



SAREA LEAD CLIMBING INSTRUCTOR RESCUE SKILLS CLIMBING ASSESSMENT

Candidates name:Location:.....

Other candidates' names.....

Assessor/s name/s:

Date: / / Time started: Time finished:

Weather conditions:

A pre-requisite to assessment at Lead Climbing Instructor level is Top Rope Instructor award.

There are 3 components to the Lead Climbing Instructor assessment:

1. Multi-pitch guiding assessment
2. Lead climbing instruction assessment
3. Multi-pitch rescue assessment

The Multi-pitch Rescue Assessment includes the following Units of Competence:

SROVTR002A Assessment element	Perform complex vertical rescues 1. Determine appropriate rescue technique 2. Establish rescue system 3. Perform vertical rescues
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Assessment Summary:

Candidate manages a series of incidents that may occur in a multi-pitch environment, and require the candidate to demonstrate a high standard of roping and retrieval skills, judgement regarding retrieval approaches, knowledge of rescue services and retrieval operations, and application of first aid and nursing skills in a multi-pitch environment. Candidate participates in haul or lowering of a stretchered victim.

Assessment Outline:

1. Meet candidate at pre-arranged location, e.g. Mt Arapiles. Candidate to supply all own equipment, with assessor supplying their own harness, helmet, carabiners, abseil rope, climbing rope, prussic, mechanical ascenders and belay device.
2. Conduct pre-assessment checks (if items missing, e.g. First Aid kit you may need to cancel assessment).
3. Assessment to take place on a suitable multi-pitch climb.
4. Assessor to provide a series of incidents for the candidate to manage.
 - 4.1 A knot in the seconders' rope;



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- 4.2 Secondar is unable to climb through a section of a pitch, requiring an un-assisted haul;
 - 4.3 Rope is jammed in a crack, with secondar unable to move up or down;
 - 4.4 Secondar has fallen and hit head, becoming unconscious;
 - 4.5 Secondar has dislocated shoulder, and requires lowering multiple pitches;
 - 4.6 Harness is cut during climbing, requiring an improvised harness to continue ascent or descent.
5. Demonstrate understanding of how to participate in the operation of a hauling system that uses multiple rescuers.
6. End of assessment. Pack up and debrief assessment (*show candidate this assessment sheet and discuss all items*). If assessment is dubious the assessor is not required to say this to candidate. Advise candidate that you will make your recommendations to the SAREA Board and the Board will notify them.

1. Pre-assessment checks at vehicles

- 1.1. Check candidate has the following:
 - 1.1.1. Readily accessible First Aid kit
 - 1.1.2. Helmet and climbing equipment.....
 - 1.1.3. Appropriate footwear for a cliff environment

Comments:

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2. Multi-pitch incident management

- Climb name/s:
- 2.1. Prior planning for incident management
 - 2.2. Communication systems established
 - 2.3. Incident 1 – knot in seconders rope
 - 2.3.1. Anchors and system is set up to facilitate escaping
 - 2.3.2. Escape carried out in an efficient and timely manner
 - 2.3.3. Minimal lowering of climber
 - 2.3.4. Communication maintained
 - 2.3.5. Personal safety maintained
 - 2.3.6. Change – over smooth and efficient.....
 - 2.4. Incident 2 – unassisted haul
 - 2.4.1. Anchors and system is set up to facilitate haul
 - 2.4.2. Haul carried out in an efficient and timely manner
 - 2.4.3. Minimal lowering of climber
 - 2.4.4. Communication maintained
 - 2.4.5. Personal safety maintained
 - 2.5. Incident 3 – jammed rope



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| | 2.5.1. Anchors and system is set up to facilitate retrieval..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.5.2. Climber accessed in an efficient and timely manner..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.5.3. Communication maintained..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.5.4. Personal safety maintained..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2.6. | Incident 4 – seconder unconscious | | |
| | 2.6.1. Anchors and system is set up to facilitate raising or lowering..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.6.2. Unconscious climber raised or lowered in an efficient and timely manner ... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.6.3. Unconscious climber accessed in an efficient and timely manner..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.6.4. Appropriate application of first aid and nursing care | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.6.5. Clear strategy for retrieval outlined..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.6.6. Knowledge of emergency services demonstrated..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2.7. | Incident no 5 – dislocated shoulder | | |
| | 2.7.1. Anchors and system set up to facilitate effective retrieval..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.7.2. Abseil guiding systems appropriate for injured person..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.7.3. Abseil(s) carried out in an efficient and timely manner..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.7.4. Appropriate application of first aid and nursing care | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.7.5. Appropriate plan for retrieval..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2.8. | Incident no 6 – cut harness | | |
| | 2.8.1. Improvised harness constructed in an efficient and timely manner..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | 2.8.2. Harness safe and comfortable..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Comments:

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| 3. Participate in multiple person haul or lower of stretchered victim | | Talk | Demo |
| 3.1. Appropriate participation in haul or lower as part of a rescue group..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3.2. Demonstrates understanding of system | <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3.3. Communication with and reporting to emergency services..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Comments:

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Note: This component can be completed at any time, and can be completed with organizations such as the SES, STAR division or other.

Name and signature of rescue supervisor:

Date:

Position:

Comments of rescue supervisor:

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General comments on assessment:

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Assessor/s comments to be included in candidates log book:

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Assessor/s signature/s:

Candidate's signature: