

Search and Rescue Dogs of the United States  
 Trailing **Certification Evaluation (CE) Scoresheet**



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

Name of Handler: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Canine: \_\_\_\_\_

Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluator (print): \_\_\_\_\_

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Test Type: Type I Type II Type III Type IV Pretest/Certification	Site Type: Urban Suburban Wilderness		
Environmental conditions trail laid: Temp:      Wind:      Humidity:	Environmental conditions trail start: Temp:      Wind:      Humidity:		
Time start:    Time end:	Poss.	Neg.	Comments
Ground Rules:			
No abuse of canine			
No aggressive behavior to humans or other canines    by canine			
Canine under control at all times			
Team Demonstrated:			
Ability to determine direction of travel			
Ability to work through a scent pool			
Ability to follow scent through turns			
Located subject at end of trail			
Handler ID's correct person ID (LE only)			
Dog works through distractions			
Personally equipped for 24 hours dog/handler			
First aid for human/canine			
Radio communications			
<b>Proper collection of scent article</b>			

**Additional Skills:**

- Ability to formulate and articulate an appropriate search strategy
- Appropriate interview of witness or briefing with Incident Command
- Handler demonstrates proper navigation skills
- Appropriate debriefing to Incident Command
- Provides accurate map of search area

**\*\*EVALUATOR MUST ALSO PROVIDE MAP OF TRAIL\*\***

Comments:

