

Hazard Evaluation Flow Chart for Unknowns

Early Considerations!

Collect intelligence, Document signs and symptoms of victims, Evaluate scene & situation, Potential explosives should be evaluated by the local bomb squad, Cordon off area, Isolate, Evacuate, Disable HVAC, Seal doors and cracks, Delineate hotzone (wind direction and intensity), Turn on radiation meter while preparing entry, Approach uphill/upwind/upstream, Follow H&S plan, Sampling plan, & Decontamination procedures for personnel/sample containers/equipment, consult with Incident Commander and law enforcement



intrinsically safe



** If the situation is suspicious send samples to biological lab.

*** Send to laboratory if radiation is less than 3 times background. If above, consult with laboratory prior to shipping. ERTG Nov. 2005 (Ver. 6) Page 1 of 2

