



Marine VHF Radio Operators Certificate:

The Marine VHF Radio Operators Certificate is designed to give Surf Lifeguards the knowledge and skill needed to be able to use a VHF radio while on patrol including emergency situations. It is a legal requirement for members to have this qualification to use a marine VHF radio.

The Marine VHF Radio Operators Certificate is a pre requisite for the Senior Lifeguard Award - Patrol Captain and the Senior Lifeguard Award - IRB Driver.

Prerequisites:

Financial member of a Club

14 years old

Surf Lifeguard Award (refreshed) or Patrol Support Award (refreshed)

Duration:

Three - Six hours

Assessed By:

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Exam Components:

Routine Operation

Safety

Distress & Urgency

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