



CONFINED SPACE RESCUE PLAN

Confined Space Name/Location: _____ **Identification #:** _____ **Date:** _____

Attendant: _____ **Employer:** _____

Employer: _____ **2)** _____

On-Site Rescue Personnel/Designation: _____ **3)** _____

1) _____ **4)** _____

Methods of Communication: Attendant to Rescue Personnel:- Phone Audible Signal Radio Intercom
Attendant to workers: Phone Radio Intercom Audible Signal Visual Hand Signal Rope Signal

Methods of Rescue: External (Retrieval) Internal: _____ Congested: _____
 Hauling System Required: _____ Patient lowering system required/lowering area: _____
 Anchor overhead: _____
Anchorage: Beam Stairwell Support Strut Support Column Other: _____
Pre-Rigging required? Yes No

Rescue Equipment Requirements (check where applicable below and indicate quantity needed):
 Hauling Systems: _____ Carabiners: _____ Pulleys: _____ Shock absorbers/lanyards: _____
 Anchor Straps: _____ Webbing: _____ Ascenders: _____ Body Harnesses: _____
 Rigging Plates: _____ Safety Lines: _____ Main Lines: _____ Wrist/Ankle Harnesses: _____
 Fire Extinguishers: _____ _____ _____

Rescue Equipment Inspections
Identified rescue equipment inspected by competent worker: _____ Employer: _____
Record of inspection(s) attached Yes

Medical Equipment Requirements (check where applicable below and indicate quantity needed):
 First Aid Kit: _____ Packaging Device: _____ _____ _____

Additional PPE Requirements (Indicate what is needed):
 High Visibility Vests Hearing Protection Safety Boots Hard Hats Safety Glasses/Goggles Gloves
 Face Shield _____ _____

Description of Space (include location of attendant):

Diagram of Space (Use Back of Page if needed):

Completed by: _____ Entry Supervisor Attendant Other: _____ **Date:** _____

ON-SITE RESCUE PROCEDURES

The attached On-Site Rescue Plan and these Procedures are part of the written plan for the confined space and are based on the assessment of hazards in this space.

Prior to entry and/or work in the confined space:

1. The entry supervisor will ensure that the attached “on-site rescue plan” for the confined space has been completed and that all the rescue equipment identified in the plan is available to effect a rescue in the confined space.
2. The entry supervisor will ensure that an adequate number of appropriately trained persons (as documented in the attached “on-site rescue plan”) are available for immediate implementation of these on-site rescue procedures that apply to the confined space.
3. The entry supervisor will review all emergency procedures, including procedures relating to emergencies outside the confined space with all entrants and other related personnel.
4. The attendant establishes communication with all workers, using the means described in the attached “on-site rescue plan”.

On entry and while working in the confined space:

1. The attendant who is stationed outside and near the entrance to the confined space as described in the attached “on-site rescue plan” remains in constant communication with all workers inside the confined space.
2. The attendant must be notified immediately if an entrant recognizes:
 - unusual action/ behaviour
 - an unexpected hazard
 - an unsafe act or
 - detects a condition prohibited by the permit
3. Entrants must exit the confined space as quickly as possible, when:
 - an order to evacuate is given by the attendant or entry supervisor
 - an entrant recognizes a sign or symptom of over-exposure
 - an unacceptable condition arises or
 - an evacuation alarm is activated.

In the event of a confined space rescue:

1. The attendant does not enter the confined space but immediately summons a rescue response from the on-site rescue team, using the means of communication described in the attached “on-site rescue plan”.

Additional Comments: