

Team Commander Recertification

DEFRA Module

Who Should Attend:

This module is for personnel who need to recertify their Team Commander award.

Pre-Requisites or APL:

- ✧ In-date Team Commander award

Requirements:

- ✧ Beneficial to have access to Resilience Direct and the Met Office Hazard Manager online facilities

Aim:

To assess students' command of a specialist rescue team at the operational level.

Outcomes:

Following successful completion students will be able to demonstrate understanding of:

- ✧ Incident Management; considerations, roles and responsibilities across a range of agencies.
- ✧ Risk Management; health and safety, welfare issues, dynamic risk assessment, risk appetite, decision making, mission creep and flood hazards in urban and rural environments.
- ✧ Effective lines of communication; planning, initial responses, incident stages, post incident issues, documentation and media management.
- ✧ The need for effective briefing, de-briefing and handovers during an operation.
- ✧ Considerations when managing a scene of crime or body recovery
- ✧ The DEFRA Flood Rescue Concept of Operations, the Civil Contingencies Act, responder categories and training requirements.
- ✧ Resources, search, rescue and evacuation capabilities, team limitations and levels of PPE
- ✧ Flood management commonalities such as accessing and interpreting weather and flood warning schemes, rainfall prediction, flood development and local water resources.
- ✧ Search management techniques in the water environment, of hazards and limitations of night operations

Compliance:

- ✧ DEFRA Team Commander Module

Duration:

1 day with 8 hours contact time

Ratios:

Trainers 1:12 Students

Delivery Method:

Training is delivered through classroom lectures, presentations and table-top exercises.

Equipment:

This course is predominantly classroom based and no specialist equipment is required. It is advised to bring a laptop.

Assessment:

Course content is assessed through a combination of practical and written assessment and personal reflection throughout the course. 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:

Reassessment is recommended every 3 years.

Venue:

This course can be delivered at any premises with good classroom facilities.

Please contact us to discuss the possibility of delivering this course at your premises.

Further Information & Booking:

Current open course dates are available on www.outreachrescue.com

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

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