

DAN

INSTRUCTOR QUALIFICATION COURSE

Welcome to the A-1 Scuba and Travel Center DAN IQC. DAN instructors are scuba diving educators who want to offer dive safety programs and train others how to plan, manage, conduct and promote dive safety. The DAN IQC follows a modular format comprised of a Core Module and individual course modules.

COURSE OBJECTIVE

By the end of the IQC you will be able to provide role-model demonstrations for each of the key skills included in each provider-level course for which you are seeking as well as demonstrate thorough knowledge of the associated course standards.

DAN IQC COURSE PREREQUISITES

- *Be a certified and active scuba diving educator
- *Be a CPR and First Aid Instructor with a nationally recognized program.
- *Be a current DAN Member.
- *NOTE: A divemaster or dive controller with a recognized scuba program is qualified to attend the IQC, as long as the other training requirements are met.*

CORE MODULE

This section is designed to introduce you to DAN and lay a foundation for all other specific modules. It includes a basic discussion of the General Standards and Procedures to be a DAN Instructor, including everything from how to register provider-level students with DAN to how to minimize disease transmission. The Core Module must be completed prior to certification but may be completed before or after the presentation of the various course modules.

- 1. To complete this module simply go the area on the DAN website that includes the Online version of the Core Module. This web-based training version of the Core Module allows you to use a self-paced study approach to learning the general standards of being a DAN Instructor.**
- 2. There is not a fee for completing this module online however you will need to purchase a hard copy of the module. The fee is \$25.00 and includes a DAN three-ring binder. There is a separate course fee per module and a \$25 DAN processing fee for each module. This is a one-time processing fee when you submit multiple module applications. Individual applications require a separate \$25 fee.**

DIVE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROVIDER (DEMP)

This integrated program is conducted in a single comprehensive package over two days. It is an all-inclusive method of presenting the knowledge and skills from Oxygen First Aid for Scuba Diving Injuries, First Aid for Hazardous Marine Life Injuries, Automated External Defibrillators for Scuba Diving and the Advanced Oxygen First Aid for Scuba Diving Injuries. Once you have completed all of these instructor modules you will be able to offer the DEMP and On-site Neuro Provider courses without any additional instructor training.

- 1. Package Fee - \$575 Includes:**
 - a. O2, Advanced O2, AED, First Aid for Hazardous Marine Life Injuries and On-Site Neurological Assessment for Divers.**
 - b. Instructor kits for each course**
 - c. Three-ring binder and CORE module**
 - d. DEMP Provider student kit and slates**
 - e. PADI Distinctive Instructor Specialty sign-offs for O2, AED and Hazardous Marine Life Injuries (*PADI processing fees not included*)**

COURSES MAY ALSO BE TAKEN ALA CART

OXYGEN FIRST AID FOR SCUBA DIVING INJURIES

To date, this is DAN's number one program. In this module you will learn how to educate the general diving and qualified non-diving public in recognizing possible dive-related injuries and to provide emergency oxygen first aid while activating the local emergency medical services.

- 1. Course Fee: \$125 (includes instructor guide, student kit, DVD)**
- 2. Includes PADI Distinctive Instructor Specialty sign-off (PADI processing fee not included).**
- 3. The course takes approximately 3-4 hours to complete.**

Does not include DAN processing fee

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS (AED'S) FOR SCUBA DIVING

You will learn to educate the general diving and qualified non-diving public to better recognize the warning signs of Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) and administer first aid using Basic Life Support techniques and Automated External Defibrillators, while activating the local EMS.

- 1. Course Fee: \$125 (includes instructor guide, student kit, DVD)**
- 2. Includes PADI Distinctive Instructor Specialty sign-off (PADI processing fee not included)**
- 3. The course takes approximately 2-3 hours to complete.**

Does not include the DAN processing fee

FIRST AID FOR HAZARDOUS MARINE LIFE INJURIES

Although serious hazardous marine life injuries are rare, most divers experience minor discomfort from unintentional encounters with fire coral, jellyfish and other marine creatures at some point in their diving career. You will learn how to recognize possible injuries caused by hazardous marine life, provide first aid for hazardous marine life injuries and to avoid hazardous marine life injuries.

- 1. Course Fee: \$125 (includes instructor guide, student kit, DVD)**
- 2. Includes PADI Distinctive Instructor Specialty sign-off (PADI processing fee not included)**
- 3. The course takes approximately 2-3 hours to complete.**

Does not include the DAN processing fee

ADVANCED OXYGEN FIRST AID FOR SCUBA DIVING INJURIES

You will learn how to train DAN Oxygen Providers to use either the MTV-100 and Bag Valve Mask while providing care for a non-breathing injured diver and activating local EMS.

- 1. Must have completed the DAN Oxygen First Aid for Scuba Diving Injuries within the past 12 months**
- 2. Course Fee: \$125 (includes instructor guide, student kit, DVD)**

Does not include the DAN processing fee

ON-SITE NEUROLOGICAL ASSESSMENT FOR DIVERS

In this course you will teach your students how to perform a basic neurological assessment on an injured diver and the proper procedure for conducting an onsite injured diver history. The information gathered while performing a neurological assessment will be useful to help the dive physician understand the extent of the injury and how it has changed in the time it took to get the diver from the dive site to definitive care.

- 1. Must have completed the DAN Oxygen First Aid for Scuba Diving Injuries program.**
- 2. Course Fee: \$125 (includes instructor guide, student kit and DVD)**
Does not include the DAN processing fee

BASIC LIFE SUPPORT FOR DIVE PROFESSIONALS (BLS-PRO)

This program is designed for dive professionals and divers interested in understanding professional-level resuscitation techniques. The course also addresses basic life support skills for adults, children and infants. You will learn to teach: two-person CPR, ventilation using a bag valve mask, finger sweep, suctioning, cricoid pressure and other techniques for caring for an unconscious choking victim.

- 1. Must have current CPR training**
- 2. Course Fee: \$150 (includes all instructor materials)**

For further information please contact me directly at A-1 Scuba and Travel Center or email me at Scotttaylor@a1scuba.com. I'm looking forward to helping you succeed in these incredible DAN programs.

Safe Diving,

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