

Fast Rescue Boat (STRCTR-193)

Length 32 hours (4 days)

Objective

This course covers the requirements of the STCW Convention Chapter VI, Section A-VI/2, Table A-VI/2-2. Upon meeting the minimum standard of competence in fast rescue boats a trainee will be competent to handle and take charge of such boats during or after launch in adverse weather and sea conditions. They will also be able to operate a fast rescue boat engine.

Trainees will know the correct use of all locating devices, including communication and signaling equipment between the rescue boat and a helicopter and the ship, and how to carry out search patterns.

This Course is USCG Approved and STCW Compliant. The course certificate will state:

“This course is hereby recognized as a Coast Guard Approved Training Course as outlined in Subpart C of Part 11, Title 46, Code of Federal Regulations. Any applicant who has successfully completed our Fast Rescue Boat (STRCTR-193) course will satisfy the requirements of Table A-VI/2-2 of the STCW Code, Specification of the Minimum Standard of Competence in Fast Rescue Boats.”

Scope

This course is a classroom and Fast Rescue Boat-based course that is designed to cover the mandatory minimum requirements for the issue of certificates of proficiency in fast rescue boats as specified in table A-VI/2-2 of the International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping (STCW) Code for Seafarers.

Entry standards

Student minimum prerequisites are:

- Be medically fit

Please be prepared for class with the following:

- Students are required to bring a swim suit in order to participate in the practical exercises.
- Sunscreen is available upon request.
- In the event of inclement weather, foul weather gear will be provided.
- **No** flip-flops or sandals are to be worn. Close-toed shoes (sneakers, deck shoes or water moccasins) **MUST** be worn.

Teaching Facility

STAR Center, Dania Beach, Florida

