Discussion

Review a locally identified text reference such as Fundamentals of Firefighting, Essentials, or Firefighters Handbook.

Identify the types of doors and high security devices that you might encounter in typical responses.

- Review forcing doors that swing inward
- Review forcing doors that swing outward
- How can the material that the door / jamb is constructed be a factor in your forcible entry choice
- Discuss methods of entry if a high security device is too difficult to breech

Types of Doors

Flush  
Flush with Glass  
Flush with Louver  
Louver  
Screen and Glass  
Stile and Rail Panel  
Sash (Panel with Glass)  
Combination Screen/Storm  
French  
Dutch  
Rolling OverHead Service or Fire Door  
Rolling Grill  
Overhead Folding

High Security Devices

Basic Cylinder Lock Construction