



Stay Compliant With New PPE Regulatory Updates

Following the passage of AB 2146 in 2014 and the subsequent modifications to the California Code of Regulations (CCR), approved by the CAL/OSHA Standards Board in April 2022, fire departments throughout the state will soon need to meet the standards of the NFPA or other national occupational safety boards for the purchase, care, maintenance, storage, and inspection of firefighting PPE. These regulatory updates also introduce enhanced record retention requirements for retired PPE and PPE-related training.



CCR 3409 Respiratory Protection

CCR 3409 requires fire departments comply with NFPA 1852 on the selection, care, and maintenance of open-circuit SCBA.

With [Vector Check It](#), Agencies Can:

- Ensure cleaning and disinfection procedures are followed and carried out with custom digital lists
- Build digital inspection forms to adhere to procedures described in NFPA 1852 and verify they are carried out each duty period with the Inspection Completion Dashboard
- Maintain records for in-service SCBA as specified by NFPA 1852



CCR 3402.3

Selection, Inspection, and Maintenance of Protective Ensembles for Structural Fire Fighting and Proximity Fire Fighting

CCR 3402.3 requires fire departments to comply with NFPA 1851 guidelines on the selection, care, inspection, and maintenance of PPE utilized in structural and proximity firefighting.

With [Vector Check It](#), Agencies Can:

- Streamline the routine inspection process with customizable digital lists of every PPE element required to be inspected and approved by NFPA 1851
- Verify inspections are completed each duty period and following every use
- Simplify record keeping for each piece of in-service PPE as specified by NFPA 1851, as well as retain records of retired PPE for three years, as required by the regulatory updates. Records on retired PPE can either be kept within the system or exported and stored elsewhere



CCR 3410

Selection, Inspection, and Maintenance of Protective Ensembles for Wildland Fire Fighting

CCR 3410 details expectations and requirements for PPE utilized in wildland firefighting scenarios.

With [Vector Check It](#), Agencies Can:

- Ensure routine inspections are conducted before and after every use, as mandated by 3410 and simplify compliance with customizable digital forms listing inspection processes
- Set up notification reminders for annual inspections
- Maintain records of in-service PPE as well as retain records of retired PPE for three years, either within the system or exported and stored elsewhere

What About Requirements for PPE-Related Training?

With [Vector LMS](#), formerly TargetSolutions, and the [Vector Evaluations+](#) integrated mobile app, fire departments can assign, track, report on, and maintain records for all in-person or online PPE-related training.

Built to help meet NFPA codes and standards, our course library of 450+ hours of online training includes courses on PPE and SCBA utilization, inspection, and care.

Agencies can also add, assign, and track their own custom content to meet the unique needs of their departments.

To learn more about what Vector Solutions can offer your agency, please [request a demo](#) for more information.

