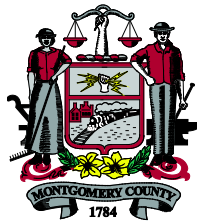


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Trench Rescue Awareness

Hours: 4

Prerequisite: None

MCFA # 1318

Manual: None. Auxiliary equipment: Pen, pencil and notepad.

Certificate: MCFA Limit: 30 students

This course is recommended for all emergency service responders and is specifically designed for the first responder to a trench/excavation incident. It will help in initial size-up of the situation and how to institute basic procedures until trained personnel with the proper equipment arrives. Subject matter includes making the scene safe for the rescuers and victims, basic shoring equipment, and what the trench rescue teams will need upon arrival. This is a lecture-only program. It is open to all emergency service responders.