

## Confined Space Rescue Sub-Charter

C1	<b>Local requirements must be adhered to.</b> All activity must, as a minimum, meet local requirements. Where local requirements do not exist or are deemed lesser, ITRA Confined Space Working Group guidance should be sought.
C2	<b>Time limit during tasks.</b> Tasks must be completed in a realistic time demonstrating continued progress.
C3	<b>Confined spaces used for assessment must have respirable atmospheres.</b> Confined spaces used must provide safe respirable atmospheres as per local requirements.
C4	<b>Gas monitors</b> Gas monitors should be maintained, tested and used in line with the manufacturers guidance and local requirements. Gas monitor simulators may be used in a confined space simulator. Mock readings and mock alarms may be used to elicit specific responses from the candidates.
C5	<b>Use of rope systems</b> Where rope-based systems are used the rope sub-charter shall apply unless otherwise risk assessed and justified.
C6	<b>Systems must not cause harm to the patient.</b> Steps must be taken to mitigate the potential to exacerbate injuries to the patient. Techniques performed must not put the patient in danger of additional injuries.