

# U.S. DIVING SAFETY TRAINING RENEWAL CHALLENGE AND REVIEW FORMAT Information

## WHO

Coaches with currently valid Option A or Option B Safety Training certification are eligible to renew Safety Training credentials by registering for and passing:

- ◆ the Safety Training course (*4 hour pool session followed by a 3 hour classroom session*) **OR**
- ◆ the Safety Training Renewal course (*1 hour classroom exam followed by 4 hour pool session*)

## HOW

The Safety Training course and the Safety Training Renewal course will be available at all course sites beginning October 1, 2001. The pool session for both the Safety Training course and the Safety Training Renewal course are held simultaneously. Preregister for a course and check the appropriate box on the registration form.

- 7 hour Safety Training course or
- 5 hour Safety Training Renewal course

## HOW MUCH

Course fees are the same for both the Safety Training course and the Safety Training Renewal course. For those who preregister by the quarterly registration deadline posted on the schedule, a course fee of \$60 will be charged. For those whose registration fee is postmarked after the registration deadline, a late registration fee of \$75 will be charged. Text fee is additional.

Course fees for late scheduled courses added after the annual schedule is posted in November shall charge a \$75 registration fee.

## WHAT

The Safety Training Renewal course provides the “Challenge and Review” course format which enables the participant to renew his/her Option A or Option B Safety Training completion certificate by passing the written exam and the skill demonstration of the rescue and spinal injury management skills as follows:

- ◆ Step 1. “Challenge” the written Safety Training exam
- ◆ Step 2. “Challenge” or if needed “Review and Challenge” the Rescue Skills
- ◆ Step 3. “Review” Spinal Injury Management and pass skill demonstration (No CHALLENGE format available for Spinal Injury Management skills)

*Note: Participants with Option B Safety Training credentials who desire to upgrade to Option A credentials at the time of renewal are not eligible for the CHALLENGE format of the rescue skills in the pool session, but may CHALLENGE the written exam.*

## WHERE

Safety Training and Safety Training Renewal courses are available in various U.S. Diving associations at pool sites posted on the U.S. Diving web site at: [www.usdiving.org](http://www.usdiving.org)

## WHEN

Actual start times may vary from the posted schedule. **Confirm the date and start time with the local contact prior to your departure for the course.** Start time for the Safety Training course is 9:00 a.m.

local time unless otherwise indicated. Start time for the Safety Training Renewal course exam is 8:00 a.m. unless otherwise posted. The duration of pool session times may vary depending upon the number of participants.