



## OPERATION AND USE

Read and familiarize yourself with the fire extinguishers nameplate operating instructions. Additional instruction and training on the proper use of fire extinguishers is available from various sources and is highly recommended.

### In Case of Fire...

1. Call the fire department and/or sound the alarm.
2. Have everyone evacuate and ensure you have a safe path for retreat.
3. Pull and remove ring pin – breaking the inspection/ tamper seal.
4. Position yourself upwind from fire and at least the minimum safe distance from fire referenced on the extinguisher nameplate.
5. Remove hose and nozzle from retention band.
6. Holding the fire extinguisher by the handle in a vertical/ upright position, aim the discharge nozzle at the base of the fire taking care not to block aeration holes on foam nozzle guards.
7. Squeeze the operating lever fully open and using a side-to-side sweeping motion, apply the extinguishing agent on to the base of the flames.

8. Take care when applying extinguishing agent to avoid splashing or spreading of fire.
9. Attempt to extinguish fire, working from the front edge of the fire to the back.
10. Avoid stepping into any fuel/burned areas. Caution should be used after extinguishment as some fire situations may re-ignite.

## AFTER USE

After any use or discharge, ensure your fire extinguisher is promptly replaced or recharged by a trained technician. Even a momentary discharge of extinguisher will cause pressure leakage and the extinguisher may not operate at a later time.

After fire hazard has cooled and been properly removed, it is recommended to promptly cleanup any remaining extinguishing agent residue.

## MONTHLY INSPECTION RECOMMENDATIONS

Fire extinguisher inspections should be performed upon initial placement into service and at regular periodic intervals not to exceed 31 days. Records for inspections shall be kept on a tag or label attached to the fire extinguisher or on a checklist maintained on file. The following steps explain minimum recommended inspection procedures.

1. Ensure the fire extinguisher is visible and access is unobstructed.
2. Ensure the fire extinguisher is properly mounted and secure.
3. Ensure the front nameplate operating instructions face outward and are legible. Relocate extinguisher or clean nameplate as required.
4. Ensure pull pin is properly installed and visual inspection tamper seal is intact.
5. Ensure pressure gauge reads within green operable area.
6. Closely examine all external extinguisher components for any signs of damage, impact, wear, leakage, or corrosion.
7. Heft or weigh fire extinguisher to ensure it is properly charged. (Total charged extinguisher weight is indicated on the nameplate.)
8. Ensure the discharge nozzle, nozzle guard, and/or hose assembly is unobstructed and securely attached.
9. Date and initial fire extinguisher inspection tag/record.

**NOTE: Any time a fire extinguisher equipment related discrepancy is observed during an inspection, the fire extinguisher should be replaced or subjected to a thorough maintenance procedure conducted by a trained and certified person following the detailed information identified within the manufacturer's service manual identified on the extinguisher nameplate.**

## ANNUAL MAINTENANCE, RECHARGE & SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

Codes require portable fire extinguishers, as a minimum, to be subjected to annual periodic maintenance examinations and whenever indicated by an inspection discrepancy to ensure that they will operate safely and effectively when needed.

Per NFPA requirements, the servicing of portable fire extinguishers which includes maintenance, recharge, and testing shall only be performed by properly trained and certified persons having the appropriate manufacturer's service manual and equipment. To locate the nearest authorized Rely fire extinguisher service company, contact the manufacturer at (833) 305-9499 or [www.RelyFX.com](http://www.RelyFX.com).

## COMPANY CONTACT INFORMATION

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## RELY FX™ LIMITED WARRANTY

Rely Innovations, Inc. warranties RELY FX™ fire extinguishers purchased by the original owner from the date of purchase, to be free from defects in material, workmanship, or design for the periods indicated below.

**Water and Foam Extinguisher Models – Five (5) Years**

**Dry Chemical Extinguisher Models – Ten (10) Years**

**Except as stated above, Rely Innovations, Inc. makes no other warranties of any kind, whether expressed or implied, for RELY FX™ products.**

For additional fire extinguisher warranty details and limitations, please visit [www.RelyFX.com](http://www.RelyFX.com) or call customer service at (833) 305-9499.

SERVICE/INSPECTION TAG  
(REQUIRED FOR UL LISTING)

**MODEL NO.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SERIAL NO.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MFG. DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

FOR RECHARGE INFORMATION  
CALL (833) 305-9499

**REPLACE OR RECHARGE IMMEDIATELY AFTER USE**

**IMPORTANT:** To ensure fire your RELY FX™ extinguisher will be ready when needed follow inspection and maintenance instructions in manual and familiarize yourself with operating instructions on the nameplate.

Protect tag and extinguisher if exposed to weather.

**DO NOT REMOVE OR MODIFY THIS TAG**