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Canadian Agricultural Safety Association **Firefighter Grain Entrapment Rescue** **Train the Trainer**



“Silo entrapments are extremely dangerous for the victim and the rescuers. Firefighters must use specific safety and rescue procedures to increase their chances of a successful rescue, while keeping members of their department safe.”

Firefighter Silo Rescue “Train the Trainer” Course

This training program is intended to prepare firefighters to respond to an on-farm grain entrapment incident. Students will perform hands-on simulated scenario rescues in a controlled environment.

Course Dates: Course #1 September 15th – 16th
Course #2 September 22nd - 23rd

Duration: 16hrs

Cost: \$250.00

Maximum Number of Students: 16 per course date

Location: Grand Valley Fire Department

Lunch Provided

All students will receive a certificate of completion

*Prior to taking this course, all participants are required to complete the free online course **Introduction to Grain Handling and Storage Hazards** available at casa-acsa.ca/begrainsafe.*

Course Topics

Identification of silo incidents

- How they occur
- Common injuries
- Types of entrapments
- Handling and storage facilities (grain, wheat, canola, corn, feed, fertilizer)
- Hazard identification

Regulatory standards

- NFPA/CSA/SWP

Confined space and fall protection considerations

Hazard analysis and risk

For more information or to register, contact FFAO Training Chairman Fire Chief Kevin McNeilly kmcneilly@gvdfd.com