

ROUTINE INSPECTION

The purpose of the Routine Inspection is to identify any damage and/or wear which could compromise the performance of your personal protective equipment and clothing (PPE/C).

The Routine Inspection should be performed by you upon issue of the PPE/C and we recommend performing an inspection before the start of your shift.

If your PPE/C is soiled or contaminated it should be cleaned before an inspection takes place.

The table below can be used to determine if your PPE/C is soiled or damaged to the extent that advanced servicing is required.

Advanced servicing should be conducted by an approved third party service centre, like PAC+CARE.



LOOK AT YOUR PPE/C CONDITION OFTEN AND TAKE NOTE OF ANY CHANGES.

SOILING & CONTAMINATION		
Soiling or contaminants clinging to the jacket?	YES	NO
THERMAL DAMAGE		
Charring / Burn Holes?	YES	NO
Melting	YES	NO
PHYSICAL DAMAGE		
Rips, tears, cuts?	YES	NO
Holes?	YES	NO
Abrasion?	YES	NO
Missing components?	YES	NO
ULTRA-VIOLET DAMAGE		
Discolouration to the outershell fabric?	YES	NO
Discolouration to the reflective material?	YES	NO
LABELS		
Damage to the Care and Instruction Label?	YES	NO

ZIPS		
Damage to the zips?	YES	NO
TRIM		
Unstitched, missing or ripped tape?	YES	NO
HOOK & LOOP		
Hook and loop is clogged, heat effected and/or cannot be re-fastened?	YES	NO
KNIT WRISTS		
Damage to the cuff or thumb loop?	YES	NO
SEAM INTEGRITY		
Loose threads, breaks and/or abrasions?	YES	NO

If you answered yes to any of the questions in the table above, your PPE/C will require an advanced servicing and possible repair. As a result:

- Cease wearing it
- Isolate it
- Contact station management