

## Industrial Firefighting Emergency Response Team Refresher Training

### Course information

<b>Duration</b>	1 day
<b>Course fee</b>	£4,870 for a maximum of 10 delegates
<b>Availability</b>	On request
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### About this course

This course gives the delegates the opportunity to refresh their knowledge and skills in a hot fire environment wearing breathing apparatus. The course will include safe movement, casualty rescue from and firefighting using hose lines in a multi-level structure. Courses are delivered by trained firefighters at our Fire Training Centre.

### Important information about facial hair

There are mandatory elements of this training that require you to wear and use Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) whilst engaged in 'live-fire' exercises. To help ensure your safety whilst training, we ask that any facial hair is kept to a minimum prior to operating with this equipment. This will allow for an effective mask-to-face seal whilst training.

Prior to undertaking practical activities, your face-seal will be assessed using 'positive pressure' breathing equipment. If there is an unacceptable loss of breathing air from the unit, you may be asked to shave.

Failure to ensure an effective seal may result in you not being able to undertake training. This will prevent you from receiving a course completion certificate at the end of training.

## Certification

The certificate is awarded by Blackpool and the Fylde College. Refresher training can be provided if required, at a timescale set by the company, in line with their operating requirements and risk assessments.

## Entry Requirements

As directed by the company, but usually delivered to those active in ERT roles who require refresher training

## Medical Declaration

Parts of the course are of a physical nature. Delegates will be required to complete a medical declaration stating that they are fit to undertake practical training when they attend the course. This will be sent with joining instructions and delegates are requested to read this carefully so they are fully aware of the physical requirements.



## Course details

This course updates delegates' knowledge and skills to be able to:

- Carry out a general check on breathing apparatus, donning and doffing breathing apparatus
- Wearing breathing apparatus in a hostile environment
- Carrying out a search and rescue in a multi-level structure
- Carrying out the door entry procedure, safe movement with hose, firefighting in a multi-level structure

Assessment will be made in the form of direct observation, oral questioning, and the simulated scenarios.

### **Course Content**

- Breathing apparatus set conversion
- Breathing apparatus wearing
- Practical exercises using firefighting appliances and breathing apparatus in smoke and heat
- Casualty handling

