

# Wader Safety

### Who is the course for?

This course is for people who use waders in the workplace.

### Course requirements

In order to enrol in this course you must be medically fit and have completed a water experience and medical self-assessment form.

### How will I be trained and assessed?

Training is very practical and is conducted in a classroom environment and in a swimming pool. Assessment is conducted during these training sessions. Assessment activities include:

- verbal and written assessments of underpinning knowledge
- practical demonstration in a pool

### How is training delivered?

Practical and theory sessions addressing the following topics:

- hazards in Tasmanian aquatic environments and factors that contribute to aquatic emergency situations
- effects and treatment of cold water immersion
- safe wading techniques
- personal survival techniques
- rescue priorities and techniques

### How long is the course?

This is a 1 day course (9am – 5pm). All of the training and assessment materials that participants need will be provided by SMT. Participants must bring their own writing materials, a spare set of work-style clothing and waders. If you do not have your own waders, SMT can supply these for the session.

### What sort of credential(s) do I get if I complete the course?

Participants who successfully complete all of the assessments will receive a nationally-recognised Statement of Attainment for:

- SFIAQUA220A Use waders.

**For eligible Tasmanian residents, this training is subsidised by the Department of State, Growth, Tasmania.**

## 2019 COURSE INFORMATION FOR WADER SAFETY

### May 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Wed 01	Wader Safety	9:00AM		Battery Point

### July 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Wed 24	Wader Safety	9:00AM		Battery Point

### September 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Wed 04	Wader Safety	9:00AM		Battery Point

### October 2019

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Mon 14	Wader Safety	9:00AM		Battery Point