

Erie County Smoke Divers Mask Confidence Course

Full Description: This class is designed for Interior Firefighters who are looking to advance their skills in Self Rescue, Entrapment, SCBA Malfunctions, Mask malfunctions, and Mayday procedures. You will develop teamwork and communication proficiency, hose line advancement skills in hoarder conditions, basement self-rescue, and fast paced primary searches. **Day 1** will be SCBA & Equipment skills and proficiency, TOAC, and maze to test baseline skills. **Day 2** will be a combination of lecture and hands-on stations to build your skill set. **Day 3** will be scenario based evolutions in an IDLH atmosphere to practice & test your personal abilities & teamwork. This course will be challenging as well as educational.

Course Number: SD2501

Lead Instructor: Bourgeois / Zacher

Course Location(s): Erie County Training & Operations Center

3359 Broadway

Cheektowaga, NY 14227

Training Dates: September 5th, 6th, & 7th - Times: Friday 6 PM-10:00 PM,

Saturday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM, Sunday 8:00 AM-4:00 PM.

Prerequisites: NYS Firefighter 1, fit tested & a signed Training Authorization letter.

Available Seats: 30

Reporting Instructions: Must arrive 15 minutes early and be ready to work before class begins. Please bring all gear needed including SCBA/mask, 2 spare cylinders, hand tool, water, and lunch. You will use your SCBA & gear all 3 days of the class. Please hydrate well the week before class starts. A Training Authorization Letter will be REQUIRED to ensure your enrollment. Please submit your TAL ASAP to joleen.schlossin@erie.gov, alexander.doll@erie.gov or jonathon.torre@erie.gov

For registration and TAL, go to the following: https://www3.erie.gov/fire/training-schedule