and personal commitment are factors that keep volunteers active and loyal to their respective agency and the community they serve.

TRUE

FALSE