

Mine Emergency Response and Rescue (Surface) - First Aid Stream



Course Overview

The **RII30715 - Certificate III in Mine Emergency Response and Rescue (Surface) - First Aid Stream** course offered by Mines Rescue provides participants with the skills and knowledge required to effectively participate as a surface mine rescue emergency response team member who is able to administer first aid.

Upon successful completion of this course, participants will gain skills and knowledge in:

- Mines rescue techniques and procedures
- Preparing, maintaining and testing rescue equipment
- Operating open circuit breathing apparatus
- Fire team operations/fight or contain external fires
- Risk management
- Confined space rescue
- Safe work practices
- HAZMAT
- CPR, Advanced First Aid, Advanced Resuscitation and Pain Management

Mines Rescue has almost 90 years experience assisting the mining industry to manage risk and operate safely. To ensure the highest quality standards, Mines Rescue plays a pivotal role in training through its Registered Training Organisation, offering training programs that have been developed by mining and emergency response professionals with national qualifications.



Fast Facts



Course name

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Who should attend?

Individuals requiring the skills and knowledge to participate in a surface mine rescue emergency response team as an:

- Emergency response team member
- Emergency services officer



Duration

- 40 hours Surface Rescue Induction and First Aid (Level 1)
- 40 hours (Level 2)
- 80 hours for full qualification



Locations

- Lithgow
- Singleton
- At your site



Delivery method

A combination of face-to-face classroom based training, desktop scenarios and practical training exercises.



Assessment method

Assessment is through the application of skills and knowledge and may include written and oral questioning, practical demonstrations and performing scenarios.



Course fees

Please see our pricing document available on our

Learning outcomes

This course has been divided into two levels to cater for the different skill requirements of emergency response teams. Upon successful completion of each level, participants will be awarded a Statement of Attainment for the units outlined below.

Level 1: Provides participants with the skills and knowledge to effectively participate in a general surface mine rescue emergency response team, responding to fire, using breathing apparatus, operating safely and treating casualties.

Level 2: Provides participants with an additional skill set to perform rescues from confined space environments using incident containment tactics and provide pain management if and when required.

Upon successful completion of both levels, participants will be issued with the [RII30715](#) - Certificate III in Mine Emergency Response and Rescue qualification.

Level 1 (40 hours*)

- [PUAFIR215](#) Prevent injury
- [HLTAID003](#) Provide First Aid
- [RIICOM201D](#) Communicate in the workplace
- [RIIRIS201D](#) Conduct local risk control
- [RIIGOV201D](#) Comply with site work processes/procedures
- [HLTAID006](#) Provide Advanced First Aid
- [PUAFIR207B](#) Operate breathing apparatus open circuit

- [RIIERR201D](#) Conduct fire team operations
- [PUAEQU001B](#) Prepare, maintain and test reponse equipment
- [HLTAID007](#) Provide advanced resuscitation

Level 2 (40 hours*)

- [RIIWHS201D](#) Work safely and follow WHS policies and procedures
- [PUAFIR320](#) Render hazardous materials incidents safe
- [PUAFIR316](#) Identify, detect and monitor hazardous materials at an incident
- [PUASAR025A](#) Undertake confined space rescue
- [RIIERR302D](#) Respond to local emergencies and incidents
- [RIIRIS301D](#) Apply risk management processes
- [PUAEME005A](#) Provide pain management

To maintain the currency and validity of first aid skills, industry requires recertification to be completed every three years. The Australian Resuscitation Council recommends the CPR component of this course be updated annually.

Entry requirements

No formal previous learning is required for this course, however Mines Rescue encourages participants to have a minimum of two years experience in mining, heavy industry or emergency services and have knowledge and experience of the policies and procedures of their workplace before starting the course.

Participants also require the physical ability to kneel on the floor to perform CPR.

Further information

Please refer to the Mines Rescue Participant Handbook located on our website for relevant policy information, including Payment Terms and Conditions and Refund and Fees Policy.

If you believe you already hold some or all of the skills, knowledge and/or experience for this course, you may be eligible to apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL). You are encouraged to refer to our Participant Handbook and RPL/CT Handbook for Applicants and speak with Mines Rescue prior to commencing training.

For any further information please contact your local Mines Rescue station or visit our website www.minesrescueservices.com.

**Please note hours are indicative only.*

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