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Washington Sea Grant Offers First Aid at Sea Course in April

Washington Sea Grant and Port of Seattle Fishermen's Terminal are cosponsoring two Coast Guard-approved First Aid at Sea courses for commercial fishermen and recreational boaters.

When: Tuesday, May 12, 2009, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

and

Wednesday, June 3, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Where: Both classes will be held in the Nordby Conference Room, Nordby Building, Fishermen's Terminal, Seattle.

Topics include cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, patient assessment, shock, trauma, burns, fractures, hypothermia, cold-water near-drowning, immobilization, backboards, first-aid kits, and more.

The fee for the workshop is \$80, or \$40 for commercial fishermen who are residents of Washington. Space is limited, so pre-registration is advised.

To register or for more information, contact Sarah Fisken, Continuing Education Coordinator, Washington Sea Grant, at (206) 543-1225 or sfisken@u.washington.edu.

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