

# Water & Flood Rescue Boat Operator

## Recertification Mod 4

### Who Should Attend:

Personnel who's Mod 4 award requires recertifying.

### Pre-Requisites or APL:

- ✧ In-date Mod 4 compliant award
- ✧ RYA Powerboat Level 2

### Requirements:

- ✧ Indicated aptitude for working on water
- ✧ Fit for operational duties
- ✧ Proficient in power boat operation
- ✧ Maintained Power Boat CPD log

### Aim:

To recertify technicians competency in identifying their limitations and safely and effectively using powered boats and associated equipment in inland waters and flooding, by day or night, in a wide range of water conditions.

### Outcomes:

After successful completion of the course, the student will have demonstrated a firm foundation of knowledge and skills and should be able to:

- ✧ Apply dynamic Risk Assessments
- ✧ Demonstrate the ability to manage boats during launch and recovery, in transit, confined spaces and to manoeuvre in a variety of situations
- ✧ Apply man overboard and casualty recovery, mass evacuation and casualty management drills
- ✧ Demonstrate disabled craft drills
- ✧ Apply appropriate search techniques
- ✧ Demonstrate the understanding of the impact of hydrological features on powered boat operation
- ✧ Apply knowledge of rescue PPE equipment as to its use, care and application
- ✧ Combine boat handling skills with a variety of water rescue systems and shore-based support

### Compliance:

- ✧ DEFRA Con-Ops 2019 Mod 4
- ✧ NFCC Rescue Boat Code Mod 4 (provided RYA Power Boat Level 2 is held)

### Duration:

3 days with 22 hours contact time.

A night exercise is included, which in the summer months will run until 1am.

### Ratios:

Trainers 2:6 Students

### Delivery Method:

Lectures, classroom work, practical sessions, scenario based training and a night exercise.

### Equipment:

Specialist equipment and PPE is included if required. Provision of your own suitable equipment at this level of award is advisable for familiarity purposes.

### Assessment:

Course content is assessed by a combination of direct observations of set tasks, question and answer, written/multi choice exams and scenario-based assessment. Individual feedback is provided.

### Certification:

Students will receive a digital Outreach Rescue certificate of achievement upon meeting assessment criteria. Results are recorded on a personal record of performance and recorded on the Outreach Rescue Database.

Certification is valid for 3 years.

### Progression:

Recertification is recommended every 2 years.

### Venue:

The training venue is on the Menai Strait and full details of the venue will be provided on booking.

### Further Information & Booking:

Current open course dates are available on **[www.outreachrescue.com](http://www.outreachrescue.com)**

Please contact us to book or to enquire about bespoke courses or additional dates:

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