



**April 2, 30, &
May 7, 2016**

Course Number:
200-006-PO1-2016-SP-C

Location:
Dept. of Fire Services –
Springfield
100 Grochmal Avenue,
Springfield, MA
MFA – Springfield
Room 118

Time:
0800-1600

Credits
FCC = 2
FPO = 24

FIRE PREVENTION OFFICER I

This course is for prevention officers interested in building on their skills learned in the Fire Officer Basic modules. The subjects covered include: authority and jurisdiction, testimony, interpretation of codes, building construction, fire behavior, reading and using plans, conducting inspections, occupancy classifications, inspecting means of egress, occupant load, emergency planning and preparedness, fire protection systems including water-based and special agents, fire detection and alarm systems, fire extinguishers, storage, handling and use of hazardous materials, properties of hazardous materials, classification of hazardous materials, and fire prevention practices for hazardous substances and processes.

This course consists of twenty-four (24) hours of instructor-led classroom training with sixteen (16) hours self-guided online learning.

This course meets or exceeds the job performance requirements in the NFPA Standard 1031 Professional Qualifications for Fire Inspector and Plan Examiner for Fire Inspector I (Chapter 4). Successful completion of this course satisfies the requirement for the Fire Prevention Officer I Credential.

Prerequisite: Successful completion of the Massachusetts Firefighting Academy Fire Prevention Officer - Basic course.

Registration

Register **online** at [List of Current MFA Courses](#) To register by mail or fax, please complete a standard [DFS/MFA Student Application](#) and mail to: Registrar, Massachusetts Firefighting Academy, P.O. Box 1025, State Road, Stow, MA 01775 or fax it to: (978) 567-3229. To register by email, please scan and email applications to mfa.registration@state.ma.us.