

Breathing Apparatus Training

Overview

This course is designed to prepare designated staff members to use on-site breathing apparatus at the clients' premises.

Course participants are trained and assessed to National Code PUAFIR207A level and issued with a Statement of Attainment.

Aim

To provide participants with the opportunity to practice in a realistic training environment and demonstrate breathing apparatus skills appropriate to their role in the organisation.

Learning Objectives

By the end of the course the participants will:

- Be familiar with the operation of the breathing apparatus.
- Be able to efficiently follow the manufacturers' start-up and donning procedure.
- Be able to demonstrate their ability to use breathing apparatus safely and to correctly utilise search and rescue techniques.
- Understand and identify with the importance of Entry Control, leadership, communication, and fire team safety.
- Understand the importance of breathing apparatus maintenance.

Program

- Breathing apparatus procedures.
- Detailed instruction on breathing apparatus equipment.
- Safety procedures.
 - Heat and humidity
 - Entry control
 - Team operations
 - Communications
- Search and Rescue procedures.
- Entrapped procedures.
- Practical exercises
 - Confined space
 - Movement in smoke
 - Casualty rescue
 - Equipment maintenance.

Duration

Compressed air breathing apparatus (SCBA) training is an 8 hours course for each group. The Refresher course is 4 hours duration per group.

Location

These training courses can be delivered at the client's premises.