



DIVE RESCUE 1 (DR1)



ELLINGTON, CONNECTICUT

HOSTED BY

TOLLAND COUNTY DIVE TEAM

OCTOBER 3-5, 2025

OBJECTIVE

Dive Rescue International's premier program for public safety divers, covering dive team organization, rescue, recovery, and investigations. Learn essential strategies for media interaction, family communication, and agency collaboration.

MAIN TOPICS

Public Safety Diving Accidents
Drowning
Dive Team Organization &
Management Search Patterns
Scene Evaluation
Victim Retrieval
Service to the Family, Media & Other Agencies
Vehicle Accidents
Underwater Investigation
Field Exercises

LOCATION OF CLASS

Crystal Lake Fire Department
316 Sandy Beach Road
Ellington, CT 06029

CLASS BEGINS AT 8:00 AM

DURATION: 3 Days / 24 Training Hours

TUITION: \$450.00 (US Funds) per student
includes text book

RECOMMENDED FOR: Anyone who responds
to public safety dive events including divers.

ESTIMATED SCHEDULE

DAY 1 of 3

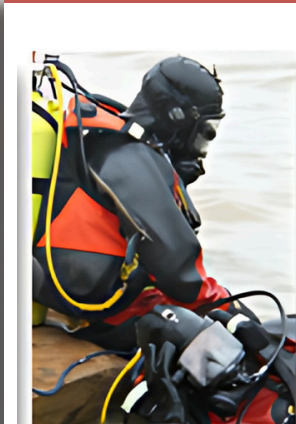
8:00-8:30 Registration
8:30-12:00 Classroom
12:00-1:00 Lunch Break
1:00-5:00 Pool Exercises

DAY 2 of 3

8:00-12:00 Classroom
12:00-1:00 Lunch Break
1:00-5:00 Field Exercises

Day 3 of 3

8:00-2:00 Field Exercises
2:00-3:00 Lunch
3:00-5:00 Review, Exam, Closing





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MAKING IT HAPPEN

PREREQUISITES

- At least 18 years of age
- Member of a Public Safety Agency
- RSTC Medical Statement
- Open Water Certification
- Physically fit (13 MET or greater recommended)

BRING TO CLASS

US Coast Guard approved PFD with knife and whistle, adequate clothing and protection from the environment and pen and paper for note-taking and sketching.

Diving students must provide their own equipment :

Wetsuit or dry suit, scuba regulator: recently serviced + environmentally protected with alternate air source (i.e.: octopus), timing device, depth + submersible pressure gauge, BC with oral/power inflator, 2 tanks with current Hydro + VIP, mask, snorkel, fins, weight belt + 2 cutting tools (knife, wire cutters, or trauma shears).

TRAVEL

Check with Dive Rescue International to confirm class before making airline reservations.

CANCELLATION

Prior to 3 weeks: Full Refund
8-21 days prior: 50% Refund
0-7 days prior: No refund

AIRPORT

Bradley International Airport (BDL)
25 minutes to Station 42

SUGGESTED ACCOMMODATIONS

Baymont by Wyndham
260 Main St.
East Windsor, CT 06088
860.254.4652

Rate: \$76 w/ Taxes + Fees

REGISTER NOW



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