

Training Announcement

COUNTY OF ERIE



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.

This course requires the firefighter to be prepared and in good physical condition!

Course Number: SD2601

Lead Instructors: Smith/Zacher/Bourgeois/CFIs

Course Location(s): Erie County Training & Operations Center
3359 Broadway
Cheektowaga, NY 14227

Training Dates: September 18th, 19th, 20th - 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: 36

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 to TAL@erie.gov

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