



Course Overview & Pre-enrolment Information

- Vertical Rescue Operator -

COURSE OVERVIEW

The Vertical Rescue Course is designed for individuals who wish to participate as part of a mines rescue emergency response teams in surface mines and general industry with skills in performing vertical rescues.

Mines Rescue Pty Ltd is a Registered Training Organisation (RTO) and offers this training to work towards RII30709 Certificate III in Mine Emergency Response and Rescue. This course is designed to meet the needs of client and allow participants to become effective team members of a mines rescue emergency response team.

This course provides extensive knowledge & skills in mines rescue techniques and use of equipment in a vertical rescue environment.

QUALIFICATION INFORMATION

Upon successful completion of the Vertical Rescue Course, participants will be awarded the following:

- Partial Completion of PUA30601 Certificate III in Public Safety (Firefighting and Emergency Operations)

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Course competencies:

Unit Code	Unit Title
PUAFIR201B	Prevent Injury
PUATEA001B	Work in a Team
PUASAR001B	Participate in Rescue Operations
PUATEA002B	Work Autonomously
PUASAR004B	Undertake Vertical Rescue

VOCATIONAL OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of the Vertical Rescue Course, participants will be able to consider the following job roles:

- Emergency Response Team member
- Emergency Services Officer



DELIVERY STRATEGY

Mines Rescue offers the Vertical Rescue course over 5 days (40 hours).

The course structure is comprised of a blended approach, involving classroom based training and extensive practical sessions held in realistic scenarios situations, under the guidance of one of our qualified trainers who holds relevant and up to date qualifications and has extensive rescue industry experience.

The Training.gov.au website (<http://www.training.gov.au>) is a helpful website to refer to for further information about formal learning pathways related to the Public Safety training package.

PRE-REQUISITES

A first aid certificate is required for this course. Mines Rescue also encourages participants to gain knowledge and experience of the policies and procedures of their workplace before starting the course.

LEARNING PATHWAY

Mines Rescue offers this course stand alone or it can be utilised to work towards RII30709 Certificate III in Mine Emergency Response & Rescue.

This unit trains the responder to access entrapped casualty/s using a range of techniques and to operate specialist equipment to undertake the rescue.

The Skills DMC website (<http://www.skillsdmc.com>) is a helpful website to refer to for further information about formal learning pathways related to the RII training package.

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING / RECOGNITION OF CURRENT COMPETENCY

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and Recognition of Current Competency (RCC) enable a participant to receive recognition for their current skills, knowledge and/or experience they possess regardless of where that learning was obtained. Such knowledge and skills may be gained from:

- Previous study and prior qualifications
- Work experience
- General life experience

RPL/RCC ensures the knowledge and skills previously gained are applied to the qualification criteria. RPL/RCC can assist in identifying what training may be required to ensure the participant does meet all of the performance criteria under each of the appropriate units of competency. The aim is to avoid any unnecessary training. Participants are encouraged to discuss possible RPL/RCC application with Mines Rescue prior to commencing the training courses.

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COURSE FEES

The fees for our course with training completed on our sites are \$1310 per person.

Off site training costs are available upon request.

PAYMENT TERMS & CONDITIONS:

- Company order number or full payment prior to course commencement is required.
- Cash is not accepted. Cheque, Credit Card, Internet direct deposit or money order payment only.
- A receipt must be presented when participants attend the course.
- For enquiries, please contact your local Mines Rescue station using the contact information found on the footer of this document.

CONTACT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Information about our courses and/or our RTO can be found at your local Mines Rescue station (see contact details below) or via our website <http://www.minesrescueservices.com>.

The Mines Rescue RTO Number is 90508. The Mines Rescue RTO Manager is Mr Brian Kelly (based at the Western Mines Rescue Station).

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